

## 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 seems 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

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 ....