

# Personality

Exercise 1 → Match the adjectives with the pictures.

messy / lazy / clumsy / shy / cheerful / grumpy / absent-minded / loud  
rude / hardworking / touchy / selfish / talkative / friendly / easy-going / quiet



Exercise 2 → Find and write the opposites.

lazy	≠	generous	≠
tidy	≠	polite	≠
quiet	≠	sociable	≠

Exercise 3 → Fill in the gaps. Use the adjectives from exercise 1 .

1. Anne is constantly on the phone. She's so.....
2. Still in bed at lunch-time! Come on! Get up! You .....boy.
3. Don't forget to take your passport ! You're so .....
4. Don't just think of yourself, that's so.....
5. I love Anna ! She makes friends very easily, she's very.....
6. Tom is a great guy but he doesn't speak much, he's rather.....

Exercise 4 → Work out the opposites of the following words by separating prefix and radical.

unhappy-impatient-dishonest-untidy-impolite  
unfriendly-irresponsible-intolerant-disorganized

Exercise 5 → How long will it take you to match the synonyms ?

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| cheerful •  | • amusing  |
| envious •   | • joyful   |
| funny •     | • talented |
| gifted •    | • jealous  |
| smart •     | • stubborn |
| nice •      | • kind     |
| obstinate • | • popular  |
| sociable •  | • clever   |

Exercise 6 → Can you guess the meaning of the following adjectives ?

adventurous / aggressive / ambitious / arrogant / artistic / bad-tempered  
big-headed / bossy / curious / diplomatic / energetic / frank /  
good-tempered / helpful / imaginative / materialistic / sensitive

Exercise 7 → Choose 5 friends in the class and write sentences such as :

*Tom is talkative.*

Exercise 8 → What are you like ? Complete the sentences, then tell the class.

I am extremely..... I am very.....

I am quite..... I am a little.....

I am not very..... I am not.....at all.

Exercise 9 → Fill in the gaps to describe your classmate next to you, then swap your exercise books. Tick the box whether the description is true or false. Use : extremely/very/quite/a little/not very/not...at all.

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| I think you are.....absent-minded..... | <input type="checkbox"/> True | <input type="checkbox"/> False |
| I think you are .....hardworking.....  | <input type="checkbox"/> True | <input type="checkbox"/> False |
| I think you are .....easy-going.....   | <input type="checkbox"/> True | <input type="checkbox"/> False |
| I think you are .....bossy.....        | <input type="checkbox"/> True | <input type="checkbox"/> False |
| I think you are .....tidy.....         | <input type="checkbox"/> True | <input type="checkbox"/> False |
| I think you are .....selfish.....      | <input type="checkbox"/> True | <input type="checkbox"/> False |
| I think you are .....talkative.....    | <input type="checkbox"/> True | <input type="checkbox"/> False |
| I think you are .....friendly.....     | <input type="checkbox"/> True | <input type="checkbox"/> False |
| I think you are .....romantic.....     | <input type="checkbox"/> True | <input type="checkbox"/> False |
| I think you are .....grumpy.....       | <input type="checkbox"/> True | <input type="checkbox"/> False |

1 point for "True" → score ...../10