

1. What is the message behind each source? Explain your answer.

Source 5 tells me that Singaporeans should be proud to be a Singaporean. He used 'edentity' to describe his own identity card. Eden is a biblical term which is often used with reference to paradise. By commenting that his country is paradise, it shows that he is proud to be a Singaporean.

Source 5 also tells me the views of Singapore by Singaporeans are shaped by the government. When the man on the left asks if Singapore is paradise, the man indirectly answers by showing his "edentity card" (identity card) which is issued by the government. This shows that his view of his country is determined by what the government has issued him.

2. Why did the cartoonist publish these sources? Explain your answer.

The source was published by the Ministry of Education as a propaganda tool to convince students to be proud of being a Singaporean as we have the identity card of Singapore.

