

Character & personality traits

1 a) find the opposites of following adjectives:

impatient	.....
uncaring	.....
disorganised	.....
messy	.....
immodest	.....
lazy	.....
talkative	.....
antisocial	.....
rude/impolite	.....
mean	.....
dishonest	.....
stingy	.....

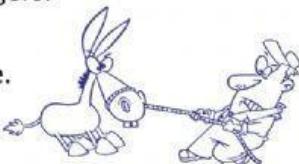


b) use adjectives from exercise a to fill in the gaps below:

- people always tell the truth
- people like to chat a lot
- people don't like to share their things
- people keep their desks clean
- people like to spend time with others
- people don't mind waiting for things
- people don't like to work
- people like to brag
- people can't keep things in order
- people always say 'please'

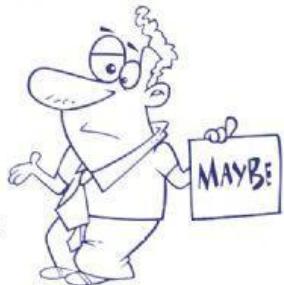
2 Choose the correct word from the given ones.

- He can never wait for anything!
He's so funny / impatient.
- She doesn't like talking to strangers.
She's too confident / shy.
- He has never told a lie in his life.
He is very kind / honest.
- This girl was so rude!
I don't think she's very nice / funny.
- Mark is always telling jokes.
He's so shy / funny!
- Jenny is very quiet. She is not nice / talkative at all!
- You never doubt yourself. How are you so confident / patient?



3 Match the adjective to the people they describe.

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2	<input type="checkbox"/>	sporty
3	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	indecisive
4	<input type="checkbox"/>	clumsy
5	<input type="checkbox"/>	adventurous
6	<input type="checkbox"/>	punctual
7	<input type="checkbox"/>	compassionate
8	<input type="checkbox"/>	stubborn



- a - someone who often trips and drops things
- b - someone who's never late
- c - someone who feels for other people
- d - someone who feels sure in themselves
- e - someone who loves new experiences
- f - someone who doesn't like to change their mind once they've made it
- g - someone who likes playing sports
- h - someone who has a hard time making up their mind

4 Put the words in the right columns.

immature selfish caring rude
helpful impatient bossy responsible
creative dishonest cheerful loving
stubborn compassionate

TRAITS	
Positive	Negative