

Connections Speech

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Title: Connecting on the Court and in the Theater

Thesis Statement: I'll first let you all know a little bit of John's background, and the connections we share in both our sport hobbies and movie tastes.

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MIDDLE COLUMN

*content of speech
use complete sentences*

**RIGHT
COLUMN**

*Label physical
behaviors*

INTRODUCTION		
Attention	I. Have you ever wanted to get to know your classmates better but just didn't know where to start?	
TIA	II. Well today, I will help you at least get to know two classmates, Me and John Doe, and hopefully we will become more connected as a class	
Credibility	III. After talking with John himself, I believe I am qualified to introduce him to the class	
Thesis	IV. I'll first let you all know a little bit of John's background, and the connections we share in both our sport hobbies and movie tastes.	

	BODY	
Main Point	I. This main right here is our classmate, John Doe. Like most of us here, this is his first year at IUPUI and he is a Computer Science Major.	
Sub-Point	A. John grew up here in Indiana in a little-known town you may not have heard of called Small Town.	
Sub-Sub-Point	1. He grew up with his parents and his younger sister in a 2 story house in the suburbs. His dog Max is also a very important part of his family, along with his cat who is affectionately named muffin.	
Sub-Sub-Point	2. John loves spending time with his family, especially outside. He goes camping with them at least 4 times a year, and enjoys fishing with his dad. This summer John and his family are actually planning a vacation out to Yosemite National Park, and he is most excited to see the waterfalls!	
Sub-Point	B. While John currently works part-time as a pizza delivery driver, he hopes that once he finishes college he can work in the Computer Science field just like his mother, who is the one who he says inspired him in the first place.	
Transition	Now that we know a little bit about John, what is a way that me and John can relate.	
Main Point	II. If you know anything about me, you'll know that I love playing basketball. So I was excited to learn while talking to John that he also considers himself a hooper.	Show Slide
Sub-Point	A. John and I actually started playing basketball at a similar age, trying to dominate the kindergarten courts on the little recess	

Sub-Point	<p>hoops . Growing up, though I only played recreationally John actually made his high-school basketball team, so as much as it pains me to say he is probably a little better than me</p> <p>B. Both of us found basketball to be a great way to make friends and have a little competitive fun as well, and it still remains a very important and enjoyable past-time for us.</p>	
Transition	Now that you know how we can connect on the court, what connections do John and I have off the court?	
Main Point	III. Turns out, we are also into the same movies, and to be specific,	Take a breath
Sub-Point	<p>Italian mafia movies</p> <p>A. John and his sister both inherited a love of movies like Goodfellas and The Godfather from their dad, and still enjoy them to this day.</p>	
Sub-Point	<p>B. I had watched multiple mafia movies with my dad as well, though unfortunately my siblings haven't joined me in my enjoyment of the films, and prefer actors like Joe Pesci in movies like "Home Alone" instead of Goodfellas. Luckily though now I have a friend like John to remedy my loneliness in this aspect of my life.</p>	

Review of Main Points	<p style="text-align: center;">CONCLUSION</p> <p>I. So now we all know a little more about John, and how he and I relate through our love of basketball and mafia movies</p>	
Clincher/tag/ exit line or Final Appeal	<p>II. Now that I have broken the ice, hopefully we all can create connections with each other and create a friendly environment for this semester and beyond.</p>	

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