

Personality and behaviour

1 Match each personality trait (a–j) with the situations (1–10).

- a compassionate
- b devoted
- c idle
- d manipulative
- e principled
- f resilient
- g selfless
- h self-serving
- i spiteful
- j unruly

- 1 I can't believe you've eaten the rest of my birthday cake just because we had an argument!
- 2 It's so sweet how your cat follows you everywhere.
- 3 Children! Stop throwing things and calm down!
- 4 Sara didn't get a place on the course this year, but she's decided to work hard and try again next year.
- 5 Ronny, come on, you need to get up and help clear up like everyone else.
- 6 I'm sorry, I won't tell you the answers for the homework because I don't believe in cheating.
- 7 Here, take my jacket – you look colder than I am.
- 8 Tom, if you lend me £10 I won't tell Mum that you came home late last night.
- 9 Are you OK? You look upset. Sit down and tell me about it.
- 10 Amir invited me to a party, but it turned out it was only so he could get a lift in my car.

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Expressions with self

2 Complete the dialogue with these words.

find himself • lose yourself • self-deprecating
self-doubt • self-expression • self-indulgence
self-esteem • self-preservation shadow of his
former self wrapped up in yourself

Jasmine: Hey Marco, I've done it! I've just registered to walk 50 km for charity!

Marco: Brilliant! Which charity are you raising money for?

Jasmine: An organisation that helps homeless people gain the skills and confidence they need to get jobs. Many homeless people have a lot of (1) about re-entering the workforce.

Marco: I guess it would be easy to (2) when you are struggling to survive.
(3) would come first.

Jasmine: That's right. I met an artist who had been helped by a charity. He said he had been a (4) until he began working with the charity. It helped him to (5) and develop his talents. Now he exhibits in three galleries and, although he was really modest and (6) about his success, you could tell that it had really improved his (7)

Marco: Wow! So how are you going to get people to support you for the walk?

Jasmine: Well, I was thinking of posting a selfie for the sponsors for every ten kilometres that I walk during my training. Do you think that's a (8)? It's so easy to get (9) – I don't want people to think I've forgotten about the charity!

Marco: I think it's OK. I read an article the other day that said even though giving can be self-serving it's the result that matters. I think your selfie idea is a cool kind of (10) It'll give people a story to follow and support. I say go for it!

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Describing data: synonyms

- 3 Replace the word in bold in each sentence with one of these words in the correct form.

accurately • difference • evaluate • record
• report • significant • slightly • stand out from

- 1 We've **assessed** your suitability for the position and would like to offer you the job.
- 2 Researchers found no **distinction** between the two groups of subjects.
- 3 Jamie is **noticeable among** his peers because of his ability for non-verbal reasoning.
- 4 The project has undergone **important and large** changes since the beginning.
- 5 It has been **observed** in the press that around 30% of people did their food shopping online last year.
- 6 Please make sure you take notes **precisely** because you don't want to make a mistake when you write your essay.
- 7 In the study, subjects who had more sleep performed only **a little** better than those who had less sleep, which surprised the researchers.
- 8 Whilst you're carrying out the experiment, don't forget to **write down** the results.

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Unit review

- 4 Complete the text with one of the words or expressions from the previous page.

Johnny's Transformation

When Johnny was a teenager, he was very selfish. A typical (1) gesture would be to ask friends to come over to his house and do their homework, but only because he wanted to copy their answers! At lunch time he would often (2) alone at school, because nobody wanted to talk to him. But he was so (3) in himself that he often didn't notice. He also had a problem with reality. He thought he was (4) more clever than his friends. In fact, he thought he was so clever that he (5) from the rest of his year group. In fact, his test scores were at best only (6) better than average.

One day, his class had an important test. Johnny was naturally quite an (7) person and didn't bother to revise. He failed the test badly. Everyone in the class laughed at him. Johnny was embarrassed and started to see the truth. Over time, he became withdrawn and became a (8) former self. However, his brother, seeing what had happened, decided to help him. With his brother's help, Johnny became more determined and (9) After a few months, there was a huge (10) in his attitude towards his school work. He worked hard for his final exams and was pleased to (11) to his parents that he had got the highest mark in the class. These days Johnny is a much nicer person. He has high (12), but at the same time is modest and kind.

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Total: / 40 points