

## Extension Activity

### "Sorry" Tracker

Keep your ears open for the word "sorry" in spoken apologies. You may hear store clerks or service people say "sorry" to you or to someone else. Listen for "sorry," "excuse me," or "I beg your pardon" coming from the lips of strangers or very familiar people.

Two examples, or cases, have been recorded in the table below using the written apologies in this chapter.

Print a copy of this Sorry Tracker to keep track of the way people in your community write or say "sorry."

<b>"Sorry" Tracker</b>		
<b>The Facts</b>	<b>Case 1</b>	<b>Case 2</b>
Who said "sorry"?	<i>Claire</i>	<i>A lawyer, Perrin McClaws</i>
What happened?	<i>She answered Gilles' phone and registered a band.</i>	<i>He was withdrawing Del Jacobs from the festival.</i>
When?	<i>a few days ago</i>	<i>May 26, 2015</i>
Where?	<i>at Bear Bottom Campground</i>	<i>Ontario and Alberta</i>
Why?	<i>She wasn't thinking about Gilles' privacy. She thought she was helping.</i>	<i>He didn't say exactly, only "unforeseen personal circumstances."</i>
<b>Your Opinions or Perceptions</b>		
How was "sorry" received? Accepted? Rejected?	<i>Gilles did not accept right away. He told Claire she had crossed the line. He avoided talking to her about the problem.</i>	<i>Gilles was probably REALLY happy. Claire was likely very happy, too.</i>

### In the Community

Important! Download and save this fillable PDF on to your computer, and then complete the task using the PDF that you saved on your computer.

Complete your own form (provided below). Be prepared to talk about the cases of “sorry” you find in your community.

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