Unit 3.1: Racism

Worksheet B

Fill-in-the-blank (Answer key)

**Key terms**

racism xenophobia white privilege post-racist

stereotype apartheid racial profiling positive discrimination

1. **Apartheid** is the historical term that refers to the system of racial segregation in South Africa from 1948 to 1994.
2. **Racial profiling** is the act of targeting a person based on a racial stereotype.
3. **Xenophobia** is the fear of people who are perceived as different.
4. **Stereotype** is a widely held but fixed and oversimplified image or idea of a person.
5. **Positive discrimination** is a policy that aims to help people who have been discriminated against, often by offering them job opportunities.
6. **White privilege** is a term for the structural advantages that are enjoyed by white people in a society.
7. **Racism** is the act of discrimination against someone on the basis of their race.
8. **Post-racist** is a world where race no longer plays a role in work, politics and education.