

UNIT 5 Character Traits

1. Getting Ready

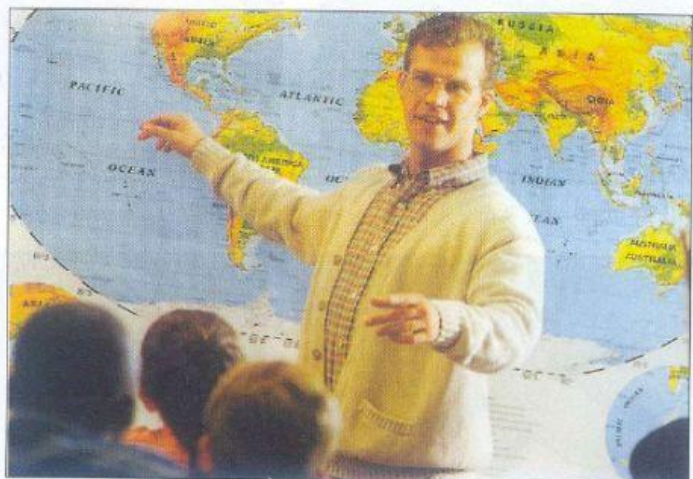
How would you describe a good teacher, parent, boss, or friend? Check (✓) your answers and compare them with a partner.

	A good teacher	A good parent	A good boss	A good friend
intelligent	☐	☐	☐	☐
strict	☐	☐	☐	☐
persuasive	☐	☐	☐	☐
honest	☐	☐	☐	☐
informed	☐	☐	☐	☐
enthusiastic	☐	☐	☐	☐
caring	☐	☐	☐	☐
sensitive	☐	☐	☐	☐
patient	☐	☐	☐	☐
other: _____	☐	☐	☐	☐

2. Let's Listen

People are talking about their friends and classmates. What is each person like? Listen and circle the correct answer.

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| 1. a. patient | 4. a. strict |
| b. informed | b. patient |
| 2. a. persuasive | 5. a. informed |
| b. caring | b. sensitive |
| 3. a. honest | 6. a. strict |
| b. enthusiastic | b. caring |

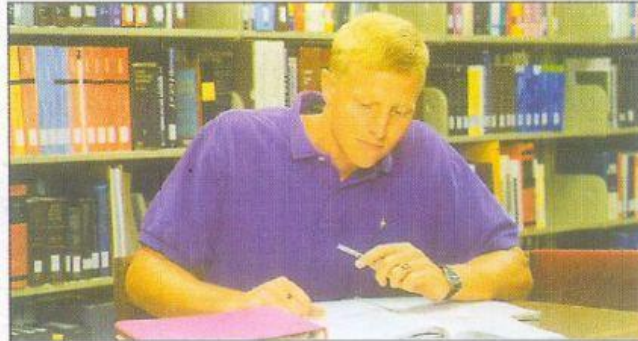


3. Let's Listen

Task 1

People are talking about their friends and classmates. Do they praise or criticize the person they talk about? Listen and check (✓) the correct answer.

	Praise	Criticize
1.	☐	☐
2.	☐	☐
3.	☐	☐
4.	☐	☐
5.	☐	☐
6.	☐	☐



Task 2

Listen again. Are these statements true or false? Check (✓) the correct answer.

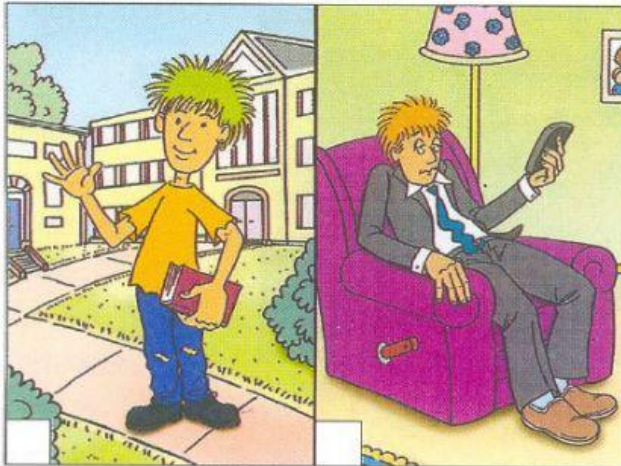
	True	False
1. Chris is informed.	☐	☐
Chris is in medical school.	☐	☐
2. Brandon is caring.	☐	☐
Brandon helped the speaker move.	☐	☐
3. Terry is caring.	☐	☐
Terry liked the poor person's clothes.	☐	☐
4. Tony is enthusiastic.	☐	☐
When Tony is enjoying himself, no one else has fun.	☐	☐
5. Patrick is honest.	☐	☐
Patrick wasn't actually sick on the night of the concert.	☐	☐
6. Chuck is enthusiastic.	☐	☐
Chuck isn't going to school this year.	☐	☐

4. Let's Listen

Task 1

People are talking about how their friends have changed. What is each person like now? Listen and check (✓) the correct picture.

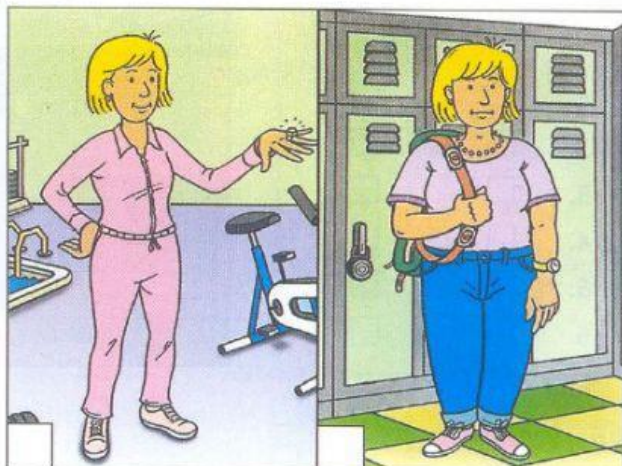
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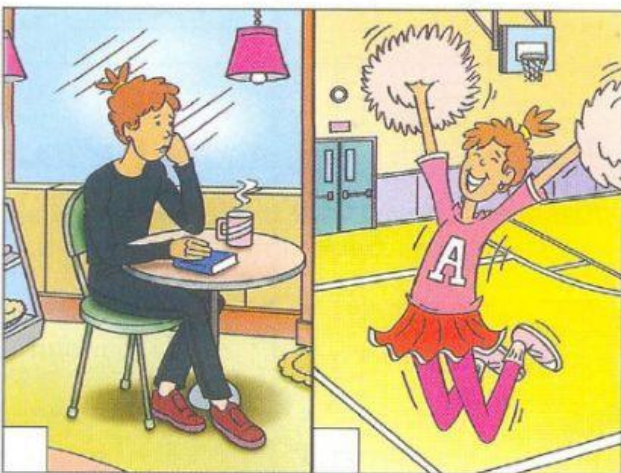
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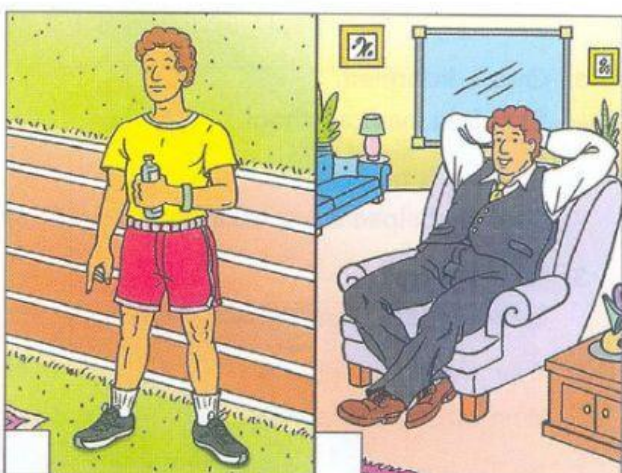
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a.

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a.

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Task 2

Listen again. Are these statements true or false? Check (✓) the correct answer.

	True	False
1. John is looking for a job.	☐	☐
2. Donna got married last year.	☐	☐
3. Rosie broke up with her boyfriend.	☐	☐
4. Ted lost all his money in the stock market.	☐	☐