

### Unit 3: Working Together

#### Reading 2: Working Together for Success

Answer the questions as you read.

1. Where is the thesis or main idea of the whole reading stated? \_\_\_\_\_  
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2. What is the problem Andrew Brennen describes in paragraph 2? \_\_\_\_\_  
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3. What does it mean to “have a voice”? (paragraph 3) \_\_\_\_\_  
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4. What is the topic sentence in paragraph 4? What are the supporting ideas and details?  
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5. How is the subhead (Develop self-respect and confidence in your team) supported in paragraphs 5–7? \_\_\_\_\_  
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6. List the people who stayed focused on the goal, not on their own achievements, in paragraphs 8–10. \_\_\_\_\_  
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7. What is the purpose of paragraphs 11 and 12? \_\_\_\_\_  
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8. Based on the statement in paragraph 13, “...one of the climbers spoke the words they had all been thinking,” what can you infer about how the other climbers felt about the decision to turn around? \_\_\_\_\_  
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9. What does the writer do in the concluding paragraph? (paragraph 14) \_\_\_\_\_  
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