

Disagree in a discussion



Use this in a class discussion to add to an idea, question it or push back.

1 Build
Add to what someone said. Name them first.

2 Ask
Ask for the evidence behind an idea.

3 Disagree
Disagree with the idea, not the person, and give a reason.

4 Revise
Say when you change your mind, and what changed it.

Example from Case 1

Question: Should the crew say why they think the clip was posted?

- 1 Adding to Ana’s point: no document says who cut the clip.
- 2 Which document shows the poster wanted drama?
- 3 I see it differently. A guess could start a new argument.
- 4 I wanted to call the poster out. Now I’d post only the facts.

⚠ Watch out: Talk about the evidence, not about people you know.



Sentence frames

I want to add to what ___ said.
I see it differently, because ____.
I used to think _____. Now I think _____.

