

08 | Wanted: People who can sing.

VOCABULARY

1 Complete the sentences. Use the words in the box.

generous polite **smart** reliable outgoing

1. Matt is really good at math and science. He's very **smart**.
2. Ana always does what she says she will do, and she's always on time. She's a very **reliable** person.
3. Nadine talks to everyone and is great with new people. She's very **outgoing**.
4. Tom always says *please, thank you, and you're welcome*. He's very **polite**.
5. Jamie gives great presents and always pays for dinner. He's very **generous**.

2 Complete the text. Use the words in the box.

helpful patient **hard-working** outgoing amusing serious



My brother and sister

My brother and sister are very different. My sister, Joanna, has a great job, and she spends a lot of time in the office – she's really ¹ **hard-working**. She's interested in history and politics. I always learn a lot from her, but we don't laugh much because she is really ² **serious** about life. But she's also very ³ **helpful**. I'm often late to meet her, but she always waits for me.



My brother, Lucas, is definitely not serious. When I meet him we always laugh a lot – he's very ⁴ **outgoing** and always has some funny stories to tell. He has hundreds of friends. People love talking to him, and he's good with new people – he's so ⁵ **amusing**. He's also really ⁶ **helpful**. He gave me tips when I had a job interview and he was great when I moved into my new apartment.

LANGUAGE PRACTICE

1 Answer the questions. Use the information in the box and *who, that, or which*.

Stefano is a movie producer.

His friends are movie stars and musicians.

His company makes action movies.

His house has a large swimming pool.

His favorite movies have a lot of fast cars.

He buys only expensive clothes.



1. What kind of company does Stefano work for?

He works for a company that / which makes action movies.

2. What kind of movies does he like?

3. What kind of people does he know?

4. What kind of house does he live in?

5. What kind of clothes does he buy?

2 **OVER TO YOU** Now answer these questions about you. Use *who, that, or which*.

1. What kind of job do you have or want to have?

2. What kind of movies do you like?

3. What kind of people do you know?

4. What kind of clothes do you buy?

Kelly Hey, let's try this personality quiz. What kind of books do you like?

Lisa I like books ¹ **that** are funny.

Kelly That's interesting. I like books ² make me think. What about movies?

Lisa I like movies ³ have a lot of action.

Kelly Me, too. OK ... so the next question is about friends. What kind of people do you like?

Lisa I like people ⁴ are polite and smart. What about you?

Kelly I need to laugh and have fun, so I like people ⁵ are amusing. Most of my friends are like that. Now what about work colleagues?

Lisa I need to work with people ⁶ are hard-working and reliable. That's really important for me.

4 Read the conversation in Activity 3 again. Write a similar conversation. Use your own ideas.

Lisa Let's try this personality quiz. What kind of books do you like?

You I like books .

Lisa That's interesting. What about movies?

You I like movies .

Lisa Really? And what kind of people do you like?

You I like people .

Lisa What about work colleagues?

You I need to work with people .