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4.1.1. A declarative statement that captures the main idea of a speech whi...

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A declarative statement that captures the main idea of a speech while using specific language and reflecting the characteristics of the speech's intended audience is called what?

Please choose only one answer:

- A thesis statement
- A speech map
- A rhetorical situation
- An audience platform
- An attention-getter

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According to the textbook, if you determine that the purpose of your speech is to both inform and persuade, what is the next step you should take?

Please choose only one answer:

- Analyze your audience.
- Merge the two purposes into a demonstration speech.
- Identify who, what, and where you will be speaking.
- Re-evaluate the assignment or goal to so you only have one purpose.
- Organize, focus, prepare, and deliver.

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Aimee wants to present an informative speech on global warming, but because of the community where she will speak, she knows it is likely that most of her audience will disagree with the information she provides, even if it is the first time they have encountered the information. Given the steps in the process of planning a speech, should Aimee proceed with her plans?

Please choose only one answer:

- No, because asking "Will my topic be interesting to my audience" is an important step.
- No, because her general purpose with that audience should be to persuade, not to inform.
- No, because dealing with their resistance will make it impossible for her to cover the topic in the time allotted.
- Yes, because disagreement and disinterest are not the same emotions.
- Yes, because the general purpose of a speech is determined by the speaker, not the audience.

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4.1.4. Charles does not think that the overweight African-American woman w...

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Charles does not think that the overweight African-American woman who has been asked to lecture on preparing horses for an international competition can provide useful information, so he gives his ticket to someone else, who proceeds to enjoy the lecture. Which of the following is it most apparent that Charles succumbed to?

Please choose only one answer:

- Stereotyping
- Prejudice
- Ethnocentrism
- Both A and B
- Both B and C

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Documents used to support the main idea of a speech should represent good reasoning and effective communication techniques. Which of the following would disqualify a document based on that standard?

Please choose only one answer:

- A document that draws conclusions based on inferences or interpretations of the data it presents
- A document that addresses a problem or controversy
- A document that articulates a specific frame of reference or viewpoint
- A document that does not identify the assumptions, concepts, or ideas its content is based on
- All of the above

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Laetitia is representing a solar panel company at a home builder's convention. Her job is to explain to builders how easy it is to install rooftop solar panels, so they will recommend the product to their clients. What is the general purpose of Laetitia's presentation?

Please choose only one answer:

- To inform
- To persuade
- To demonstrate
- To entertain
- To perform a ritual

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What is an effective way to adapt your speeches to diverse settings?

Please choose only one answer:

- Avoid expressing your values to audiences you are unfamiliar with.
- Find opportunities to learn about other cultures.
- Be prepared for problems with conflicting perceptions.
- Never speak to diverse audiences if you will not be able to clarify your material with question-and-answer periods.
- Warn your audience that they may be uncomfortable with some of your speech's contents.

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4.1.8. What is the first aspect of developing a speech which you must ackn...

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What is the first aspect of developing a speech which you must acknowledge before planning anything else?

Please choose only one answer:

- Why you are speaking
- Who your audience will be
- When you will speak
- Where you will speak
- What your topic will be

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What is the problem with failing to credit your sources of information or visuals in a business presentation?

Please choose only one answer:

- It is plagiarism.
- It could be considered fraud.
- It could result in embarrassment.
- It could increase your anxiety.
- All of the above

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Which of the following is an example of how role identities can become a barrier to effective communication?

Please choose only one answer:

- A recent German immigrant discusses social mobility in Europe with an audience of Canadians.
- A business executive is the guest lecturer for a graduate-level class studying supply-side economics.
- A nurse shows a group of diabetic children how to help their parents choose healthy foods when they go shopping.
- A woman argues to a jury that is half men and half women that a convicted rapist should receive the maximum penalty.
- A teenager whose father suffers from post-traumatic stress syndrome (PTSD) is the guest on a radio show in which the host asks her many questions about the impact of PTSD on its victims.

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4.1.11. Which of the following is NOT a general purpose for a speech?

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Which of the following is NOT a general purpose for a speech?

Please choose only one answer:

- To inform
- To demonstrate
- To persuade
- To entertain
- None of the above

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4.1.12. Which of the following is weak as a specific purpose for a speech?

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Which of the following is weak as a specific purpose for a speech?

Please choose only one answer:

- To inform an audience about the company's new packaging material
- To convince clients to adopt safer driving strategies by using the Zanco Braking Tracker
- To lead a discussion about ways to increase group productivity
- To toast the company's 50th anniversary
- All of the above

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Which of the following letter-number pairs accurately connects the terms in the graphic below with their explanations?

A. Sensitivity	 Incorporating new ideas in the way you think
B. Exposure	Putting the parts of the speech together
C. Assimilation	Responding or being susceptible to new information
D. Accommodation	 Including or excluding information based on how it relates to your goal
E. Incubation	Re-examining the speech to correct or improve it
F. Incorporation	Integrating new information into an already whole or complete topic
G. Production	Encountering ideas through direct experience
H. Revision	Working through an idea in your mind

Please choose only one answer:

- A-8, B-7, C-3, D-5
- A-8, B-6, C-1, D-3
- A-3, B-7, C-1, D-4
- A-2, B-4, C-5, D-1
- None of the above

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4.1.14. Which of the following statements about types of cultures is FALSE?

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Which of the following statements about types of cultures is FALSE?

Please choose only one answer:

- Individualistic cultures focus on the principles behind behavior rather than the rules that govern behavior.
- Explicit-rule cultures make sure that people know the rules by discussing or displaying rules frequently.
- Collectivistic cultures emphasize the community's needs over the individual's needs.
- Uncertainty-rejecting cultures dislike ambiguity.
- None of the above

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Which of the following thought processes reflects how you should consider whether you can cover your speech topic in time?

Please choose only one answer:

- You consider how broad your topic is and whether you can narrow it down enough to cover it in the time allotted.
- You consider how challenging your purpose is and whether you have the time to accomplish it in sufficient depth in your speech.
- You think about the chronological relationships between the points you intend to make.
- You think about how much you know about the topic and how much research you will have to do to fill in the gaps in your knowledge.
- You think about when the speech will take place and how that timing will affect your audience's receptiveness.

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4.1.16. You use pictures of buildings found on the Internet to show the col...

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You use pictures of buildings found on the Internet to show the colors available for your company's steel building. Because you are just using the pictures to show colors, not the buildings themselves, is this an ethical use of material?

Please choose only one answer:

- Yes, because you are using the pictures just to show colors, not to sell buildings.
- No, because all pictures on the Internet are protected by copyrights.
- Yes, because you would not talk about the buildings shown in the pictures.
- No, because even if you do not talk about the buildings, the audience might still think that your company built them.
- Yes, because you would check the terms of use of the pictures you found on the Internet and only use ones that gave specific permission for you to use them for noncommercial purposes.

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