

Unit 11 Quiz audio script

A [Track 12] Listen to a conversation between two students, Mike and Liz. Then check true or false.

Mike: What are you studying, Liz?

Liz: Oh, hi, Mike. I have a test in my Women in History class.

Mike: Women in History? That sounds interesting.

Liz: Yeah, we've studied a lot of women I'd never even heard of!

Mike: Like who?

Liz: Well, like Constance Cummings-John, for example. She was this widely respected West African who fought for the education of young women in Sierra Leone when women had no rights at all.

Mike: Wow! Who else have you learned about?

Liz: Let's see. There's Jeannette Rankin, who was the first female member of the United States Congress. She had helped win the right to vote for women in her home state of Montana. And as a congresswoman, she was one of the very few who opposed the war in 1917. And for that, she lost the next election.

Mike: So she stood up for what she believed in, even though it was a highly unpopular viewpoint.

Liz: That's right. And there are a lot of other women like her. This class has been fascinating.

Mike: Cool. Maybe I'll sign up for it next semester. But . . . will there be . . . you know, anyone like me in the class?

Liz: You mean, will you be the only guy in the class?

Mike: Well, yeah! I don't want to be the only one.

Liz: Actually, there are more men than women in my class.

Mike: That's surprising.

Liz: Yeah, but I guess people have heard what a great class it is. Hey, I've got to go. I have a lot more studying to do!

Mike: OK. See you later.

Liz: Bye, Mike.