

## LESSON PLAN – POLITENESS

Introduction	5 minutes	<p>Discussion:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Is it important to be polite?</li> <li>- Importance in professional, academic and personal settings.</li> </ul>
Mind map	10 minutes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Students work in groups of 2 to 4 with the worksheet</li> <li>- Write down ways that can be politeness expressed.</li> <li>- Indicate if it's specific to some culture.</li> </ul>
Discussion	10 minutes	<p>Discussion based on their mind maps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- What is polite in Czech culture?</li> <li>- Explain the differences between Informal and formal communication.</li> <li>- How politeness varies in different cultures.</li> </ul>
Examples	5 minutes	<p>Gestures Around the World Video (2 minutes) Discussion (3 minutes)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Do students know about any other gestures that have different meanings in different cultures?</li> </ul>
Personal Reflection	10 minutes	<p>Discussion in groups</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Have students been in a situation when some gesture was misinterpreted?</li> <li>- Share real-life experiences where politeness played a crucial role in communication success or failure.</li> </ul>
Conclusion	5 minutes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Summarization of the key points about politeness in communication.</li> <li>- Students each share one thing they learned.</li> </ul>

Link for the video: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qCo3wSGYRbQ>

