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Giving Back

I believe a lot in connections, I can even not know the person and feel like I know her, as it happened with Chelsea. She was not supposed to be my partner for this assignment, but I had no partner and hers did not come to class, and then, the professor put us together for that day. We were sitting in one of the corners of the classroom, checking the questions we were going to ask to each other. At first, I am not going to lie, I was very uncomfortable, because having to answer a few personal questions from another person is not my comfort zone, and I think that nobodies.

The interview started, the questions were a bit basic, but I have my reasons to ask what was her major since it is a class about writing for the social sciences. *"I'm a Psych major, and I chose that major because I want to be a psychiatrist."* From that moment, we already had something in common, since I'm also a Psych major, and as she told me, she wants to give help to the society and understand why we, the people, act sometimes in a certain way or act the way we do. She also mentioned after the interview, when we started to really talk to each other, that her plans after college is going to the military, because thanks to them she is here at City College and she sees it like: they help her and she, as well, is going to help them back. It is a mutual thing, and that is why one of the reasons that she beliefs that we always have to give back to our community.

She describes herself as flexible, like she mentioned: "*One day I can be quiet, really reserved, and the next day I can be more chatty, it really alternates.*" While we were talking about that, we were laughing between words, because I literally felt related when she say it, and we were talking about situations that we had witnessed in the past. We also talked about pet peeves, she literally hates people that don't plan ahead of time, those people are not self-disciplined and means that they don't have the knowledge for it, there are tools but if we don't know them, we will never be good at planning.

People may interfere from this article, that Chelsea can be a hard person to know, but she is really laid back. "*If you say something that sounds dumb, it doesn't sound dumb to me.*" She is very compassionate to the people around her, and that is something that I can confirm about her. I was telling her that I'm not confident with my English while talking with others, and she was telling me that I don't have to worry, we live in a place where there a lot of immigrants. She had the sweetest things to say to me, and I know she would say it others too.