‘What we are faced with is a real problem of mass immigration. No country in the world would put up with such a fast and large influx of people who indisputably, given their different religion and culture, are disrupting French society.’

Source: Marine Le Pen, President of the National Front party in France, source interview with Al Jazeera, 2012

‘It is unacceptable that sometimes in certain parts of Milan there is such a presence of non-Italians that instead of thinking you are in an Italian or European city you think you are in an African city. We do not accept this.’

Source: Silvio Berlusconi, former Italian Prime Minister, source Al Jazeera, 2012

‘Well, I think we’re getting too many people coming in, definitely, and I think a lot of people now who are unemployed start to feel bitter about other people who are coming in and getting jobs, I know that for a fact. And I think that there’s a fear as well that one day England won’t be English people here, it’ll be all foreigners.’

Source: Interviewee on news channel, source Channel 4, 2013

- What kinds of attitudes towards migrants are expressed in the comments?
- What reasons are given by the commentators as to why they see migrants and migration the way they do?
- How would such comments and attitudes make you feel if you were a migrant?