
Reflection (Think, Write, Discuss)

Do you think people today are more polite, less polite, or the same compared to five years ago? Why do you think that is?

Act It Out

Mini-Minute Debate: “HE STARTED IT!” If somebody’s rude to you, is it okay to be rude back? Select three debaters to each make the case for one of these positions: NO, YES, IT DEPENDS.

Tips and Quips

Author Laurence Sterne (who?)
said: “Respect for ourselves
guides our morals, respect for
others guides our manners.”
What do you think he meant?

Manners Challenge

Your sister always barges into your room without knocking. Other than attacking her with a water balloon, what would the best response be?