Presentation skills: Conveying emotion

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In Class (Instructor)

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Begin Here.

Instructor divides the class into two groups.

Instructor explains the following instructions to the class: Pick a partner from the opposite group and you will present to them what you ate for breakfast this morning.

Instructor explains privately to Group 1 that they will present in the most bummed out way and privately to Group 2 that they will present in the most excited way.

Students pair off and present to one another. **01**

The class gets into a circle and discusses what they think happened when they were presenting to one another. **02**

Instructor explains what she told each group to do and explains how conveying moods is an important part of giving a good presentation; if people are bored, it means the presenter may be conveying a bored mood. Students are encouraged to practice picking a mood and conveying it in their presentations (e.g. inspiring, moving, funny, call to arms, etc.).

- Work in Groups
- Whole Class
- Discussion
- Present
- Instruction

Bloom's Taxonomy

- Remember
- Understand
- Apply
- Analyze
- Evaluate
- Create