

1 VOCABULARY: Describing personality

A Complete each conversation with a phrase in the box.

attract attention
speak upenjoy the company of
the life of the party

speak softly

- 1 A Anna tells great stories about her world travels. People are always fascinated by them.
B Yeah, she sure is _____.
- 2 A Why are you sitting in the back of the classroom?
B I didn't do my homework, so I don't want to _____ to myself.
- 3 A Can I come to the library with you to study?
B Sure, but we'll have to _____ so we don't disturb people.
- 4 A Do you spend time with your co-workers outside of work?
B Sure. I really _____ my coworkers. They've become my friends.
- 5 A You have creative ideas. You should _____ more in meetings.
B Thanks! That's good advice. I'll try to say more from now on.



B Circle the correct word to complete each sentence.

- 1 Robert wasn't invited to the movies, so he felt left out / was an introvert.
- 2 Each time you *show off* / *interact with* a native speaker, your English will improve.
- 3 Even if you're *an extrovert* / *an introvert*, it's important to spend time with friends to avoid being alone too often.
- 4 Whenever we go to a party, Jorge loves to *show off* / *interact with* his dance moves.
- 5 If I leave my cell phone at home, I'm more likely to *socialize* / *be reserved*. That way, I meet a lot of new people.
- 6 At school, Jun chats with his friends a lot. It's obvious he *feels left out* / *is an extrovert*.

2 GRAMMAR: Relative pronouns; reduced relative clauses

A Combine the sentences to make one sentence.

- 1 Wednesday is one day of the week. I have time to go to my exercise class.
Wednesday is one day of the week when I have time to go to my exercise class.
- 2 You can read the book. I bought the book yesterday.

- 3 She brought her dog on vacation with her. Her dog's name is Duke.

- 4 Valentina invited 50 people to her party. Valentina loves celebrating her birthday with her friends.

- 5 I ate lunch at a restaurant. The restaurant was voted the best restaurant in the city.

B Circle the correct word to complete each sentence.

- 1 My favorite time of year is summer vacation, _____ to a lot of parties.
a when invited b which I get invited c when I get invited
- 2 Some introverts prefer to live in small cities, _____ than large cities.
a that are less crowded b which are less crowded c less crowded
- 3 My best friend grew up in a small town _____ Friendship.
a where is called b which calling c called
- 4 People _____ social media often say they enjoy making new friends online.
a who use b use c when they use
- 5 The speaker, _____ is about the effects of social media, gave an interesting presentation.
a whose research b which research c who research
- 6 There are many studies _____ being alone too often is bad for a person's health.
a say b that say c that saying



3 GRAMMAR AND VOCABULARY

A Complete each sentence with a word in the box. You may use a word more than once. Then write a sentence that is true for you using the same relative clause structure.

called that where which who whose

- 1 a I like to show off my musical skills, _____ often makes me the life of the party.
b I like to show off my cooking skills, which makes me popular with my friends.
- 2 a I'm a person _____ enjoys the company of strangers.
b I'm a person _____.
- 3 a Being an introvert is a trait _____ should get more respect.
b Being an introvert _____.
- 4 a In class, _____ I'm more reserved, I don't speak up very often.
b In class, _____.
- 5 a Socializing regularly is an activity _____ I value.
b Socializing _____.
- 6 a I'm someone _____ friends are mostly extroverts.
b I'm someone _____.
- 7 a All of my classmates liked the information session _____ "How to succeed in college."
b All of my classmates _____.

B Write a description of a person you know well. Use relative clauses and words to describe his or her personality.
