

LISTENING

I'm a little early, aren't I?



Watch the video and answer the questions.

- 1. Why does Marie look stressed?**
She needs to prepare information for Mr. Rashid's group.
Mr. Evans will arrive soon.
Cheryl is a very strict boss.
- 2. Who is the woman waiting for?**
Paul
Marie
Mr. Evans
- 3. Why does the woman have to wait?**
She is early.
Marie is late.
Mr. Evans is late.
- 4. Is Marie married?**
Yes (Mrs.)
No (Miss)
Unknown (Ms.)

5. Where is Marie from?

Paris

Athens

Chicago

6. How is the weather today?

Rainy

Cold

Beautiful

7. Why is Marie unable to finish her work?

Cheryl is too strict.

Marie works very slowly.

The woman keeps asking questions.

8. Where does Cheryl take the woman?

On a tour of the office

To Mr. Evan's office

To the lounge

9. What is the woman's name?

Mrs. Beatty

Ms. Beatty

Miss Beatty

Watch the video again, and choose the best option to fill the blank.



Cheryl: Marie, can I have that information for Mr. Rashid's group? He'll be here in a few minutes.

Marie: I'm working as fast as I can. Mr. Evans will be with you very soon.

Mrs. Beatty: That's fine. I'm a little early,

Marie: Just a few minutes.

Mrs. Beatty: Is your last name pronounced "Le-PAIGE"?

Marie: It's "Le-PAHGE," actually.

Mrs. Beatty: Oh, that's beautiful.

Marie: Thank you.

Mrs. Beatty: Now, is it Ms. LePage or Mrs. LePage?

Marie: Um, it's Ms., but you can call me by my first name.

Mrs. Beatty: Do you mind if I call you Ms. LePage? I love the way it sounds.

Marie: That's fine.

Mrs. Beatty: I'm keeping you from your work,

Marie: I'm sorry. I'd love to talk, but I really have to get this done right away.

Mrs. Beatty: I understand. You're not from here,

Marie: Excuse me?

Mrs. Beatty: Your accent. You come from France,

Marie: Yes. Paris, actually.

Mrs. Beatty: That's nice. It sure is a beautiful day,

Marie: Mmm-hmm.

Cheryl: Can I have that information?

Marie: I'm not quite done.

Cheryl: What's taking so long? Mrs. Beatty, I can take you to Mr. Evans's office. He'll be here shortly.

Mrs. Beatty: Why, thank you. Beautiful day,

Cheryl: Yes, it is.

Did you know?

We can use the word "why" as an expression of surprise, excitement, admiration, shock, or anger.

