

Politely Disagreeing

Complete the phrases for politely disagreeing from the video about politely disagreeing. The first letter has been given as a clue but in your answer include the full word including the letter that was given as a clue.

All answers words answer are in lower case (e.g., d,l,j,e, etc.)

E.g.,

D____ y____ k____ w____ l m____ =

Do you know what I mean?

How do you show that you understand the other person's opinion?

- Y_____, b_____, d_____, y_____, t_____, t_____, ...?
- P_____, b_____, I c_____, h_____, t_____,
t_____, ...
- T_____, b_____, I'_____, a_____, I d_____, (with)...
- I k_____, w_____, y_____, m_____, b_____,
- I s_____, w_____, y_____, s_____, b_____

How do you apologize before introducing your disagreement?

- o I'_____ s_____ b_____ I d_____a_____ t_____
- o I'_____ s_____ b_____ I d_____ a_____
- o I a_____ a_____ I d_____ a_____...
- o S_____, b_____ I r_____ c_____ a_____t_____ t_____

How do you pretend to be in the middle or unsure about your position?

- o I a_____ n_____ s_____ I a_____ w_____y_____ o_____
- o Hmm, I w_____ i____i_____ t_____ t_____....
- o Hmm, I'_____ n_____ s_____ w_____ i_____p_____
- o Hmm, I'_____ n_____ s_____ i____c_____ w_____l____t_____

How do you avoid being negative?

- I d_____ t_____ t_____ s_____ a g_____
i_____
- I d_____ t_____ l c_____ a_____
w_____ y_____
- I'_____ n_____ s_____ i_____ t_____
b_____ i_____

How do you emphasise your disagreement politely more strongly?

- I r_____ d_____
- I'_____ l d_____ s_____ i_____ t_____
w_____
- I'_____ s_____ l h_____ a c_____ d_____
o_____ o_____ t_____
- W_____ w_____ h_____ t_____ a_____ t_____
d_____