

TEST: Personality Adjectives (behaviour)

1) Match the synonyms.

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| 1. brave | A silly |
| 2. hospitable | B sceptical |
| 3. untruthful | C courageous |
| 4. inconsiderate | D reckless |
| 5. foolish | E eager |
| 6. mischievous | F welcoming |
| 7. cynical | G thoughtless |
| 8. altruistic | H deceitful |
| 9. careless | I unselfish |
| 10. keen | J naughty |

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2) Match the antonyms.

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| 1. mischievous | A quiet |
| 2. cunning | B affectionate |
| 3. heroic | C loyal |
| 4. pushy | D timid |
| 5. short-sighted | E naive |
| 6. pretentious | F practical |
| 7. disloyal | G well-behaved |
| 8. clumsy | H modest |
| 9. spiteful | I far-sighted |
| 10. romantic | J graceful |

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3) Complete the sentences with the words in the box. One word you do not need.

pretentious / pushy / clumsy / romantic / careless / deceitful / courageous / eager / hospitable / practical

- Mark is _____ to improve his English. He's studying really hard.
- Mary tripped over the carpet and dropped her cup on the floor. She was _____.
- Sam is so _____. On Valentine's Day he bought his wife a lot of red roses.
- My cousin Jane is extremely _____. We get really well looked after at her house.
- Sam went back into the burning building to rescue his cat. He was _____.
- She's so _____. She left her cash card at the till of the supermarket yesterday.
- My parents are very _____. They insist that I apply to university, even though I don't want to.
- It was _____ of Jack to lie about how he spent money.
- Despite their wealth, they were always _____ about money.

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4) Underline the correct answer.

- I thought Karla was being so **pushy** / **pretentious** / **clumsy** in the restaurant – insisting on ordering everything in Italian. The waiter was from Leeds.
- It was totally **heroic** / **deceitful** / **cowardly** of him not to defend his friend when he was unfairly accused.
- Adam's behaviour was completely **eager** / **altruistic** / **reckless**. He took unnecessary risks.
- Ted's girlfriend is so **spiteful** / **foolish** / **pretentious**. She's always doing something to hurt him.
- It would be really **disloyal** / **thoughtless** / **short-sighted** of you to leave your job. You have to think of the long-term future.
- Jeremy is not a **heroic** / **cunning** / **considerate** enough liar to deceive his elder sister Ann.
- I'm sure Paul didn't mean to be rude. He can be **spiteful** / **thoughtless** / **eager** at times.
- I told you Frank would propose, but you're too **unselfish** / **timid** / **cynical** to believe in true love!
- Mrs. Sprint is very **graceful** / **sceptical** / **foolish** about the results of the survey.