2 Adjectives: people 1

The adjectives in the box below are all in the crossword. Read the clues and complete the crossword with them.

brave	generous	grateful	honest	independent	jealous
lively	mature	miserable	patient	popular	proud
relaxed	reliable	sensible	superficial	warm	weird

Across

1 She doesn't think about anything seriously or have any deep feelings. She's so _____

6 He's always _____. He's never in a hurry and he's always calm.

8 She's the most _____ person in the school. Everybody likes her.

10 He's very _____. If he says he'll do something, then he does it.

13 She's very _____. She never complains about the pain she is in all the time.

14 She always tells the truth. She's very _____

15 He's a very _____ teacher. He doesn't get cross even when he has to repeat something three times.

17 They were very _____ when we said they could stay in our house while we were away.

Down

1 He never drinks and drives. He's too _____ to do something silly like that.

2 She's going to travel around the world for six months on her own. She must be very _____

3 She always has fun at parties because she's so bright and _____

4 He never smiles and always looks _____. I don't know what his problem is.

5 She's only seventeen but she seems much older. She's very _____ for her age.

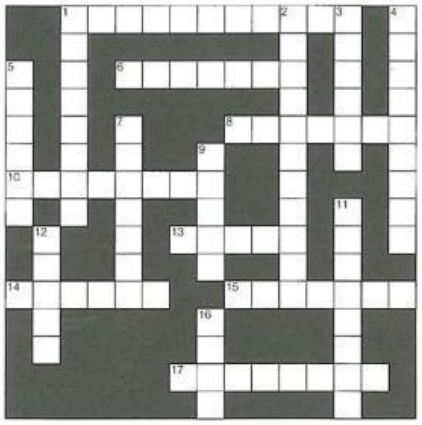
7 He makes her _____ when he looks at other girls.

9 She looks _____. Why does she always wear such strange clothes?

11 They're very rich but they are also really _____ with their money. They give wonderful presents.

12 He got 100% in all his exams. His parents are really _____ of him.

16 She's always _____ and friendly. You always feel welcome at her house.



The word *sensible* may be a 'false friend' for many students of English whose mother tongue has Latin roots. In English, *sensible* means *clever in a practical way*.
She won't take any silly risks. She's a sensible girl.
It does not mean the same as *sensitive*, which means *easily hurt* or *delicate*.
She can't use soap on her face. She's got very sensitive skin.
Don't tease him. He's very sensitive and you might make him cry.

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19 Adjectives: people 2

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adventurous	ambitious	eccentric	immature	moody
nosy	obstinate	self-confident	strict	sympathetic
talented	timid	violent		

Across

1 They shouldn't get married at eighteen. They are far too _____ to take such an important decision.

5 Clive is having another exhibition of his paintings. He's also giving a concert next week. He is a very _____ person.

7 Tina is so _____. If I have a problem, she always listens and tries to help me.

8 At the office party, she stood in a corner and didn't speak to anyone. She's very quiet and _____

9 We've given her lots of good advice but she won't listen. She's very _____

11 Jackie is so _____. One minute she's laughing and the next she's sulking.

12 He's a _____ man. He was arguing with Tom last night and he ended up pushing him against the wall and shaking him.

Down

2 My uncle cycles around town in a big red hat and long red boots. Everyone stares at him because he looks so _____

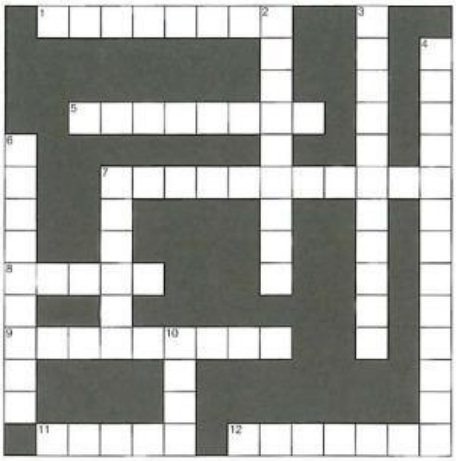
3 She enjoys hot air ballooning and parachute jumping. She's very _____

4 He wasn't nervous about starting his new job. In fact he was very _____ and felt sure that he would do it well and enjoy it.

6 Michael already owns three restaurants but he intends to own a chain of them by the time he's thirty-five. He's very _____

7 Her parents are quite _____. She's seventeen but she has to be home by ten o'clock, even at weekends.

10 He's always asking me questions about my family and job. He's very _____



Here's a way of increasing your word power. When you look up a new adjective in the dictionary, check if it has a noun form and write that down as well, for example *immature* (adj), *immaturity* (n).

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