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Follow the rules
Be courteous
Be a team player
Get a mentor
Fit in with the organization's culture
Find ways to be a star employee
Conquour Negativity
Take control
Find a work life balance

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I would choose Brain as the better employee, he does not have the experience or the words per minute but he has not been a problem with customers.

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I would give Brian the job because he seems trainable.

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honest, on time, polite, team player, flexible, hard working, speaks well, friendly