

## Lesson 05: Using Humor

### Warm-up Questions:

Do you think you are funny? Do you know any jokes?

Who is the funniest person you know? What makes him/her funny?

How important is a good sense of humor in your business culture? Are you guys serious or relaxed in the business environment?

### Vocabulary/Expressions:

Dad joke

Office/class clown

Lighten the mood

Corny/cheesy joke

Punch line

To downplay

Sarcasm

Easing tension

Uptight

### Practice Questions:

What are some ways to **lighten the mood** in the office or in a meeting?

Do you know anyone who is **uptight**? How do you feel about him/her?

How do you feel about **office/class clowns**? Were you a class clown in school?

What do you usually do when someone tells you a **cheesy joke**?

How do you feel when people give you **sarcasm**?

**Fun Day:** You and your partner are responsible for a fun day at work. Plan and discuss fun activities or competitions. Then create a poster/flyer to inform the coworkers.

Activities:

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