

Work Culture

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Today's Lesson

Topic: Work culture

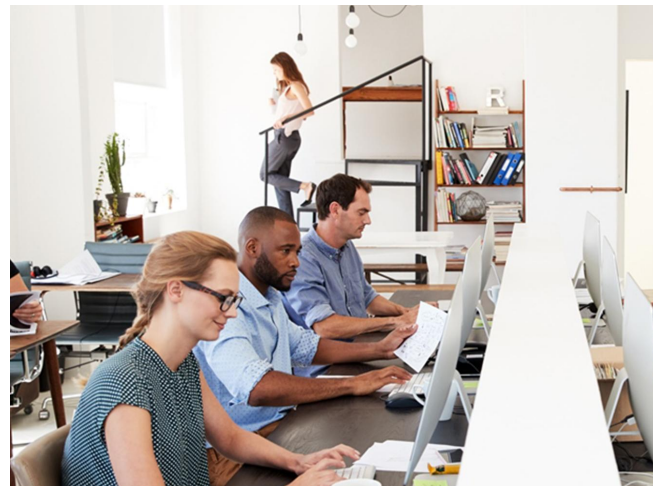
Skills: Using work vocabulary

Using discussion language

Activities: Vocabulary game

Dialogue

Debates





Kahoot! Work Vocabulary Game

Getting ready:

1. Use your phone
2. Go to www.kahoot.it (Shared Notes)
3. Enter the Game PIN (Shared Notes)
4. Enter your nickname

Playing:

1. Watch for the questions here
2. Answer on your phone





Dialogue Practice

Who is in management? Who is an employee? (names)

What are the problems with the project?

What feedback was received?

What feedback is still wanted? Why?





Debate

Two teams

Three rounds / topics

Each round:

- 1 point for best use of vocabulary/
discussion language
- 1 point for strongest arguments





Debate - Round 1

Opinion A

Overtime is important to ensure reports and **projects** are completed on-time when **workplaces** fall behind **schedule**.

It is useful to task employees with **overtime** work whenever needed.

Opinion B

Overtime is terrible because it can make workers sick, which leads to loss of **productivity**.

Overtime should be avoided for both good **management** and **employee** health.



Debate - Round 2

Opinion A

In workplaces with many **employees**, meetings are an important tool for **feedback**.

Large **workplaces** should have as many meetings as needed to ensure both **management** and **employees** receive consistent, reliable **feedback**.

Opinion B

In **workplaces** with many **employees**, meetings slow down progress on reports and **projects**.

Large **workplaces** should keep meetings to as few as possible to ensure both **management** and employee **productivity** is high.



Debate - Round 3

Opinion A

Personal relationships are important for a healthy **workplace**.

It is reasonable to expect that **employees** spend their own time doing activities together outside of work.

Opinion B

People should keep the **workplace** and private life separate.

If **employees** are expected to spend time together in activities, this should be considered **overtime**.

WINNER?



CONGRATULATIONS!

What's Next?

Let's talk about difficult situations at university where you have to speak with someone to get something done.

