

INTERCHANGE 1 - VIDEO CLASS

UNIT 1 - Are you Evan Chu?

Preview

1 CULTURE

In North America, people go to conferences to learn more about their work, their hobbies, and other interests. At conferences, people usually don't know each other. They wear name tags to make it easier to meet each other and to help them remember new names. People at conferences usually use each other's first names.



2 VOCABULARY - At a conference

Here are some conference words and phrases. Write the words and phrases under the pictures.

clerk	name tag	introducing yourself	participant
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1. _____



2. _____



3. _____



4. _____

3 GUESS THE STORY

Watch the first minute of the video with the sound off.

What do you think happens to Mike? Check (✓) your answer.

- ☐ Mike uses the wrong name tag.
- ☐ Mike changes his name to Evan Chu.
- ☐ Mike doesn't use any name tag.



Watch the video

4 GET THE PICTURE

A Check your answer to Exercise 3. Did you guess correctly?

B Put the pictures in the correct order (1 to 4). Then write the correct sentence from the video under each picture. Compare with a partner.

"Excuse me. This isn't mine."

"Good to see you! How's it going?"

"Hi. I'm Evan Chu."

"Hi, Rachel. Good to meet you."

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5 WATCH FOR DETAILS

Check (✓) the correct answers. Then compare with a partner.

1. Mike's last name is _____.

☐ O'Neill☐ Chu☐ Anderson

2. Linda and Mike are probably _____.

☐ Friends☐ family☐ strangers

3. The clerk gives Evan _____.

☐ no name tag☐ a new name tag☐ Linda's name tag

4. Mike is wearing _____.

☐ his name tag☐ Bill's name tag☐ Evan's name tag

5. There are _____ name tags for Evan Chu.

☐ Three☐ two☐ zero

6 WHAT'S YOUR OPINION?

Check (✓) your opinion. Then compare with a partner.



1. When the clerk can't find Evan's name tag, how does she feel?

- ☐ angry
- ☐ amused
- ☐ confused

2. When Evan meets Rachel and Mike, how does he feel?

- ☐ pleased
- ☐ amused
- ☐ surprised

3. When Mike realizes he has Evan's name tag, how does he feel?

- ☐ angry
- ☐ embarrassed
- ☐ pleased



angry



confused



embarrassed



pleased

Language close-up

8 WHAT DID THEY SAY?

Watch the video and complete the conversation. Then practice it.
Mike, Bill, and Rachel introduce themselves.

Mike: Hi, _____ Mike _____.

Bill: What did you say your name was _____?

Mike: _____ Mike. Mike O'Neill.

Bill: _____ I'm Bill. Bill _____.

_____ to meet you, . . . Mike.

Mike: Good to _____ you, _____.

Rachel: Hi. _____.

Bill: Hi. _____ me.

Rachel: Hi, I'm Rachel Stevens. _____ to the conference.

Mike: Hi, Rachel. _____ to meet you. And, _____ do you do?

Rachel: I, um, I have _____ own business. I'm an interior _____, but I volunteer with the History Association. Are you from _____ here?

Mike: Oh, no. I'm _____ Chicago.

Rachel: Chicago. Nice _____.

Mike: _____ you.



9 QUESTIONS WITH BE

A Complete the questions with is or are.

1. _____ Mike's last name Chu?
2. _____ Mike and Evan conference participants?
3. _____ Evan and Bill friends?
4. _____ Rachel a participant?
5. _____ Mike an interior designer?

10 WH-QUESTIONS Getting to know people

A Complete these questions with is, are, do, or does.

1. What _____ Evan's last name?
2. Where _____ Mike from?
3. Who _____ the participants?
4. What _____ Rachel do?
5. Where _____ Evan's first name tag?