# Speech 110AmbrosiHoltWillardApril 6

Speech 110 Lesson: April 6

### Learning Target: Students will understand nonverbal communication.

#### Let's Get Started:

Brainstorm: Quickly list all of the ways you can communicate that you are angry without speaking.

On your own paper, please create a three column KWL chart for nonverbal communication. The first column is K for what you already know about nonverbal. The second column OW - for what you would like to know about nonverbal. The final column is where you will record what you will learn about this subject.

## Let's watch

Please watch this video and complete your chart.

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=omvLFfIJHmU

# 6 Methods of Nonverbal Communication

- Facial Expressions
  - The most expressive part of your body is your face
- Body Language
  - Posture—How you stand
  - Gestures—Unplanned movements that assist verbal
- Eye Contact
  - Strong eye contact demonstrates confidence and dominance
  - Weak eye contact demonstrates submissiveness and timid or shy natures
- Appearance
- Space

# Activity

Today you're going be a SILENT OBSERVER of the nonverbal communication. Stay in each room or area for 10- 20 minutes. Pay attention to all persons (siblings,parents,coworkers, etc.) and <u>document your</u> <u>observations</u>. Identify what nonverbal communication occurs and if it reinforces or contradicts the verbal communication. Be prepared to share your observations when you return to class.

In the event that cannot complete this due to social distancing, try watching a tv show or movie on mute.

SEE THE NEXT SLIDE FOR THE CHART DIRECTIONS!

## Nonverbal Activity Chart

Create a chart to record your observation information.

Create three columns and label them in the following way:

Who's Nonverbal is Identified?

What Nonverbal Method is Demonstrated? HOW?

Explain How it Reinforces or Contradicts the Verbal.

## **Additional Resources**

Tips on speaking and listening

https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/skillswise/speaking-and-listening/zdfwgwx

Chapter - "Listening"

http://publicspeakingproject.org/PDF%20Files/listening%20web%201%20gs.pdf