**Assertive Communication**

My house is being constructed with the economical help from my mom’s family side and I have been given responsibility to watch over the workers and take care of all the works. When the rods and cements were out of stock during the construction period, I called my uncle and talked about it. He asked me the amount of rods and cements needed for further construction. I kindly went to the workers and asked them the amount of rods and cement needed and they gave me a detail list. Then I gave the list to my uncle and asked him whether he is going to make four room or three room in the house. He told me three room but me and my family wanted four-room house. Therefore, I kindly request him to make four-room house. He refused it at first but I did not get angry because if I was angry then our family would not be able to get what we want. So, I explain him that the fourth room is for god’s puja and then he agreed. I also asked him to put beams in the house but he told me that he did not have enough money to put the beams in the house. So, he refused it and I also agreed. Then I asked him to visit us when the supply of rods and cements drops but he refused it saying I would be busy on that day and I did not mind about it. He told me that he would come on the next day and our conversation ended. I was able to be assertive while dealing with my uncle because I controlled my emotions, I was specific and I was not scared to talk what I want.