

GRAMMAR

Abstract Nouns

Exercise 1

Choose the correct abstract noun from the box.

confidence **enjoyment** **creativity** **stress** **success**

1. Painting helps me reduce my _____ after work.
2. Carla showed a lot of _____ when she performed on stage.
3. Cooking is a hobby that allows people to express their _____.
4. Many people find _____ in outdoor activities like hiking.
5. With practice and dedication, you can achieve _____ in any hobby.

Exercise 2

Change the adjectives into abstract nouns.

1. She is very confident when she dances.
→ She has a lot of _____ when she dances.
2. The children were excited about the art class.
→ The children felt great _____ about the art class.
3. He is very creative when he writes stories.
→ He shows a lot of _____ when he writes stories.
4. My grandfather is patient when he builds model planes.
→ My grandfather shows a lot of _____ when he builds model planes.

Exercise 3

Complete the sentences using the correct abstract noun form of the words in brackets.

1. Regular practice can lead to greater _____ in creative hobbies. (CONFIDENT)
2. Many people take up gardening for _____ and peace of mind. (RELAX)
3. Her _____ to photography helped her become a professional artist. (COMMIT)
4. Learning a difficult hobby teaches _____ and self-control. (PATIENT)
5. The _____ of finishing a challenging project can be extremely rewarding. (SATISFY)
6. Some hobbies encourage _____ because people learn to solve problems alone. (DEPENDENT)

Exercise 4

Each sentence contains one mistake. Correct it.

1. Photography gives me a great sense of achieve.
→
2. Gardening requires a lot of patient.
→
3. His motivate to practise guitar disappeared.
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4. Many people enjoy the relax of painting.
→
5. Finishing the project gave her satisfy.
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