



Read the examples and write original sentences using the words in bold to demonstrate their meaning.
Focus on creating sentences that show how the words are used in real-life situations.

1. That guy in the office really rubs me the wrong way with his constant complaints.
2. Could you please scooch over a bit so there's room for one more person on the bench?
3. She was cast in a more ladylike role in the period drama, portraying a graceful and refined character.
4. For him, jogging is a coping mechanism; it helps him relieve stress and stay mentally balanced.
5. Completing this project will achieve two birds with one bullet: it will save us money and time simultaneously.

Read the text and fill in the gaps with words from the box

the wrong way coping mechanism (*2) rubbed two birds in one bullet scooch cast in

Once upon a time, in a small town, there lived a young woman named Lisa. She was a bit of a tomboy, and it seemed like she often people the wrong way. Lisa enjoyed playing football and climbing trees, which made some people uncomfortable. They believed she should be a more ladylike role.

One day, Lisa's friend Emily noticed that Lisa's behavior seemed like a . She was trying to fit in, but it wasn't easy. Emily decided to help Lisa and suggested they join a charity event together. This way, they could help the community while Lisa would have an opportunity to change people's perception of her.

Lisa agreed to give it a try. She was determined to show everyone that she could be both strong and compassionate, achieving . The event required a lot of planning and teamwork, which allowed Lisa to demonstrate her leadership skills.

As the event day arrived, Lisa was a bit nervous. She wondered if people would accept her in a different role. However, the community's warm response surprised her. Lisa found that she could be both herself and play a more traditional, ladylike role when needed.

In the end, Lisa learned that it's essential to be true to herself while also being flexible when the situation requires it. She realized that she didn't need to rub people to be authentic. Emily's support and the charity event turned out to be a great for Lisa, helping her find a balance in her life.

From that day forward, Lisa continued to enjoy her adventurous side while gracefully adapting to various roles in her community. She understood that sometimes, you need to out of your comfort zone to grow and discover the many sides of yourself.

