

Presentation 2 Self-Introductions

- ✓Eye Contact
- ✓Speech Introductions

Warm Up

Group Discussion Questions

1. When you meet people for the first time, what do you want to know about them?
2. Are there any topics you do not like to talk about when you first meet people?

Before You Watch...

1. Key Expressions

look out for as a way of... look forward to

2. New Vocabulary

siblings fascinating interests bore
elementary school

While You Watch...

Take notes on how Jessica uses the eye contact technique you learned in Unit 2.

1. How often does Jessica make, hold, break, and repeat eye contact? (circle one)
never seldom sometimes often always

2. How often does Jessica look at her notes? (circle one)
never seldom sometimes often always

3. How does Jessica introduce her speech? Watch again, and take notes.

Greets the audience _____.

Introduces herself _____.

Explains her purpose _____.

Previews the content _____.

Tells how much time she will take _____.

4. Error analysis. At two points in her presentation, Jessica looks down at her notes. This causes her to make unnatural pauses in her speech. Note the times at which Jessica makes these common mistakes. _____ _____

After You Watch...

1. Which details were most memorable? Why? Take notes, then discuss.

2. What is your impression of Jessica? What helped you form this impression?

3. Group Discussion: Jessica says, "I believe that we are all interesting people and that we all have stories to tell." Do you agree? Can you think of any interesting stories from your own experience? Share one with your group.