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“Yo, Grandma, how’s it hangin’?”

Introductory Paragraphs

Swales “CARS Model”

1. My essay begins with “Through my study of language dissimilarities between generations I found that these differences make it harder for the generations to communicate properly and therefore connect with each other due to the extreme variances in backgrounds, views, and priorities.”
2. The CARS Model that I used in the workshop is:
	1. Establishing Territory: With four separate generations, traditionalists, baby boomers, generation X, and millennials, coexisting in the world there are bound to be some major differences and these differences can lead to disagreements and hard feelings to each other.
	2. Occupying a Niche: Through my study of language dissimilarities between generations I found that these differences make it harder for the generations to communicate properly and therefore connect with each other due to the extreme variances in backgrounds, views, and priorities
	3. Establishing a Niche: There are many factors that form a generation as well as their way of speaking. In more recent years, the gap in language between generations has been growing quicker than the past couple hundred years. This is partially due to the growing use of social media, extreme popularity of movies and video games, and the change in dynamics between the old and the young.

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1. Inverted triangle: Most generations have their own way of doing things. With four separate generations, traditionalists, baby boomers, generation X, and millennials, coexisting in the world there are bound to be some major differences and these differences can lead to disagreements and hard feelings to each other. There are many factors that form a generation as well as their way of speaking. In more recent years, the gap in language between generations has been growing quicker than the past couple hundred years. This is partially due to the growing use of social media, extreme popularity of movies and video games, and the change in dynamics between the old and the young.
2. Interrogatory: How well do people connect with their grandparents? For some people, they may have a good relationship in the grandchild/grandparent way but can they say they truly understand each other? With four separate generations, traditionalists, baby boomers, generation X, and millennials, coexisting in the world there are bound to be some major differences and these differences can lead to disagreements and hard feelings to each other. There are many factors that form a generation as well as their way of speaking. In more recent years, the gap in language between generations has been growing quicker than the past couple hundred years. This is partially due to the growing use of social media, extreme popularity of movies and video games, and the change in dynamics between the old and the young.
3. Narrative: As I go into work every day, I notice that I work with a variety of ages, from high school students to dad’s with grandkids on the way. Every day we work together however, the more I pay attention, the more I notice that we do not always agree on how things should be done. My 55-year-old coworker constantly complains about my 23-year-old coworkers work ethic and how he is always trying to take shortcuts. Vice versa the 23-year-old complains that the 55-year-old wastes too much time on little, meaningless tasks. Why is this? With four separate generations, traditionalists, baby boomers, generation X, and millennials, coexisting in the world there are bound to be some major differences and these differences can lead to disagreements and hard feelings to each other. There are many factors that form a generation as well as their way of speaking. In more recent years, the gap in language between generations has been growing quicker than the past couple hundred years. This is partially due to the growing use of social media, extreme popularity of movies and video games, and the change in dynamics between the old and the young.
4. Minding the Gap: This research paper is about how language is different amongst the generations. Unlike other research done on this topic, mine is focused on how this affects how the generations connect with each other. With four separate generations, traditionalists, baby boomers, generation X, and millennials, coexisting in the world there are bound to be some major differences and these differences can lead to disagreements and hard feelings to each other. There are many factors that form a generation as well as their way of speaking. In more recent years, the gap in language between generations has been growing quicker than the past couple hundred years. This is partially due to the growing use of social media, extreme popularity of movies and video games, and the change in dynamics between the old and the young.
5. Paradox: The general view on other generations is that they are different from our own generation and they always will be. We will never be able to connect with them the same way we do with those our own age? Why is this? It this actually true, will we never be able connect with other age groups as well as our own? Or can we work to understand each other better and therefore connect better? With four separate generations, traditionalists, baby boomers, generation X, and millennials, coexisting in the world there are bound to be some major differences and these differences can lead to disagreements and hard feelings to each other. There are many factors that form a generation as well as their way of speaking. In more recent years, the gap in language between generations has been growing quicker than the past couple hundred years. This is partially due to the growing use of social media, extreme popularity of movies and video games, and the change in dynamics between the old and the young.