

# Racist Remarks Reflection: "Comparing Blacks to monkeys"

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## Part 1: Pre Education Reflection

Read & respond to the 7 following questions.

2. 1. The racist comparison of Black people to animals is one that has existed for a long time in our country's history. Where did you first learn about it? \*

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3. 2. Why do you think this trope (or theme) was created and has been perpetuated? \*

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4. 3. What message does it convey when we compare people to animals? \*

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5. 4. What is your understanding of the impact of this comparison on people who are targeted, particularly Black people? What is the impact on others and society at large? \*

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6. 5. To what extent have you heard similar comparisons made about other groups of people? Please explain. \*

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7. 6. Do you think it is harmful to compare people to animals, if only in a "joking" way? \* Why or why not?

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Part 3: Follow Up Questions (after completing the reading in Part 2)

8. 1. What did you learn that you didn't know before? \*

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9. 2. What surprised you about what you learned? What questions do you still have? \*

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10. 3. How has race been used to rank different groups of people in society? \*

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11. 4. How has the comparison of people to animals been used as a tool to harm and exclude racial groups over time? \*

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12. 5. How does spreading these themes harm people today in ways that were not mentioned in the reading? \*

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13. 6. In the future, how will you respond when you see this stereotype being used? \*

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You have now completed Day 2 of this 5 day course. Please make sure that you submit your responses.



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