

Emotions and Feelings Adjectives

Complete each sentence with the most appropriate adjective from the list below. Some adjectives may be used more than once.

puzzled ■ offended ■ astonished ■ miserable ■ resentful ■ charmed ■ amused ■ anxious
grateful ■ alarmed ■ exasperated ■ stunned ■ upbeat

1. After losing his job and breaking up with his girlfriend in the same week, John felt completely _____.
2. The audience was _____ by the magician's incredible tricks that seemed impossible.
3. I was _____ when my neighbour made comments about my children.
4. Despite the challenges, Sarah maintained a(n) _____ attitude and believed things would improve.
5. The children were _____ by the funny story their grandfather told them.
6. The teacher became _____ when the students wouldn't stop talking during the lesson.
7. We were _____ to the hosts for their hospitality during our stay.
8. Mark looked _____ as he tried to solve the difficult math problem.
9. I felt _____ toward my colleague who got credit for my idea.
10. Everyone was _____ by her beautiful singing voice and elegant manner.

Match each situation (1-12) with the most appropriate adjective (A-N) that describes how someone would feel in that situation.

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| a puzzled | 1. ____ Your friend makes a joke about your new haircut that you find hurtful. |
| b offended | 2. ____ You can't figure out how to solve a riddle despite trying for hours. |
| c astonished | 3. ____ You receive unexpected help from a stranger when your car breaks down. |
| d miserable | 4. ____ You wake up feeling worried about your important job interview later today. |
| e resentful | 5. ____ Your colleague gets promoted instead of you, even though you worked harder. |
| f charmed | 6. ____ You see a celebrity walking down your street unexpectedly. |
| g amused | 7. ____ You've been sick for a week and can't participate in any activities. |
| h anxious | 8. ____ You hear strange noises coming from your basement at night. |
| i grateful | 9. ____ After many attempts, your child still refuses to clean their room. |
| j alarmed | 10. ____ You meet someone who impresses you with their wit and intelligence. |
| k exasperated | 11. ____ You laugh at a funny video your friend shared on social media. |
| l stunned | 12. ____ You discover that your quiet, shy colleague has won an Olympic medal. |