

Polite Pairings

Directions: Read each situation below. Then, match it to the polite phrase or tone that best fits. Think about whether the person in the situation is a **peer**, an **adult**, or an **authority** figure. Write the correct polite phrase beside each number.

Situations:

1. You want to borrow a pencil	Polite Phrases/Tones:
from your classmate.	A. "Please."
2. You walk into your classroom	
and see your teacher.	B. "Good morning, Mrs. Lopez."
3. You bump into your friend by accident in the hallway.	C. "I'm sorry."
4. You ask your principal for help finding your missing lunchbox.	D. "Thank you for helping us stay
5. You thank your mom for	safe."
helping with your homework.	E. "Thanks, Mom."
6. You ask your neighbor if you	
can pet their dog.	F. "Could I pet your dog, please?"
7. You remind your little brother	
to share his toys.	G. "Remember to take turns, okay?"
8. You see a police officer helping students cross the street and	H. "Excuse me, Principal Carter, can
want to thank them.	you help me?"

