**Retailing**

**Positive Working Environment**

**Exercise**

On the website workawesome.com, Jen Smith cites eight ways to foster a positive working environment. She lists the following:

1. Be Yourself
2. Treat People Equally
3. Stay out of office politics
4. Be Friendly
5. Be Thoughtful
6. Be Self-Aware
7. Enjoy your Work
8. Add Value

Once you have thought about all of these, write a one-page analysis that explains how these characteristics can foster a positive relationship. Do you think it will work? What do they mean to you? How will these work in the place you work? How can you develop these eight areas in your life to make your work better? Do you think some are more important than others? Are there any suggestions that you would recommend to foster a positive working environment that she does not list?

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