

1B VOCABULARY Adjective suffixes

Definitions

a Read the definitions. Choose the correct word from the list and make an adjective using a suffix. Write your answers in the column on the right.

affection assert create envy glamour help impulse power rebel rely **sense** social

- 1 He's easily hurt, especially if you criticize him. sensitive
- 2 She has an amazing imagination and she's very original. _____
- 3 He can be trusted to do something well. _____
- 4 She can express her opinions clearly and confidently. _____
- 5 He always wants what other people have. _____
- 6 He shows caring feelings towards everyone he knows. _____
- 7 She likes to offer solutions if you have a problem. _____
- 8 She has lots of control and influence over people and events. _____
- 9 He does things suddenly, without thinking about what might happen. _____
- 10 She's beautiful, exciting, and different from ordinary people. _____
- 11 He really enjoys going out with his friends and meeting new people. _____
- 12 She doesn't like rules, or doing what other people tell her to do. _____

b Complete the sentences with the correct form of the words in **bold**. Write your answers in the column on the right.

- 1 My living room was white, but now it's really **colour** colourful
- 2 My idea of a **holiday** is to stay at a nice hotel and do absolutely nothing. **rest** _____
- 3 Marie's class is very **noise**. I can hear them from the next floor! noisy
- 4 The café is a successful business and it's very **profit** profitable
- 5 Ruth's very **care** – she never checks what she's written. careful
- 6 Travelling alone can be **risk**, so I prefer doing it with other people. risky
- 7 The flat is really **space** – the living room is enormous! spacious
- 8 The government is **hope** that unemployment will go down this year. hopeful
- 9 The architect's buildings are really **impress** – they've won lots of awards. impressive
- 10 It's a violent film, so it isn't **suit** for children under 15. suitable
- 11 This app is really **use** for learning new vocabulary. useful
- 12 I don't like crowded places, like shops during the sales. I find them really **stress**! stressful

ACTIVATION

Test your memory. Cover the columns on the right. Read the definitions in a and say the adjectives. Then read the sentences in b aloud with the correct form of the words in **bold**.