

# The Deplorable Trump List

THE 10 WORST THINGS ABOUT THE DONALD, PROVING HE IS UNFIT TO BE PRESIDENT

## 10. Donald Trump mocked a disabled reporter.

Trump mocked a disabled *New York Times* reporter in front of a crowd, saying, "Now the poor guy, you ought to see this guy," before jerking his arms around and holding his right hand at an angle. He imitated the reporter, saying, "'Ah, I don't know what I said! I don't remember!'"

## 9. Donald Trump is unfit to be commander in chief.

The U.S. president is also the commander in chief, one job we have to make sure Trump never gets, since he has said he would <u>force the military to commit war crimes</u>. And he has already brought up the "nuclear option," <u>actually asking national security advisers</u> why the United States can't use nuclear weapons. Who is advising him on national security? Who's giving him all these ideas? <u>The Donald named himself as his primary consultant on foreign policy</u>.

## 8. Donald Trump would threaten national security.

So who would be Trump's allies around the world? He can probably count on his BFFs <u>Vladimir Putin</u> and <u>Kim</u> <u>Jong-un</u>, and he continues to <u>praise the legacies</u> of Saddam Hussein and Moammar Gadhafi.

#### 7. Donald Trump doesn't respect our own military.

What about our own military? They're not safe from Trump's vicious attacks either. Just ask Sen. John McCain. And we all remember when he insulted Americans across the country by going after a Gold Star family after their appearance at the Democratic convention. And even after his own party denounced his comments, he continued to go after Mrs. Khan, suggesting she wasn't being allowed to speak about her son, who was killed serving his country.

## 6. Donald Trump peddles xenophobia and racism, and doesn't discriminate with his discrimination.

Trump has made plenty of xenophobic and hateful comments about <u>Muslims</u>, <u>Mexicans</u>, <u>Native Americans</u>, <u>African-Americans</u> and <u>Jews</u>, and he pals around with <u>white supremacists</u> and has a white nationalist as a <u>campaign</u> <u>chief</u>.

#### 5. Donald Trump doesn't respect women.

Trump has made many offensive comments about women over the years. Some examples: In 1992, Trump told *New York Magazine*, "<u>You have to treat 'em like shit</u>," and that's how he's treated <u>women in his life</u>—women like <u>Megyn Kelly</u> and working women who have faced sexual harassment at work—saying they should "find another career."

Women now make up 47 percent of the workforce; in 40 percent of households, women are the only or primary breadwinner. And women are a majority of the electorate. Trump is taking his own advice and treating women like shit. But that's a lot of voters.

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#### 4. Donald Trump was rooting for the Great Recession.

In 2006, Trump said "<u>I sort of hope</u>" real estate markets tank so he could take the opportunity to buy up cheap property and make a buck off of men and women who had just lost everything. And it's not only American financial markets he hopes crash. After the Brexit vote, Trump actually celebrated, saying: "<u>When the pound goes</u> down, more people are coming to Turnberry," his golf course.

## 3. On 9/11, Donald Trump noted on TV that his Financial District building was now the tallest.

On one of the darkest days in American history, when we lost thousands of men, women and children to what is still considered the largest terrorist attack in the world, <u>Trump decided to pick up the phone and call into a television station</u> to point out that, now, his building was the tallest in Manhattan. There are no words.

#### 2. Donald Trump tries to walk back his birther statements.

Kind of. At his press conference, he actually spent more time talking about his new hotel in D.C. than he did on anything else, but he still ended up on the crazy train. He is now saying Hillary Clinton started the birther witch hunt that he has become so famous for. <u>Too bad your tweets don't lie</u>, Donald.

#### 1. Donald Trump would decimate public education.

No surprise from a man whose only foray into "education," Trump University, was a scam so brazen that multiple states launched investigations.

Trump wants to take \$20 billion of existing federal dollars to fund private school voucher programs. He says his \$20 billion program would provide vouchers for 11 million students to attend the schools of their choice, but the reality is it will mean that every dollar now spent on disadvantaged kids, English language learners and students with special needs would be redirected out of public education. If you do the math, <u>his plan would harm 10 students for every 1 student it covers</u>.

Vouchers don't boost student achievement or improve opportunities for kids from low-income families; they take needed money from public schools while failing to offer greater educational resources.

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