

10C Personality adjectives

1 Match the adjectives in the box with the pictures 1–12.

clever confident funny generous kind popular lazy polite brave cheerful shy talkative



1 _____



2 _____



3 _____



4 _____



5 _____



6 _____



7 _____



8 _____



9 _____



10 _____



11 _____



12 _____

3 Complete the sentences with words from exercise 1.

- 1 Alison is very _____. She always pays for my coffee.
- 2 Joe is so _____. He makes everyone laugh.
- 3 I wish I was _____ like my friend. He always gets good marks.
- 4 Most people are _____, although there are some horrible people.
- 5 You're so _____. Are you really going to do a bungee jump?
- 6 Belinda is always _____, even when things aren't going well for her.

GRAMMAR: Superlative adjectives

1 Complete the sentences with the superlative forms of the adjectives in the box.

good bad big safe
crowded old far friendly

- 1 This magazine says that _____ person in the country is 112!
- 2 Which is _____ star from Earth?
- 3 Alberto won a competition for _____ painting in the art class.
- 4 That's _____ cake in the shop! We only need a small one.
- 5 What's _____ city in Europe? I want to go travelling on my own.
- 6 I got _____ result in the test – I didn't get any answers right!
- 7 Mumbai is _____ city in India. About twenty million people live there.
- 8 Who is _____ teacher in your school?

2 Complete the text with the correct words.



I go to a photography club every Thursday and last week we had an end-of-year prize giving. Everybody likes Sara, so we decided she was the 1 _____ popular girl in the club. Ben is friends with everyone – so he got the prize for 2 _____ nicest person. Lucy always takes fantastic pictures – she got the prize for the 3 _____ photo. But Mara took the 4 _____ exciting photo – it was of a car race. Her dad had the 5 _____ car so he won. It was a great evening and I was really happy. In fact, I think it was one of the 6 _____ days of my life!

VOCABULARY: Personality adjectives

3 Order the letters to make personality adjectives.

- 1 He is very *neitcdonf* in France because he speaks French well.

- 2 She's really *onersgue*. She always gets me a birthday present.

- 3 It is important to be *tolepi* by opening doors for people.

- 4 I like *relfhuec* people who smile a lot.

- 5 She is not very *kavtlieta*. I think she is shy.

- 6 My sister is really *vercel*. She passed all her exams.

4 Complete the personality adjectives.

- 1 Max can't swim so he was very *b*_____ to jump into the water.
- 2 We all laugh a lot when Wahid's here. He's a really *f*_____ student.
- 3 'Can I carry your bag for you?' 'Thanks, that's extremely *k*_____.'
- 4 Our cat's very *l*_____. It sleeps most of the day.
- 5 My sister isn't *s*_____ at all – she makes friends with everyone.
- 6 Everyone likes my Chemistry teacher, but my Music teacher isn't very *p*_____.

2 Choose the correct adjectives to complete the sentences.

- 1 My brother hates parties because he's really *generous* / *shy*.
- 2 Elvira is very *talkative* / *funny* in class. The teacher sometimes says, 'Please be quiet for a moment, Elvira!'
- 3 Jürgen was really *clever* / *kind* to me after I failed my exam.
- 4 Sam is *confident* / *nice* when she speaks English. She always wants to practise.
- 5 I want to lose weight. I need to be less *lazy* / *brave* and do more exercise!
- 6 I think it's important to be *cheerful* / *polite*, so I always say 'please' and 'thank you'.