TO PASS 80% or higher

Customer Service

TOTAL	POINTS	5

1. Free response: What's the difference between good and great customer service? What's the most important part of customer service to you?

1/1 point

For me, the most important thing is the human relation with the customer. Empathize with his problem and clearly explain every step we have to do to try to resolve the issue.

✓ Correct

Thanks! Great customer service is unique to each individual. A good rule of thumb is treat others like you would like to be treated.

2. You're doing desktop support and the company policy is that you can only help with company equipment. A user walks in: 1/1 point

Tech: Hi there, how can I help you?

User: My computer is really slow and I can barely use it. Can you help me figure out what's wrong?

Tech: It looks like this is a personal computer. Are you talking about your work computer?

User: Uh, no, this is the one that I need help with. I figured you're good with computers and you could help. My daughter needs it for a school assignment that's due tomorrow, but it's too slow for her to get anything done.

What would you do?

Tell him you can't help him and suggest that he go to a local tech store for help.

Politely tell him that it's against the company policy, and you can't help him.

Forget about that pesky policy and help him! His poor daughter needs to finish her assignment!

Explain why you can't troubleshoot the issue, per the company policy. But give him some tips on what common issues could be slowing down his computer, and how he might go about fixing them.

✓ Correct

You got it! This response sets expectations and then gives some helpful suggestions. Here, you're showing the user that you care about their issue, even if you can't help them.

3. Situation: You work for a company that requires a visual verification when resetting passwords. The verification doesn't have to be done through your company account. However, you must see the person "live" (not through a picture), so that you can match them to their photo before resetting their account.

Scenario: Phone call

Anastasia: Thanks for calling. My name is Anastasia. How can I help you?

Ling: Hi, Anastasia. This is Ling. I need to reset my account password.

Anastasia: Hi, Ling. I'd be happy to help you with that, but first I need to verify your identity. Can you do a video call with me through Skype?

Ling: I can't get into my work account. That's why I'm calling.

What would you do in this situation? Check all that apply.

Offer to set up a video call through Skype, Facetime, or Hangouts.

✓ Correct

Great job! You're all about thinking outside the box to figure out what else the user can do to set up that call. You could potentially suggest that they go to an internet cafe or local library with wifi, too.

Ask the user if they have a personal account to use for Skype.

✓ Correct

Great job! You're all about thinking outside the box to figure out what else the user can do to set up that call. You could potentially suggest that they go to an internet cafe or local library with wifi, too.

Suggest that the user does a video call with you through their phone.

✓ Correct

Great job! You're all about thinking outside the box to figure out what else the user can do to set up that call. You could potentially suggest that they go to an internet cafe or local library with wifi, too.

Kindly tell them that they will have to wait until the next day to meet with someone live.

4. A user needs their password reset. The IT Support Specialist is pulling up the necessary information while the user starts 1/1 point asking a bunch of questions:

Why does the password have to have a capital and a symbol?

Why can't I write it down?

Why does it change so often? Isn't this a waste of time?

How would you respond to the user?

Kindly ask the user to stop asking questions, since you're trying to solve their problem.

purposes, and that this is more important than productivity.

Ignore the user and keep working on resetting the password so that you don't lose your place. Stop what you're doing and explain to the user that passwords should have numbers and symbols for security

Let the user know that you're working on their issue and will be sure to answer all of their questions once you're

✓ Correct

done.

Great job! You're acknowledging the user's questions, but setting a clear agenda of what you want to accomplish. This allows them to understand what they should anticipate and helps you keep control of the conversation.

5. A user walks in to get IT support. The IT Support Specialist is a female. The user is male. There's also a male IT Support Specialist in the room. The user explains to the IT Support Specialist that his co-worker is on leave and he needs to access her files. The female technician attempts to explain the policy, which doesn't allow for this, given security issues. The male user demands to speak with the male IT Support Specialist to reach a solution.

If you were the male technician in this situation, what would you do?

After the user has left, see how the female tech is doing and give her tips on how to deal with similar situations in the future.

Tell the user that there is no difference in knowledge and understanding between you and your co-worker.

O Ignore it.

Step in and answer the user's question.

✓ Correct

Great job! You are not going as far as confronting the user, which can be really difficult. Rather, you're reinforcing and supporting her work as a fellow IT Support Specialist. It's not always the person being undermined who is responsible for "sticking up for herself."