

Vocabulary

Sue

Sue is definitely _____. She's _____ and always makes others laugh. She's _____ and doesn't like planning things carefully. She likes the company of adventurous, _____ people. You may get the impression that she's _____ but when you get to know her better, she appears a bit insecure and not as _____ as she seems at first sight.

Rob

Rob is a _____ observer. He will see immediately that you're worried or feel _____. He's _____ quiet and doesn't really like talking about himself, but he's a great listener. He's _____, and his sensitivity makes _____. He's a _____ person so when he is critical of anyone, it always seems right

Emily

Emily is very _____ and has _____. She enjoys long conversations about life. She can _____ so her answers to big questions are always fascinating. She's _____ and doesn't like _____ people. Emily admits that she is not very sociable. She avoids big groups and prefers to hang out with one person.

Tim

Tim loves sport. He's been doing judo for years. He's _____ and doesn't like disorganised people. He thinks that it's important to be ambitious and hard-working if you want to achieve something in life. Perhaps that's why he's often _____ and can be critical of others too. As a _____, he doesn't really get on well with those who are moody and _____.

Grammar

Complete the sentences with the correct form of the verbs in brackets. Use the Past Simple, Past Perfect Simple or Past Perfect Continuous.

1 Sean and Valerie _____ (go) out for almost five years before they finally _____ (decide) to get married.

2 Twenty guests _____ (have to) spend the night in hospital after they _____ (eat) prawn cocktail at the reception.

3 I _____ (not/sleep) for a very long time when the cat _____ (wake) me up by jumping on my face.

4 The last time I _____ (check) my blog, more than 1,000 people _____ (read) it.

5 When Wendy finally _____ (find) her purse, she _____ (realise) it _____ (lie) behind her desk all the time.

6 Susan _____ (try) on more than twenty wedding dresses before she _____ (find) the perfect one!

7 I _____ (not/wait) for the bus for more than a couple of minutes when I _____ (realise) the next one would come in an hour.

8 They _____ (have) everything perfectly ready for their holiday because they _____ (plan) it for months.

9 When I _____ (look) into my letter box, I _____ - (see) that someone _____ (leave) a handwritten note in it.

10 The comedy series that Eve _____ (follow) for such a long time _____ (have) a very disappointing ending.