

That's a Valid Point

How to Disagree (Politely) with Classmates

Task 1.3



Pre Task

“I see what you’re saying but...”

“I understand where you’re coming from, but...”

“That’s a valid point, but...”

“I’m sorry but I disagree with you about this.”

<https://www.onfocus.news/why-is-the-sky-yellow-today/>

<https://spaceplace.nasa.gov/blue-sky/en/#:~:text=Blue%20light%20is%20scattered%20in,a%20lighter%20blue%20or%20white.>

What are some prominent features of this dialect of English that you notice?



TASK Goal and Directions

Disagree politely with your classmates.

1. Choose your argument
2. Find research to back up your claim
3. Debate with your classmates

1. Choose your argument

Argument:

The recreational use of marijuana **should be/should not be** legal in all fifty of the United States.

<https://www.usnews.com/news/best-states/articles/where-is-marijuana-legal-a-guide-to-marijuana-legalization>

2. Find research to back up your claim

Come up a main claim for your argument. Then research to find three points. Cite your research for each point.

3. Debate

Take turns
As you listen
them down

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How does the way
that Americans
argue/disagree differ
from that of
Spaniards?

Grammar:

Other criminals such as murder (murderers)

“Little crime” (minor crimes)

Bad impact (negative impact)

More hard drugs (harder drugs)

Hard health risks

Research has shown....

Pronunciation:

Drugs

Alcohol

Confusion

Fentanyl

finance

Practice-Conditional Tense

1. If I had known that you were coming, I _____ (prepare) a meal.
2. When you shower, your hair _____ (get) wet.
3. If I won the lottery, I _____ (buy) a nice car.
4. If you ask for help, you _____ (get) it.
5. I _____ (succeed) if I try.
6. If I _____ (hear) the news, I would have hurried home.

Practice-Conditional Tense

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2. When you shower, your hair **gets** wet.
3. If I won the lottery, I **would buy** a nice car.
4. If you ask for help, you **will get** it.
5. I **will succeed** if I try.
6. If I **had heard** the news, I would have hurried home.

Exit Ticket 1.3