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learning tools

song

I Second That Emotion

Smokey Robinson and The Miracles

movie

Good Will Hunting

(Starring Matt Damon and Ben Affleck)

website

American Psychological Association

<http://www.apa.org>

key vocabulary

- Sharp
- Easygoing
- Patient
- Perceptive
- Respond
- Handle
- Enthusiastic
- Positive
- Motivation
- Logic
- Setback
- Awareness
- Disappointed
- Department
- Empathy
- Negative

key idioms and slang

- dwell on
- swallow one's pride
- high-spirited
- make allowances for
- take in stride
- put yourself in my shoes
- make a fuss
- people skills

key structure

Indirect Speech

She said that she wouldn't be able to come to the party.

conversation starters

- Have you heard the term Emotional Intelligence? What do you think Emotional Intelligence is?
- What are some examples of good 'people skills'?
- What are some careers where empathy is important?
- What are some of the advantages of having strong self-motivation?
- In which area do you think your EQ is highest: self-awareness, self-control or self-motivation?