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BE  
INSPIRED

## VOCABULARY

## Describing people

- 1 ★ Find 11 more personality adjectives in the word search.



- 2 ★★ Complete the sentences with words from Exercise 1.

- 1 People think I'm confident, but I'm usually shy.
- 2 Paul isn't very \_\_\_\_\_. He likes being alone.
- 3 Tyler is usually very \_\_\_\_\_. He's always smiling.
- 4 Kim and her brother are very different. He's silly and immature, but she's \_\_\_\_\_.
- 5 It's better to be \_\_\_\_\_ and not panic in dangerous situations.
- 6 I'm very \_\_\_\_\_ – I get upset easily.

- 3 ★★ Complete the table with the opposites of words from Exercise 1.

in-	<sup>1</sup> <u>sensitive</u>	im-	<sup>7</sup> _____
un-	<sup>2</sup> _____		
	<sup>3</sup> _____		
	<sup>4</sup> _____		
	<sup>5</sup> _____		
	<sup>6</sup> _____		

- 4 ★★ Complete the sentences with the opposites in the box.

anxious grumpy lazy shy silly

- 1 Martin isn't calm today. He's anxious because of his exam tomorrow.
- 2 I don't think I'm confident. I'm usually quite \_\_\_\_\_.
- 3 My mother is always \_\_\_\_\_. She's not cheerful at all.
- 4 You're so \_\_\_\_\_ sometimes. Why can't you be more sensible?
- 5 When she was young, my cat was always active. Now she's just \_\_\_\_\_.

- 5 ★★ Circle the correct adjectives.

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My sister, Alicia, is a very confident / *talented* person because she's always sure about herself and knows what she's good at. In fact, she's quite <sup>2</sup> *active* / *ambitious* – she's got lots of goals and things she wants to achieve. She's also smart and really <sup>3</sup> *patient* / *talented* – she can play the piano and is very good at sport. The only 'problem' is that she's not very <sup>4</sup> *cheerful* / *sociable* – she doesn't like going to parties and she doesn't have many friends. But if I have a problem, she's always <sup>5</sup> *helpful* / *calm* and tries to solve it. Alicia is <sup>6</sup> *sensitive* / *patient*, too – she doesn't get angry, even when other people make really big mistakes. My sister is my hero!



## Explore it!

Guess the correct answer.

Scientists believe that people who are \_\_\_\_\_ live longer than average.

a cheerful    b confident    c grumpy

Find an interesting fact about how to live longer and send the question in an email to a classmate or ask them in the next class.

