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PREPARING TO PARTICIPATE
Chapter 5: Choosing Topics

(Student Preparation—Knowledge)

(Student Participation—Application)

<p>5.1 Brainstorming Name the three things to consider when selecting a topic for any presentation. Describe two ways to generate ideas for a topic.</p> <p>5.2 Purpose Statements Define the difference between informative and persuasive speeches.</p> <p>5.3 Specific Purpose Statements What are the guidelines for writing specific purposes?</p> <p>5.4 Thesis Statements Define “thesis statement,” and list the five components that should be included.</p>	<p>5.1 Brainstorming Brainstorm at least three topics you would consider significant. Brainstorm and list at least three topics you would not consider significant. Explain what makes them significant or not.</p> <p>5.2 Purpose Statements What are the implications of making persuasive arguments in an informative speech? Discuss the difference in the speaker’s role when giving an informative speech versus a persuasive speech.</p> <p>5.3 Specific Purpose Statements Think about how the specific purpose statement will help you make decisions as you research your topic.</p> <p>5.4 Thesis Statements Why is it important to have a clear thesis statement? What are the implications of not providing a clear thesis statement to the audience?</p>
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