

CASBO CLASS SM201





Evolution of communication over time

Q: What is communication?

 Communication can be defined as the process by which people share ideas, experience, knowledge and feelings through the transmission of messages.

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 The means of communication are usually spoken or written words, pictures or symbols.
 But we also give information through body language, gestures, and looks, facial expressions can show how we feel and what we think about an issue or another person.

Q: Why is communication important?

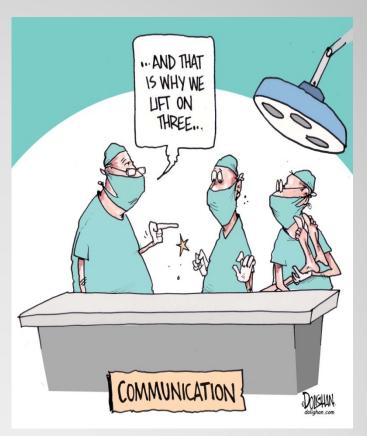
- 70% of our communication efforts are
 - Misunderstood
 - Misinterpreted
 - Rejected
 - Not Heard

Q: Why is communication important?

- Effective communication enables a person to build strong interpersonal, small group and large group relationships.
- Communication is at the heart of a personal relationship in which two people disclose facts, opinions and beliefs, and listen to the same communication from the other party.

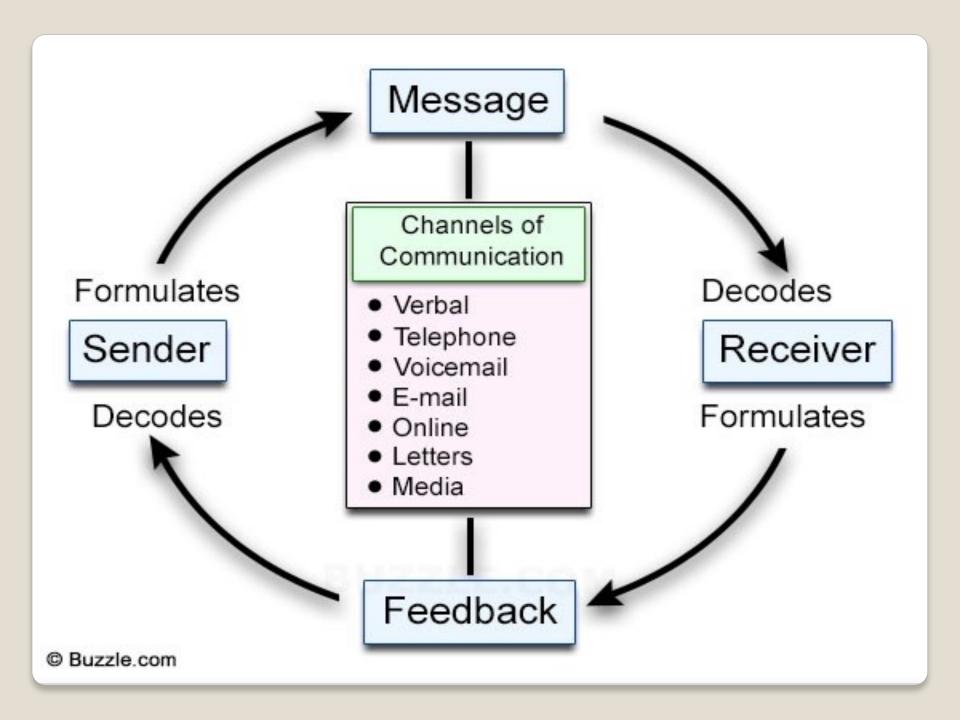
Q: Why is communication important?

- Miscommunication leads to lost productivity and even disengagement as employees are unclear on what they should focus on.
- Lack of effective communication is expensive.
- Effective internal communication is a key element for building trust and a healthy work environment.



Q: What is the communication cycle?

• The communication cycle is the process by which a message is sent by one individual, and it passes through a chain of recipients. The timing and effectiveness of a communication cycle is based on how long it takes for feedback to be received by the initial sender.



The **receiver** should:

- Be aware, interested, and willing to accept the message
- Listen attentively
- Understand the value of the message
- Provide feedback

Effective communication requires the **sender** to:

- Know the subject well
- Be interested in the subject
- Know the audience members and establish a rapport with them
- Choose an appropriate communication channel

Effective communication requires the *message* be:

- Clear and concise
- Accurate
- Relevant to the needs of the receiver
- Timely
- Meaningful
- Applicable to the situation

An effective verbal communicator:

- Clarifies
- Listens
- Encourages empathically
- Acknowledges
- Restates/repeats



Body Language 60%

Tonality of Voice 30%

Words Used 10%

NOMAD INK



OK

United States

Boston humorists created the abbreviation *OK* in 1839 as a deliberate misspelling of *All Correct*.

Non-Verbal Communication



MONEY

Japan

The circular shape that is formed by joining the thumb and index finger together represents a coin.



ZERO

France

Without value or useless.

A thumbs up is often used to communicate the American meaning of OK.



OBSCENE

Argentina, Brazil, Germany, Greece, Italy, Paraguay, Russia, Singapore, Spain, Tunisia

This sign is used as a derogatory gesture representing a bodily orifice.

Types of Nonverbal Communication

There are two types of nonverbal communication:-

- •Intentional nonverbal communication Example: Pointing out the finger, giving smile and clapping.
- •Unintentional nonverbal communication Example:?

This may be intentional or unintentional nonverbal communication message.





An effective nonverbal communicator:

- Relaxes
- Opens up
- Leans toward the other person
- Establishes eye contact
- Shows appropriate facial expressions

Barriers to communication

- Language
- Values and beliefs
- Gender and age
- Economic status
- Educational level

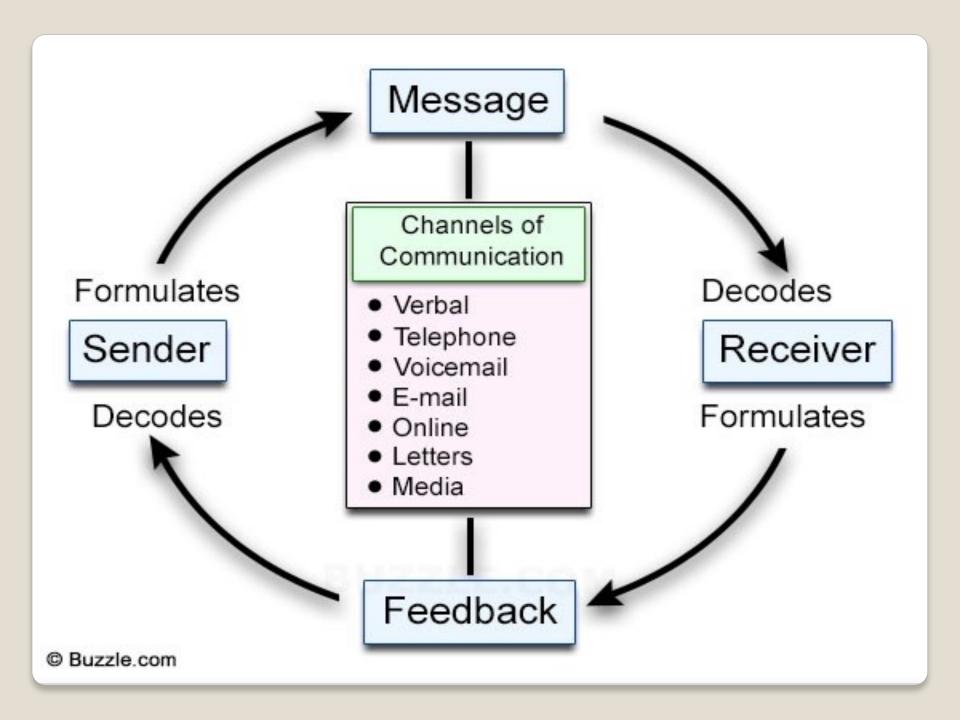
Barriers to communication

- Physical barriers
- Attitude
- Timing
- Understanding of message
- Trust

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- **■Communication Skills:**
- ■Directly Relates to 85% of One's Success In Life
- ■And it's a SKILL It's meant to be practiced.



Survival Skill - Communications



Listening creates empathy and emotional intelligence

Paraphrase to validate that you are listening

Lead with questions to enable stakeholders to find the answers



Lead With Clear Communication -

- --Engaged employees, students, and parents are a competitive advantage.
- --Whether your undergoing changes, launching new services, or rethinking how you do business, make sure you are maximizing your communication efforts.

- Activity
 - Show Off
 - Learn
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- You cannot over-communicate when you are asking your organization to change.
- Everyone who has led a successful change management effort expresses the need for over-communicating during a change experience and makes this statement in retrospect

 Communication is one of the toughest issues in organizations. It is an area that is most frequently complained about by employees during organizational change and daily operations.

 Communicate consistently, frequently, and through multiple channels, including speaking, writing, video, training, focus groups, bulletin boards, intranets, and more about the change.

 Communicate all that is known about the changes, as quickly as the information is available.

- Provide significant amounts of time for people to ask questions, request clarification, and provide input.
 - People must feel involved in the change.
 Involvement creates commitment—nothing else is as significant during a change process.

- Clearly communicate the objectives of the change management effort.
 - Help people to understand how these changes will affect them personally. If you don't help with this process, people will make up their own stories, usually more negative than the truth.

 The change leaders need to spend time conversing one-on-one or in small groups with the people who are expected to make the changes

 Communicate the reasons for the changes in such a way that people understand the context, the purpose, and the need

 Provide answers to questions only if you know the answer. Leaders destroy their credibility when they provide incorrect information or appear to stumble or back-peddle when providing an answer. It is much better to say you don't know and that you will try to find out.

- Publicly review the measurements that are in place to chart progress in the change management and change efforts.
- Publicize rewards and recognition for positive approaches and accomplishments in the changes and change management. Celebrate each small win publicly.

CONCLUSION

Some interesting quotes said by some famous people are:-

- Our actions speak louder than words.
- * If personality is an unbroken series of successful gestures, then there was something gorgeous about him. --F. Scott Fitzgerald, regarding Gatsby
- * The limits of my language means the limits of my world."--Ludwig Wittgenstein
- * Electric communication will never be a substitute for the face of someone who with their soul encourages another person to be brave and true.--Charles Dickens

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"Most people do not listen with the intent to understand; they listen with the intent to reply."

Stephen R. Covey

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