[TITLE] HOW TO COMMUNICATE: COMPETENT CONVERSATION, WHAT IF #1

00:01 [XIREN enters study room to meet JACOB who is sitting at a table behind his laptop. XIREN sits down.] **XIREN:** Hey Jacob. How are you doing?

00:04 [JACOB avoids eye contact.]

00:07 **JACOB**: Fine. Just fine.

00:12 **XIREN**: Okay. I realize this is awkward.

00:17 **JACOB**: (interrupting) ‘Ya think? How are youdoing? Destroyed any new lives recently?

00:20 [XIREN visibly collects herself before responding.]

00:24 **XIREN:** I don’t think this is the right time or place to be talking about that. If you want, I'll hang around after class and maybe we can talk then?

00:39 **JACOB:** I have no interest in talking to you – whether it’s now or later.