

Unit 5 Quiz audio script

A [Track 6] Listen to a call-in radio show. Then check the correct answers.

Eliza: Welcome to *Ask Eliza*, the radio show about manners. Our first caller is Jonathan. Hello, Jonathan. What's your question today?

Jonathan: Well, I just got a new job, and I'm going to a big company dinner next weekend. All the directors and managers will be there, so I'm pretty nervous!

Eliza: Let me guess. You've never been to a formal dinner before.

Jonathan: That's right.

Eliza: And you're wondering what's appropriate and what's considered bad form.

Jonathan: Exactly. I just don't know what to say.

Eliza: Well, talking about your personal life isn't a good idea. And asking your co-workers and managers personal questions can be considered inappropriate.

Jonathan: So what do people talk about?

Eliza: At these kinds of events, it's typical to talk about less personal topics such as travel, weather, and entertainment. Have you seen any good movies lately?

Jonathan: Yeah! I just saw *Crazy Motorcycle Killers*. What a great movie!

Eliza: Uh . . . killers? Maybe that's not such a good one to talk about. What are you reading these days?

Jonathan: Hmm. Oh! I'm reading a biography about David Beckham. It's really interesting!

Eliza: That's better. You can talk a little about that. But be sure to ask questions, too. It's always best to listen more than you talk, especially when you're new.

Jonathan: OK. I feel a little more prepared now. Thanks, Eliza!

Eliza: No problem, Jonathan! And remember: Have a good time!