

## 3.1

## POWER IN QUIET

## 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, which 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.