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**Vocabulary:** Before listening, make sure that you are familiar with the following words:

<b>Word</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Synonym</b>
widespread	found or distributed over a large area or number of people	universal; common
prey	usually about animals - hunted and killed for food	victim; target
spouse	a husband or wife, considered in relation to their partner	partner; mate
abuse	treat with cruelty or violence, especially regularly or repeatedly	mistreat; violate
curb	hold back or keep in check	stop; limit
objective	a thing aimed at or sought	goal; ambition
mutilation	the infliction of serious damage	dismemberment; damage
empower	make someone stronger and more confident; give someone control of their life and the ability to claim their rights	authorise; enable
boost	help or encourage something or someone to increase and/or improve	promote; encourage
perception	the way in which something is understood or seen	viewpoint; idea
embody	to include as part of something	incorporate; include
battered	injured by repeated violence	beaten; injured
gem	a precious or semi-precious stone	jewel; stone
survey	a general view, examination, or description of someone or something	analysis; examination
not-for-profit	not conducted primarily to make money	non-profit; philanthropic
means	an action or system by which a result is achieved	method; measure
encrypt	converting information or data into a code to prevent unwanted access	encode; conceal
diaspora	the spread of any people from their original homeland	emigration; exodus
heritage	property that is or may be inherited	ancestry; tradition
feature	to include someone or something as an important part	present; headline
diverse	showing a great deal of variety	different; various
resonate	to have a powerful effect or value	affect
kit	the clothing used for an activity such as a sport	outfit; gear

## Tanzania: Empowering women and girls

1. Approximately how many women and girls in Tanzania, between the ages 15 and 49, have experienced physical violence in their lifetime?
  - a. 4 percent
  - b. 14 percent
  - c. 40 percent
  - d. 50 percent
2. What are the main objectives of the organisation “Youth for Change Tanzania”?
3. What are some of the main reasons for gender-based violence, according to the programme?
4. How does the institution dealing with the Geita goldmines help women in Tanzania?

## Hong Kong: National security causes fear

5. Circle the statement that is TRUE or FALSE.
  - a. In a survey conducted by the news website *The Stand News*, 96 percent of respondents feared losing their right to free speech. TRUE/FALSE
  - b. *The Stand News* is a profit-making website. TRUE/FALSE
  - c. A minority of survey respondents started using safer means of communication. TRUE/FALSE
  - d. Many young activists have been driven into exile since the introduction of the national security law. TRUE/FALSE

## Africa: Black is King

6. In the programme, Alanna Leslie gives one example of a diaspora, namely the Jamaican diaspora in the United Kingdom. Can you think of other examples of diaspora?
7. Carissa Cupido states that “representation matters”. What does she mean by this in relation to the film *Black is King*?
8. What role(s) has Beyoncé Knowles had in the making of the musical film *Black is King*?

### **Australia: Waiting for kits**

9. What is an “away shirt”?
10. When is Australia and New Zealand due to host the next Women’s World Cup?

### **Language points:** Complete the following idiomatic expressions

11. I don’t want to go back to that dentist again. It felt like he put me through...
  - a. holes
  - b. hell
  - c. hair
12. We meet every morning. Having coffee and croissants is the order of the...
  - a. day
  - b. deal
  - c. meal
13. Could you buy some more milk, we keep running... of it.
  - a. away
  - b. off
  - c. out
14. She and her friends started the whole organisation, so they are the ... members
  - a. founding
  - b. basic
  - c. finding
15. The government threatened to imprison them for their opinions, so they were ... into exile.
  - a. running
  - b. driven
  - c. chased

## Discussion points:

**Dealing with domestic violence:** In the programme, we hear about gender-based violence in Tanzania and hear some disturbing witness reports from women who have experienced abuse in the home. Find out more about domestic violence in Sweden. What are the statistics? Who are the victims of domestic violence and how many are they? What is being done about domestic violence in Sweden and what more can be done? Who are (normally) the perpetrators and how can domestic violence be pre-empted? Can it be pre-empted? Prepare a short presentation on domestic violence in Sweden and present it to your peers.

**Representation matters:** One of the significant elements of the film *Black is King*, according to the programme, is that it has local representation and features African artists. In a sense, the film serves as a political statement on so-called “whitewashing”. Find out what whitewashing entails in this context and explain it to your peers. Can you think of any films in which whitewashing is prominent? Why is whitewashing a problem and what could be some of its consequences? Why does whitewashing exist? What factors lie behind it, in Hollywood, for example?

## Key

- 1) c. 40 percent
- 2) Suggestion: Their main objectives are to end child marriage, early pregnancies and female mutilation.
- 3) Suggestion: One of the explanations is that it is a cultural phenomenon by which men have considered women as objects or tools for violence.
- 4) Suggestion: It helps women to get employment and thereby a sense of empowerment. It also offers seminars and workshops.
- 5) a. TRUE  
b. FALSE  
c. FALSE  
d. TRUE
- 6) Suggestion: Italian diaspora, Irish diaspora, Greek diaspora, Iraqi diaspora, Afghan diaspora etc. The list of diasporas across the world is very long.
- 7) Suggestion: She means that it is important that people feel represented and can reflect on films that feature their own part of the world and in this case the reclamation of power is particularly important given Africa’s history in relation to the “western” world.
- 8) Suggestion: Beyoncé has written, directed and executively produced the film.
- 9) Suggestion: When a team has an away match, i.e. not in their home arena, and their normal outfit is similar in colour to the opposing team’s colours, then they wear their away shirt instead.
- 10) In 2023
- 11) b. hell
- 12) a. day
- 13) c. out
- 14) a. founding
- 15) b. driven