Lesson 30- Character-Vocabulary



Exercise 1

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Exercise 2

What are your strongest character trait?

What are your weakest character trait?

Are you more optimistic or pessimistic?

Would you ever tell a lie to get yourself out of trouble?

If you were to describe yourself in three words, what would they be?

Exercise 3

Match the adjectives to the people who are described

Jealous, optimistic, sincere, eccentric, gifted, relaxed, envious, sensitive, cruel, nosy, easy-going

1. Robert always wants what other people have got - envious
2. Sandra plays the piano better anyone else I know- gifted
3. Beth takes everything in her stride and never gets upset-relaxed
4. Paul semms to enjoy pulling his cat's tail-cruel
5. Dan doesn't mind what we do when we stay at his place-easy-going
6. You always know that Clare means what she says-sincere
7. Julie felt terrible when her boyfriend left her for someone else-jealous
8. Becky only ever wears black clothes and black lipstick-eccentric
9. Whenever we have visitors, our neighbour Fred is at his window watching who it is-nosy
10. Emma always gets very upset if she feels that she is being criticised or laughed at-sensitive

Exercise 4

Match each adjective with its opposite

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| greedy  | weak |
| warm | extroverted |
| nice | generous |
| optimistic | horrible |
| cheerful | miserable |
| relaxed | insensitive |
| strong | dishonest |
| sensitive | unreliable |
| honest | stupid |
| hard-working | lazy |
| reliable | unambitious |
| smart | cold |
| ambitious | pessimistic |
| reserved | tense |

Exercise 5

Choose the correct word in each sentence

1. When her bicycle was stolen, Jill became extremely angry/nervous
2. Peter felt ashamed/embarrassed when he had to make a speech
3. I always write thank-you letter, just to be gentle/polite
4. You never do anything to help me! You're so lazy/tired
5. Penny never does anything silly. She's very sensible/sensitive
6. The children had to stay in the house all day and felt bored/tired
7. Jackie doesn't worry about anything and is always cheerful/ sympathetic
8. Mr Jackson is ery annoyed/bad-tempered and pften shouts at people
9. When he heard about about the accident, Alan was very damaged/upset
10. I've got an important exam tomorrow and I'm a bit jealous/nervous

Exercise 6

Complete each sentence with a word formed from the word in italics

1. You can't rely on Joe. He is very ….
2. Carla has very little patience. She's very …
3. Jack shows no interest in this subject. He's …
4. Pat is lacking in honesty. She is …
5. Bill doesn't act like a friend. He is …
6. Lisa doesn't have much time experience of this work. She's…
7. Peter never acts politely. He's…
8. The official did not help us very much. She was…
9. Graham doesn't consider other people. He's…
10. Ann refused to co-operate with the police. She was ….