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## Seeing Both Sides

**Directions:** Read the short scenario below. Then think about the situation from both people's points of view. Write a short paragraph explaining how using empathy can change the outcome of the conflict.

### Scenario: The Group Presentation Disagreement

Taylor and Jordan are partners for a final school presentation. Taylor prefers to start early and practice every detail, while Jordan believes they work better under pressure and wants to wait until the last few days. When Taylor reminds Jordan to start working, Jordan becomes irritated and says, "You're stressing too much!" Taylor feels disrespected and frustrated.

1. How might Taylor feel in this situation?

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2. How might Jordan feel in this situation?

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3. What misunderstanding might be causing the conflict?

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4. How could empathy help Taylor and Jordan find common ground?

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5. Write a short paragraph explaining how empathy could change the outcome of this situation.

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