

1 Identity

Reading

- 1 Preview the article. Answer the questions.

1 What does the photo show?

2 Are the title and the photo connected? How?

3 What do you think are the answers to the questions in bold in the article?

4 What do you think you will read about in the article?

- 2 Read the article and underline words and phrases connected to how we feel and how we behave.

- 3 Read the article again. Choose the correct option (a–c).

1 The expression in the title of the article is really talking about _____.

- a big cats
- b the way people are
- c the way people look

2 The article says that companies use personality tests. This means _____.

- a there are between four and 16 types of jobs
- b they don't need to interview people
- c they think only some people can do certain jobs

3 The main idea of the article is that _____.

- a it's a problem to understand different personalities
- b the number of personality types is changing
- c we can change the kind of person we are

- 4 Look at the two extracts (a–b) from the article and answer the questions about each one.

a *Quizzes and tests that explain your "personality type" are really popular.*

b *Dr. Little says that we can and do change our behavior in different situations.*

1 Is there any evidence in the article that supports the argument? If so, underline it.

2 Do you have any personal experience that supports the argument?

- 5 Do you believe that your personality is permanent or that it can change? What is your opinion based on?
