

#### Solutions and references task 4:

Due to the fact that the students should not see which definition has a source (because that would make it too obvious which is the correct answer), the sources will be added here and solutions to the task will be given. Every definition that does not have a source is made up by Katja Sulzberger.

Nationalist:

- ◇ **“a person who wants their country to be politically independent” (nationalist form *Cambridge Dictionary*)**
- ◇ “a person who wants their country to be superior to others”
- ◇ “a person who believes that their nation should become part of a union of nations”

Icon:

- ◇ “a person that is disliked for their cultural beliefs”
- ◇ **“a very famous person or thing considered as representing a set of beliefs or a way of life” (icon form *Cambridge Dictionary*)**
- ◇ “a person liking and admiring everything within their own culture”

Atrocity:

- ◇ **“an extremely cruel, violent, or shocking act” (atrocity form *Cambridge Dictionary*)**
- ◇ “an act that is frowned upon”
- ◇ “rules that existed in the colonies”

Controversy:

- ◇ “a misunderstanding between two countries”
- ◇ “a fight about something meaningless”
- ◇ **“An argument or dispute on a matter of opinion; a (typically heated) discussion involving contrary opinions” (controversy from *Oxford English Dictionary*)**

To condense:

- ◇ “to convert something into the state of gas”
- ◇ **“to reduce something, such as a speech or piece of writing, in length” (condense form *Cambridge Dictionary*)**
- ◇ “to give detailed information about something”

Vexing:

- ◇ “something that is interesting”
- ◇ **“annoying, worrying, or causing problems” (vexing form *Cambridge Dictionary*)**
- ◇ “something that is not worth mentioning in detail”

Richness:

- ◇ “the state of being wealthy”
- ◇ **“the quality of having a lot of something that is valuable or interesting” (richness form *Cambridge Dictionary*)**
- ◇ “when something is available in a large quantity”

Alleged:

- ◇ **“claimed or asserted without proof, or pending proof” (alleged from *Oxford English Dictionary*)**
- ◇ “scientifically proven, a lot of evidence”
- ◇ “when someone is uncertain of their own feelings”

Abuse:

- ◇ “way of life of certain cultures”
- ◇ “the use of something in order to get an advantage from it” (exploitation form *Cambridge Dictionary*)
- ◇ **“cruel, violent, or unfair treatment of someone” (abuse form *Cambridge Dictionary*)**

Exploitation:

- ◇ “cruel, violent, or unfair treatment of someone” (abuse form *Cambridge Dictionary*)
- ◇ “robbing people of their possessions by fighting them”
- ◇ **“the use of something in order to get an advantage from it” (exploitation form *Cambridge Dictionary*)**

1. Sexual **abuse** is a problem that many women face all over the world.
2. Henry was kept in jail for **allegedly** robbing a bank.
3. The referendum for same sex marriage was a **controversial** topic in Switzerland that was publicly discussed in the media.
4. Emilia was really stressed lately due to her **vexing** school situation.
5. Roger Casement was part of a big **nationalist** movement, trying to gain independence from Great Britain.

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