



BEING POLITE

Vocabulary Matching

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| 4. Boycott | To deliberately ignore or show disrespect |
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| 6. Dispute | A person or organization that has the power to act |
| 7. Hostile | To trade something for something else without using money |
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4. The _____ (hostile/insult) comment sparked a heated argument.
5. Not saying thank you can _____ (jeopardize/risk) someone's feelings.

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Teacher's Key

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Being polite shows respect and consideration for others, helping to build positive relationships.
2. How can a boycott be used to express disapproval in a polite manner?
A boycott can be a peaceful way to express disapproval, but it's essential to do so in a polite and respectful manner.
3. What is the difference between a conflict and a dispute, and how can politeness help resolve them?
A conflict is a broader term for a disagreement, while a dispute refers to a specific argument or issue; politeness can help resolve both by promoting respectful communication.