



### **Answer key**

sanitation engineer – bin man

mail carrier – postman/ mailman

physically challenged – disabled/ handicapped

mentally challenged/ learning difficulties – mentally disabled

hearing impaired – deaf/ going deaf

seniors – old people

visually impaired – blind/ going blind

follically challenged/ comb free – bald/ balding

fire fighter - fireman

visually challenged - ugly

lacking a formal education

living impaired - dead

chair - chairman

banned - blacklisted

### **Discussion questions**

The three sections are based on avoiding negative words, being racist, and being sexist.

### **Practice**

*Some suggestions for the other words in the list:*

short – vertically challenged

uneducated – book challenged

negro/ coloured – black/ African American

American Indian – native American

white lie – innocent lie

oriental - Asian

policeman – police officer

mankind - humankind

actress - actor

air stewardess – cabin crew