DESCRIBING PERSONALITY

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1) Match 4 film and TV characters (1-6) with their descriptions (a-e).

a. He's brave and fearless. He's also strong and reserved.

b. He's strong and confident – almost arrogant. He's usually serious and quiet, but he can be funny.

c. He's quite lazy, and rude. His wife is generous and very patient.

d. He's clever, honest, loyal, but sometimes very impulsive.

2) Complete the pairs of opposites

Personality adjectives

1. dishonest	_honest___	6.stupid	_____
2 .greedy	_____	7.punctual	_____
3. selfless	_____	8. polite	_____
4. extrovert	_____	9.weak	_____
5. impatient	_____	10. funny	_____

3) Find 4 words which all mean *strong* 'in this word search. The synonyms are given in the box

athletic / forceful / weak / powerful / muscular / brave / courageous / mild / healthy

C	F	T	Y	U	I	O	P	Y	L	P
D	O	S	D	F	G	H	H	J	K	O
E	R	U	A	Z	X	T	B	R	N	W
N	C	T	R	V	L	C	Y	A	M	E
I	E	B	R	A	V	E	K	L	E	R
M	F	O	E	T	G	O	W	U	D	F
R	U	H	C	I	B	E	H	C	A	U
E	L	Y	G	P	Y	K	O	S	M	L
T	D	B	A	W	A	G	N	U	Y	C
E	C	G	Q	D	P	U	B	M	S	I
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4) How would you describe these people? Use adjectives from the box. There are 3 words you do not need.

confident / a loner / dishonest / nozy / loyal / funny / impatient / generous / arrogant / open-minded /

1. Sam often interrupts people when they are talking. He's _____
2. Adam like to talk about his life. He's so _____
3. Ann thinks that she is better than everyone else. She's _____
4. Ted only had one sandwich, but he shared it with his friend. He's _____
5. She often says bad things about other people. She's _____
6. Mr. Brown believes in his ability to do the job well. He's so _____
7. Sam didn't talk to many people at the party. He's _____

5) Guess the meaning of other personality adjectives and choose the right option.

1. My boyfriend often gives me roses. He's so **selfish / romantic.**
2. My dog eats and eats until he makes himself sick! He's **brave / greedy.**
3. Tom is so easy to get on with. Everybody loves him! He's **reliable / unreliable.**
4. Sally loves going out to parties and meeting new people. She's **loner / sociable.**
5. Jack never changes his opinion on anything, even if he's wrong. He's **stubborn / forgetful.**

6) Describe yourself or a person you like to your partner.

I really like Ann. She is honest, polite, generous and kind…..

I think I'm rather sociable and patient. I'm also a bit lazy and talkative…….

LIVEWORKSHEETS