

## UNIT 12: RECEIVING AN EMAIL LESSON 2: REPLYING TO EMAIL

### LESSON OVERVIEW

At the bottom of your email, you will see a field that says, “Click here to reply or forward.” When you click the word reply hyperlink, a new compose message will appear. You will see that the to field already has the email address that you are replying to in it. Your reply will have the same subject line. The email message that was sent to you will be under the new email. You will write your reply in the body and click send. Remember, be careful when you are sharing. You do not share information that is not yours to share-- like someone else’s email.

**Time:** ~30 minutes

### OBJECTIVE

Student is able to receive an email with a Gmail account.

### PRINT PREPARATION

1. Print this lesson’s Dollar Tracker
2. Review sequence of activities in lesson.
3. Learn which supplements you will use.
4. Print/Copy/Laminate materials that fit your student’s needs.
5. Refer to your Level 2 Guide to read about effective practices

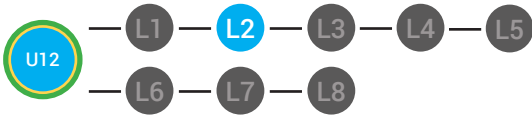
### ONLINE REVIEW

1. Sign into Digitability
2. Click **LESSONS** tab
3. Select **Level 2 - Digital Citizen**
4. Select **Unit 12**
5. Select **Lesson 2 - Replying to Email**

### WORKPLACE BEHAVIOR FOCUS FOR THIS UNIT




Using the Dollar Tracker, select two additional behaviors that you will target throughout the course of this unit. Always include participation/contribution in addition to the two new behaviors.



## LESSON PLAN

### WARM UP



1. Distribute Replying to Email Warm-up 12.2.1. See  DIFFERENTIATION for this activity to identify supplements needed for your students.



### DIFFERENTIATION



On-topic verbal respond; shared response



Writes response down in notebook on post-it OR rephrase prompt to a yes or no question



Tier 1 partner or support staff provide assistance for identifying who has to open this email by pointing to the recipient's name, or circling it.



2. Give immediate feedback to each student (see below). Record Workplace Behavior earnings and/or spending on the **Dollar Earnings Tracker**. [12.DollarTracker]

[NAME] + [BEHAVIOR] + [CONSEQUENCE] + [REPLACEMENT BEHAVIOR/REINFORCEMENT]

### +\$ PARTICIPATION

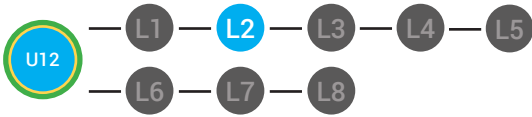
"Marcus + you answered correctly! You earned a dollar! Nice job!"

### -\$ INTERRUPTIONS

"Marcus + you interrupted. Interruptions cost \$1. Next time, raise your hand and wait to be called on to earn a \$1."



**Pro tip RULE #5-to-1:** The ratio for how we narrate behavior in a learning environment is 5:1. Meaning that you should be giving out \$5 to every \$1 that you take. It is important when implementing behavior modification systems that we utilize positive reinforcement more frequently than pointing out negative behavior.



3. "I'm setting a timer for three minutes. Number this list of activities from 1-3"



4. When the set time is up, say, "For a participation dollar, what did you choose as the first thing you must do in order to read an email?"

Repeat for second item on the list

5. Say, "For two participation dollars, what is the fourth step of receiving email?"

**Answer:** responding or replying

## GUIDED WATCHING



Call out earnings to the class, "[Student] has earned x dollars... for participating. [Student] has earned x dollars for participating and sharing. [Student] has earned x dollars..."



1. Ask, "What would happen if your boss sent you an email and you didn't reply?" **Reminder to call on at least four different students.**

**Possible Answers:** You can miss something important at work, you could get in trouble, even fired.



**Pro tip** Build confidence in your students: Identify students who have not earned money and focus on engaging them. Use differentiation tools if reluctant to participate. I.e. Have them point or write down their answers. EVERY student should be earning money.



2. Distribute **12.2.IMAGE** Image Exchange Cards to students. See **DIFFERENTIATION** for this activity to identify supplements needed for your students.



## DIFFERENTIATION

**T1**

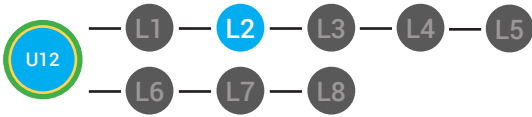
On-topic verbal response shared response

**T2**

Writes response down in notebook or on post-it OR rephrase prompt to a yes or no question


**T3**

Uses **Image Exchange cards** [12.2.IMAGE] to point to potential vocabulary word or icon representing "miss something important, get in trouble, get fired."



4. *"For a participation dollar, who can tell me the name of our next badge?"*



5. Distribute **12.BADGE** to students. See  **DIFFERENTIATION** for this activity to identify supplements needed for your students.



## DIFFERENTIATION

**T1**

Verbal Response

**T2**

Writes down badge

**T3**

Uses **Badge Board** [12.BADGE] for this Unit.

6. *"Do you think that being able to open an email in Gmail would be helpful in the workplace?"*



7. Ask, " For a participation dollar, what would you think if you sent an email to someone at work and they didn't respond?"

8. *"What do you think is an appropriate length of time between receiving an email and responding to it? What is an inappropriate time?"*

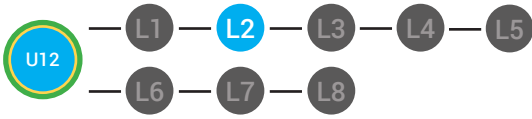



9. Bring attention to screen, *"Let's watch this lesson. I know that [student's name] is actively watching because he has his eyes on the screen and he is actively listening by giving a thumbs up when he hears the words contact."*

5. Ask students to give a thumbs up every time they hear and/or see the words **Replying to Email** in the video.



6. Play video.



7. Distribute **12.IEC.THUMB** to students. See  **DIFFERENTIATION** for this activity to identify supplements needed for your students.



## DIFFERENTIATION

**T1**

Puts thumbs up

**T2**

Uses **Thumbs Image Exchange Card** [12.IEC.THUMB]

**T3**

Holds up or points to **Thumbs Image Exchange Card** [12.IEC.THUMB]



8. Give immediate feedback to each student (see below). Record Workplace Behavior earnings and/or spending on the **Dollar Earnings Tracker**. [12.DollarTracker]

[NAME] + [BEHAVIOR] + [CONSEQUENCE] + [REPLACEMENT BEHAVIOR/REINFORCEMENT]

### +\$ PARTICIPATION

*"Marcus + you answered correctly!  
You earned a dollar! Nice job!"*

### -\$ OFF TASK

*"Marcus, you're off-task. Being off-task cost a dollar. Look at the screen and listen carefully to earn dollars for following direction/participating. Marcus, you're off-task. For every minute that you are not participating, it will cost a \$1. Look at the screen and listen carefully to earn dollars for following direction/participating."*



**Pro tip** Remember Rule #3: Avoid a power struggle to stay focused on instruction. We are helping students learn to self-regulate. Therefore it is important to give students time to opt, or identify their replacement behavior. If a student is not following directions, you have give them one minute (60 seconds) before taking additional dollars.



**Pro tip:** Use content domain to develop expressive communication. If a student gives a one-word answer or a fragment. Require a complete sentence before awarding the \$1. Then, use positive narration to reinforce the student's expressive communication.

*"I love how you used a complete sentence for your answer. Nice job earning a dollar!"*

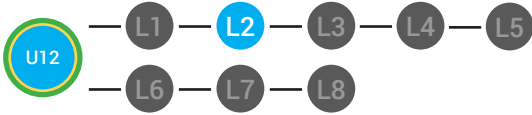
*"Yes, Nice job participating, [student]! You earned a participation dollar."*

## INFORMAL ASSESSMENT

1. Ask, *"For a participation dollar, who can tell me what happens with you click the "Reply"hyperlink in Gmail?"*

**Possible Answers:** a new, empty box pops up beneath the opened email, the to box automatically has the sender's email address in it.

2. Ask, *"For a participation dollar tell me, is the subject line in the reply box the same or is it different?"*




3. Ask, *“For a participation dollar, if I am done composing my email in the body of the box, what do I click?”*

4. Ask, *“For a participation dollar, what should I click if I want to share an email I have received with someone else?”*

Prompt students to use complete sentences to develop verbal ability and expressive communication.



5. Distribute **12.IEC.Y/N** to students. See  **DIFFERENTIATION** for this activity to identify supplements needed for your students.



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## DIFFERENTIATION

**T1** On-topic verbal response shared response

**T2** Writes response down in notebook, on post-it OR rephrase prompt to a yes or no question

**T3** Points to **Yes or No Image Exchange Card** [12.IEC.Y/N] for rephrased question.



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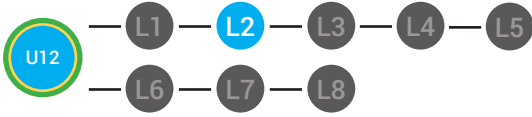
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raise your hand and wait to be called  
on to earn a \$1.”



Call out earnings to the class, *“[Student] has earned x dollars... for participating. [Student] has earned x dollars for participating and sharing. [Student] has earned x dollars...”*



## PLAY ACTIVITY VIDEO



1. Ask the class, *“Who would like to unlock the **Replying to Email** Badge for \$1?”*




**Pro tip:** Increase the dollar amount for shy students or to increase motivation.

**Click Activity Button to Play Activity Video**

2. Student discusses with class to choose the correct answer.
  - a. If student chooses correct answer, have student or whole class dance.
  - b. If student chooses incorrect answer, repeat Step 2 until student unlocks the badge.



3. Distribute lesson badge cut out **12.2.6** Students that unlocked the badge will place the **Replying to Email** print out on the classroom’s **word wall**. See  **DIFFERENTIATION** for this activity to identify supplements needed for your students.



## DIFFERENTIATION



Student will use verbal prompting to unlock the badge with the class.



Student will use verbal prompting and hand signals to unlock the badge with the class.



Student will use hand signals, pointing, prompting levels or adult/Tier 1 partner support to unlock the badge with the class.



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**ASSESSMENT/EXIT TICKET**



1. Distribute **12.2.7** Replying to Email Exit Ticket to students. See **DIFFERENTIATION** for this activity to identify supplements needed for your students.



**DIFFERENTIATION**

**T1**

Using Tier 1 **Replying to Email Exit Ticket** [12.2.7.1], students choose the order you would complete steps.

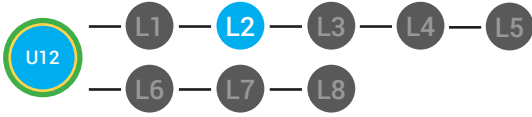
**T2**

Using Tier 2 **Replying to Email Exit Ticket** [12.2.7.2], students complete Vocab block about using email, or Trace ‘n’ Learn card [12.2.7.3].

**T3**

Using Tier 3 **Replying to Email Exit Ticket** [12.2.7.3], students complete Trace and Learn.





2. Give immediate feedback to each student (see below). Record Workplace Behavior earnings and/or spending on the **Dollar Earnings Tracker**. [12.DollarTracker]

[NAME] + [BEHAVIOR] + [CONSEQUENCE] + [REPLACEMENT BEHAVIOR/REINFORCEMENT]

<p><b>+\$ PARTICIPATION</b></p> <p><i>"Nice job, participating, Marcus. You earned a participation dollar. Let's hear more about your work."</i></p>	<p><b>-\$ OFF TASK</b></p> <p><i>"Marcus, you're off-task. Being off-task cost a dollar. Look at the screen and listen carefully to earn dollars for following direction/participating. Marcus, you're off-task. For every minute that you are not participating, it will cost a \$1. Look at the screen and listen carefully to earn dollars for following direction/participating."</i></p>
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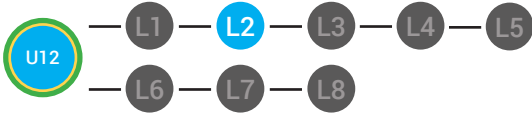
### IMMEDIATE FEEDBACK/NEXT STEPS

1. Read off Dollar Earnings Tracker and announce how many dollars each student earned during the lesson.
2. Students will fill in their dollar earnings from the lesson using their My Digitability Earnings sheet. Have students staple this sheet into their notebooks so they can use it for the entire unit.
3. If time permits, you can either have students log into their student accounts for independent practice or continue on to the next lesson plan.
4. Ask students what they will do with their money. Spend it or save it?



### DIFFERENTIATION

- T1** Login independently using **password cards**.
- T2** Login independently using **password card** with the help from a Tier 1 partner for any required troubleshooting.
- T3** Teacher or Tier 1 assistance to help student login using their **password card**.



**Behaviors**

**Name**

**Successful +\$**

Participation/  
Contributing

Sharing/Helping/  
Collaborating

Greeting a Guest

Following Directions/  
Staying on Task

Encouraging/  
Complementing

**Problematic -\$**

Off Task

Off-Topic/  
Inappropriate  
Comment

Disrespect/Teasing

Complaining/Whining

Arguing

Interrupting

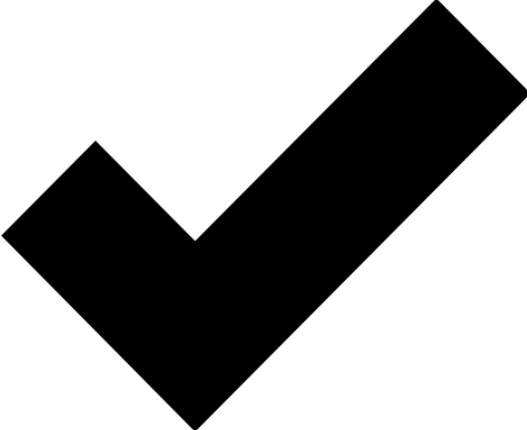
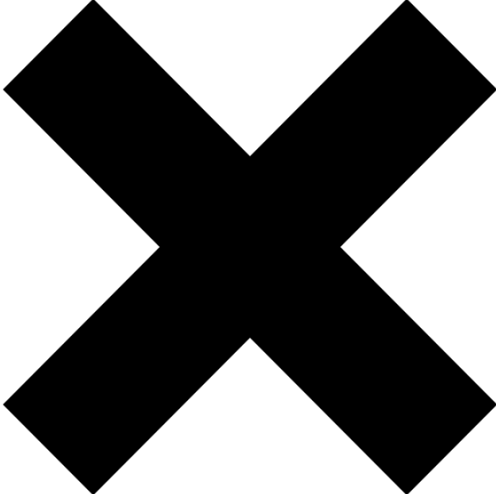
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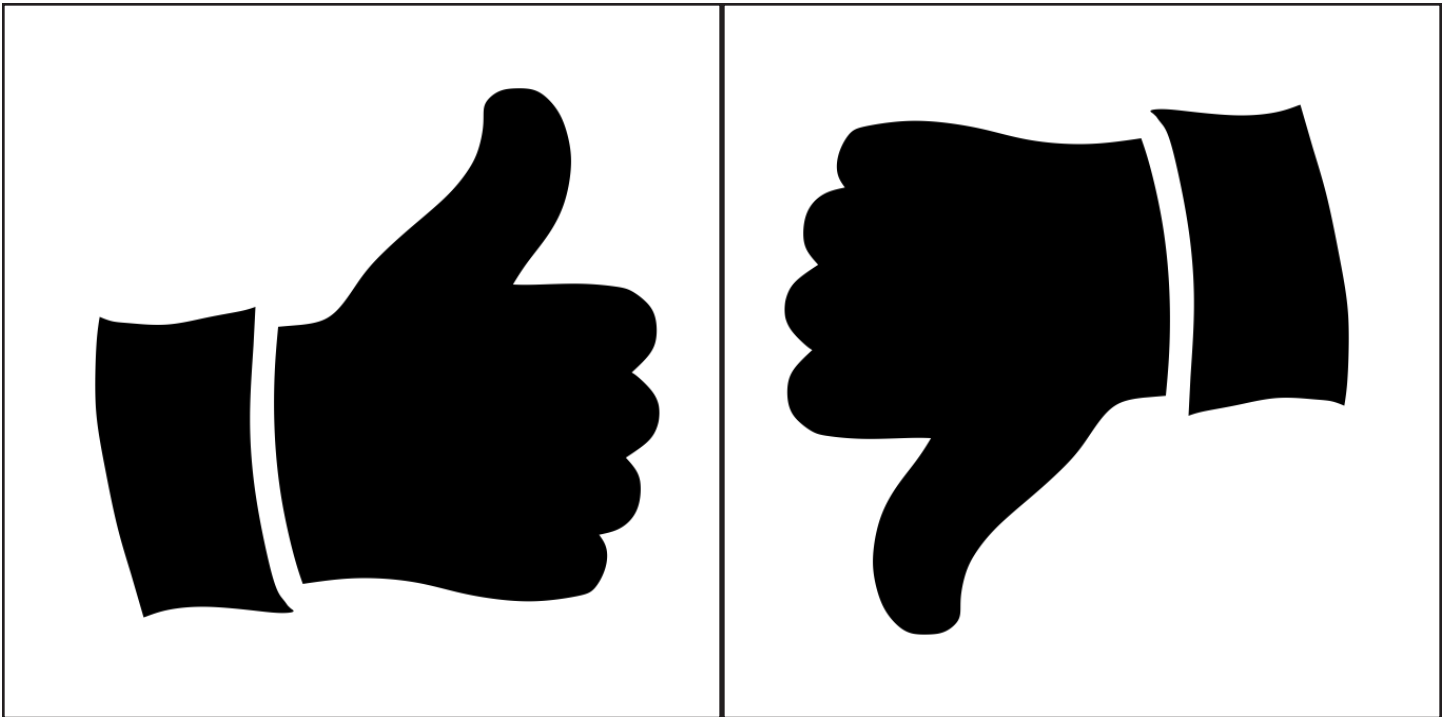
 **YES OR NO IMAGE EXCHANGE CARD**

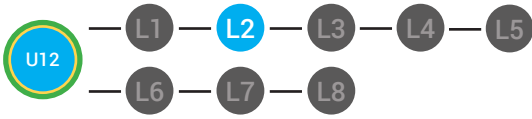
**12.IEC.Y/N**

 <p><b>Yes</b></p>	 <p><b>No</b></p>
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 **THUMBS IMAGE EXCHANGE CARD**  
**12.IEC.THUMB**

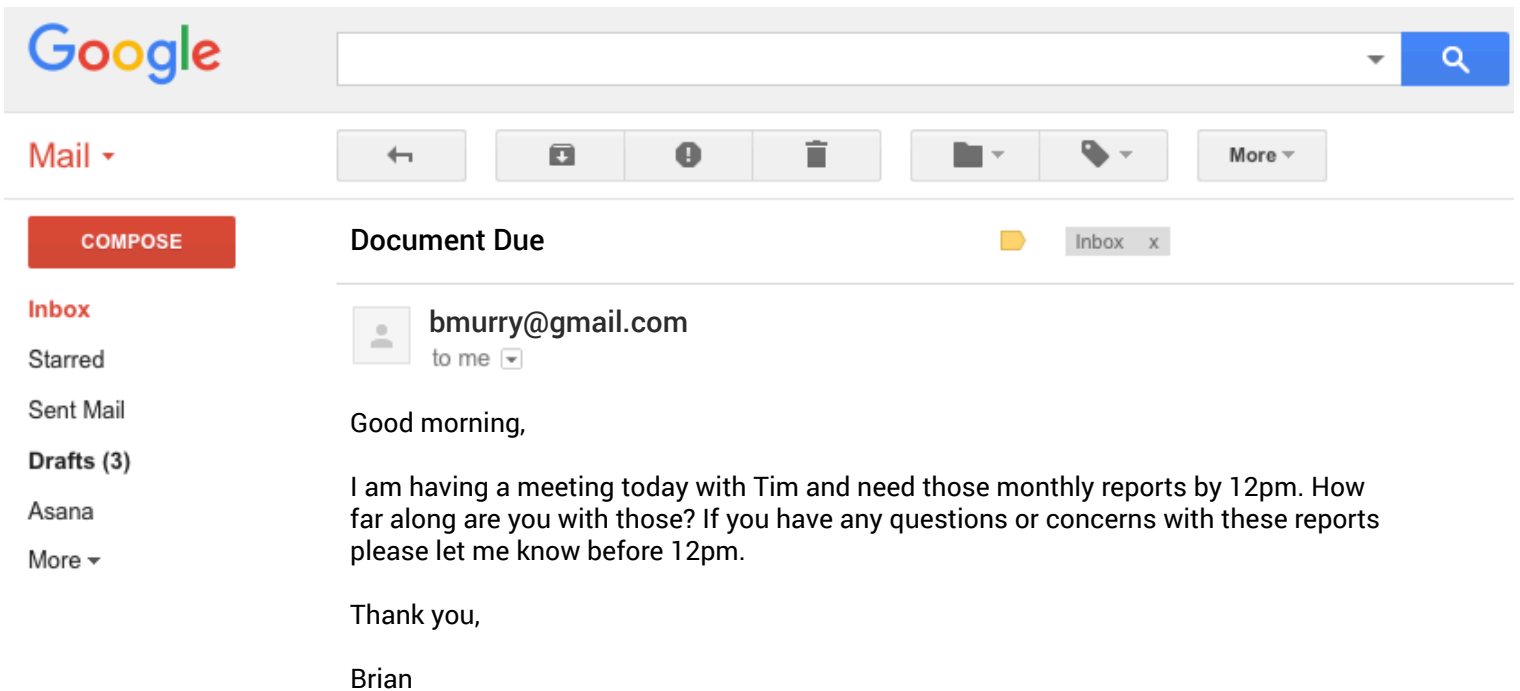




# T1 REPLYING TO EMAIL WARM-UP

## 12.2.1

**Directions:** Write 1, 2, 3 to order the steps, or point to the order they should be in. Write in the last step.



\_\_\_ Read email

\_\_\_ Click on email to open it

\_\_\_ Open your inbox

4th Step: \_\_\_\_\_



# IMAGE EXCHANGE CARDS

## 12.1.IMAGE

Directions: Cut out

Miss Something Important



Get in Trouble



Get Fired



Get in Trouble





Reading Email



Reply To Email



Forward An Email



Receiving Forwarded Email



Email Conversation



Open Attachments



Download Attachments



Receiving Email



# WORD WALL PRINTOUT

12.2.6



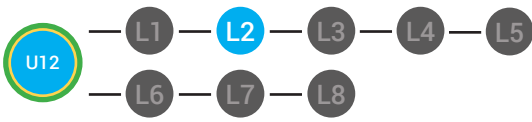
The To Field is where you type in the email address of the person you want to send the email to.



## DIFFERENTIATION

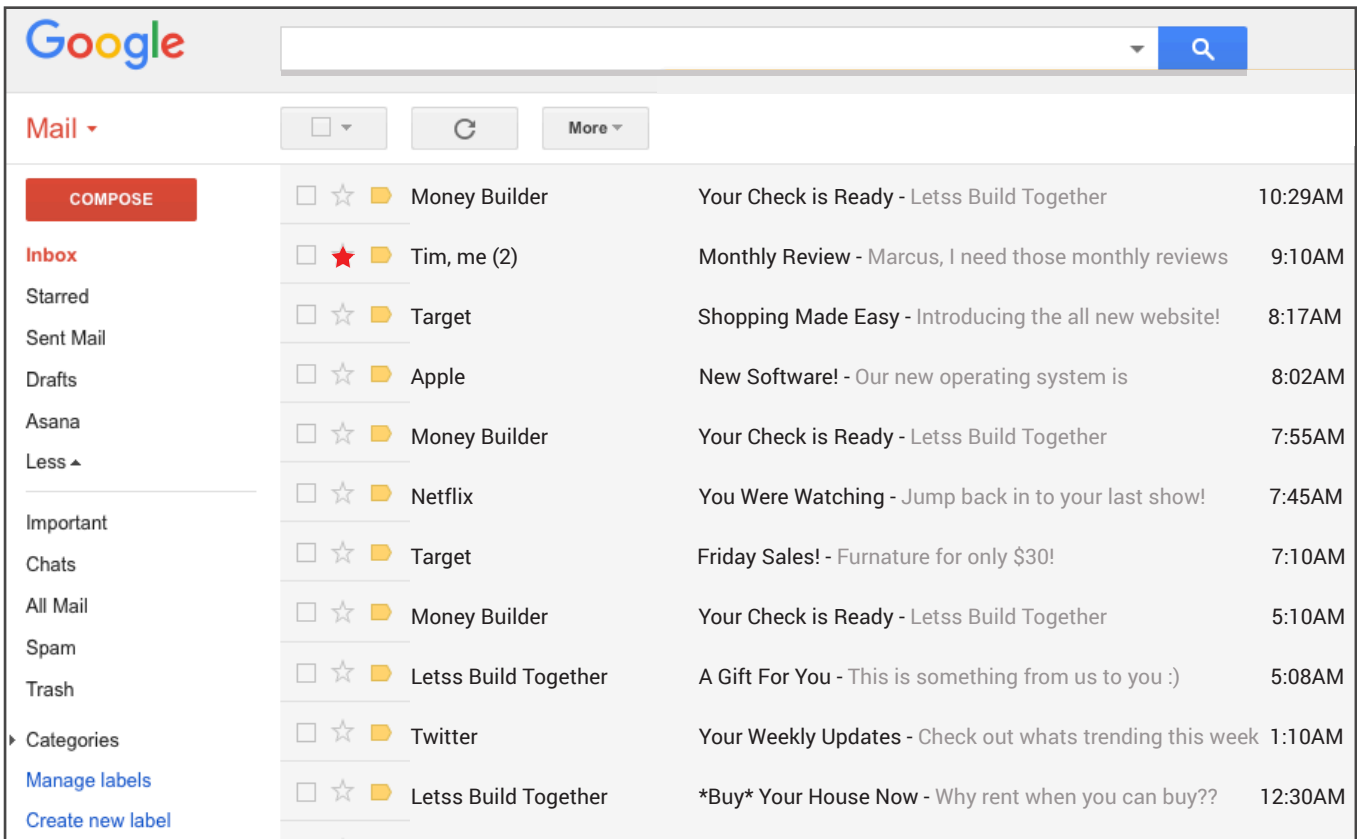
Choose to cut out badge and definition or only badge for your classroom wall.





**T1** REPLYING TO EMAIL EXIT TICKET  
REPLYING TO EMAIL ACTIVITY  
**12.2.7.1**

**Directions:** Choose the order you would complete these steps.



- \_\_\_ Read email
  - \_\_\_ Click on email to open it
  - \_\_\_ Open your inbox
- 4 \_\_\_\_\_



**T2** REPLYING TO EMAIL EXIT TICKET  
 VOCAB BLOCKS  
 12.2.7.2

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

<b>Define</b>	<b>Sentence</b>
<b>Examples</b>	<b>Draw</b>

**Replying to Email**



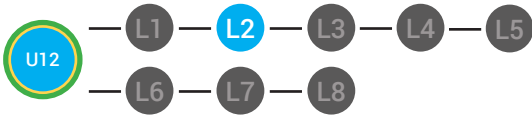
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REPLYING TO EMAIL EXIT TICKET  
TRACE 'N' LEARN CARDS

12.2.7.3

Replying to Email

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the email address  
of the person you  
want to send the  
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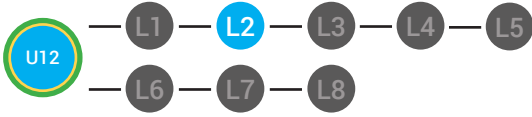


# WORKPLACE CONNECTIONS

## 12.2.WC.1

Marcus has been working for designsitesinc.com for about a month. He opens an email that his boss sent him. In the email, his boss says that she is impressed with his last project and she wants to know if he can start working on another assignment tomorrow. Marcus wants to reply yes.

**Directions:** Draft an email that Marcus should send to his peers and colleagues.



# WORKPLACE CONNECTIONS

## 12.2.WC.2

You receive the following email from Marcus: Hello Colleague, I am excited to share an update with you! I have been working at designsitesinc.com for two years and have developed many new skills. I will start a new job at animatecentral.com in two weeks. I will no longer have access to my marcus@designsitesinc.com email address. Please update my contact information. My new email address will be marcus@animatecentral.com. I look forward to hearing from you soon! Thanks! - Marcus

**Directions:** Draft a reply email to marcus

New Message

Recipients

Subject

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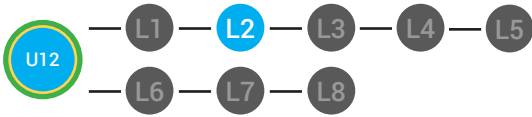
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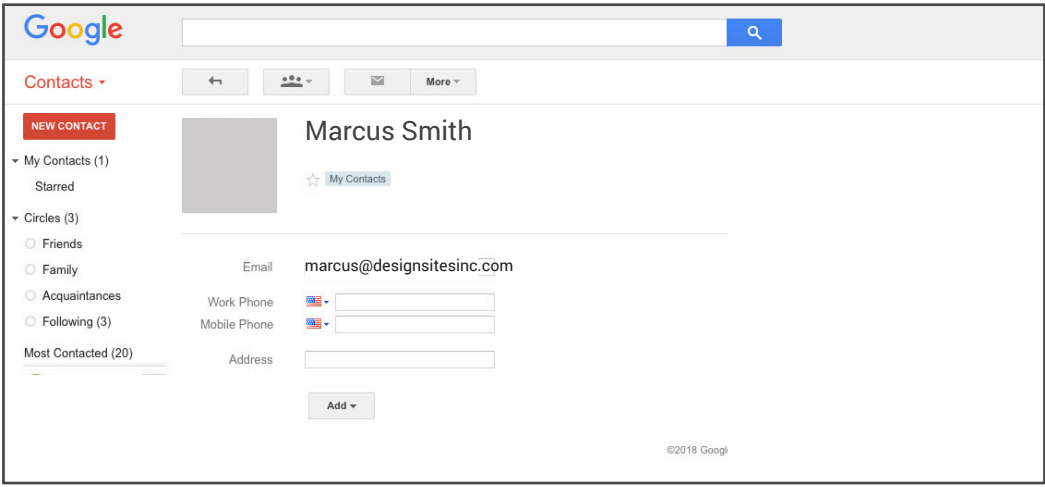
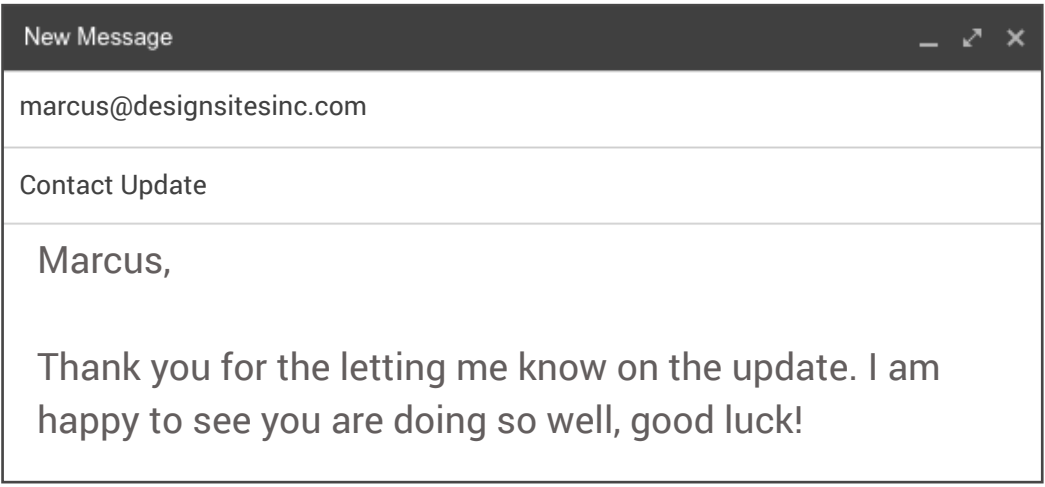


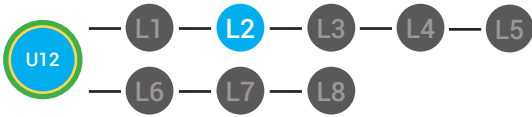
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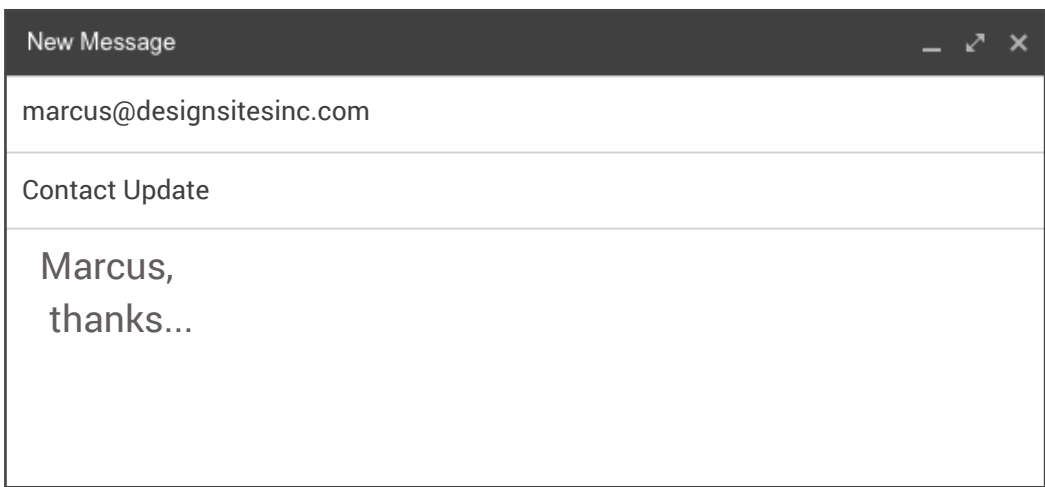
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**Directions:** Point to the correct answer on the scenario cards.



# Continue working



**READING MAZE**

**12.2**