

Word formation

ADJECTIVE FORMATION

Use the suffixes in the box to form adjectives out of the nouns

-ive
-ien
-tic // -less
-ous // -ent
-ful // -ate // -ial
-y // -ed // ing // al

fortune

finance

care

help

beauty

frighten

person

possess

Canada

depression

shock

use

romance

home

luck

noise

fascinate

success

tact

success

create

generosity

interest

pollution

Complete the sentences with an adjective

1. My mum is really _____. She buys us a lot of presents.
2. The world was in a terrible _____ crisis in 1929.
3. I only eat vegetables and fruits and work out a lot. I want to be _____.
4. The water of the lake is so _____ that it is forbidden to swim in there.
5. Anna's dog died yesterday and she is quite _____. She doesn't want to do anything.
6. Many exercises are very _____ for my students.
7. My friend is a foreigner. He is _____.
8. She had an accident but he was very _____ because she wasn't hurt at all.
9. Venice is a very _____ city. Many couples go there on their honeymoon.
10. I find the subject of this article very _____.
11. It is so _____ in this disco that I can't hear what you are saying!