

THE IMPORTANCE OF A GOOD ATTITUDE AT WORK

In 30 seconds, answer the following question:

- **How can your attitude get you ahead in the workplace?**

Watch the video, then answer the given question in 60 seconds:

What are some types of bad attitudes at work?

Video



Source:

<http://www.dailymotion.com/video/x48km0e>



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Listen and repeat. Then, choose a word to define.

1. **Reserved (adj)** /rɪ'zɜːrvd/

2. **Colleague (n)** /'kɒliːg/

3. **Enthusiastic (adj)** /ɪnˌθuːzi'æstɪk/

4. **Recognize (v)** /'rekəɡnaɪz/

5. **Distribute (v)** /'dɪstrɪbjʊːt/

6. **Sluggish (adj)** /'slʌɡɪʃ/

Make a sentence using that word.

Example: *We were friends and **colleagues** for more than 20 years.*



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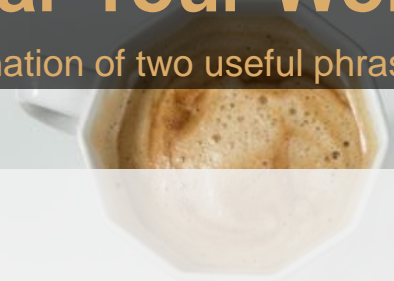
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Wear Your Words

Explanation of two useful phrasal verbs:



Play along with something/somebody

to do what someone asks you to do, for a limited period of time



Act up

to behave badly



Examples:

- I know you don't like Jack's idea, but just **play along with him** for a while.
- The kids started **acting up**.

Make a sentence using one of the given phrasal verbs.



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Structure:

Collaborate (with sb) + in sth/in doing sth

***Example:** She agreed to **collaborate with him in writing** her biography.*

Make a sentence using the given structure.



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Pair Work: In 180 seconds, discuss with your partner some benefits of having a positive attitude in the workplace.

Suggestions:

- ✓ Improve your productivity
- ✓ Happy peers
- ✓ Job security: a bad attitude can get you fired
- ✓ Improve the ability to cope with stress
- ✓ Help to achieve goals
- ✓ Create a positive environment
- ✓ Etc.



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Assessment Form

Here are some comments on your performance.

Student	Pronunciation	Vocabulary	Grammar
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Feel free to ask if you have any questions!



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- ✓ Vocabulary related to attitudes in the workplace
- ✓ **Two phrasal verbs:**
 - ✓ **Play along with sb/sth**
 - ✓ **Act up**
- ✓ **Structure: Collaborate (with sb) + in sth/in doing sth**
- ✓ Discussion about some benefits of having a positive attitude in the workplace



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Homework

Complete your mission and find more in related lessons.

Your mission	<ul style="list-style-type: none">✓ Take note of what you need to improve (Vocabulary, Grammar and Pronunciation)✓ Practice the related lessons in the course browser here (It doesn't apply to all students)✓ Take those lessons
Recommendations	<ul style="list-style-type: none">✓ 48-working lunch (#0354)✓ 133-business vocabulary (#0191)
<div><p>Rất hài lòng</p><p>★★★★★</p><p>Nhấn vào ngôi sao để đánh giá</p><p>Tôi hài lòng nhất</p><div><div> Giảng viên</div><div> Chất lượng kỹ thuật</div><div> Học liệu</div></div></div>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">✓ Please don't forget to rate our lesson today



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