



Words Describing Character

Read the character of each person. Then tick all the sentences that describe the behaviour of a person with that particular character.

1. Chloe is a haughty person.

- She refuses to speak to those whom she feels are unintelligent.
- She spends time helping the needy.
- She looks down on those who cannot afford to travel overseas like her.
- She walks off after winning the competition, refusing to shake hands with those who lost.

2. Mr Lee is a frugal person.

- At the supermarket, Mr Lee selects the cheaper alternative when he buys his groceries.
- Mr Lee earns very little every month.
- Mr Lee prefers to wear the same clothes to spending money on new clothes.
- He manages to save a small amount of his salary every month even though he does not earn much.

3. Joe is a cunning person.

- He tells the lady a lie in order to get her to part with her money.
- He comes up with a new way of solving the problem.
- He keeps to himself and refuses to interact with the others.
- He speaks curtly to his colleagues.

4. Jill is an impulsive person.

- She keeps to herself most of the time.
- When she sees a toy that she likes, she buys it immediately without looking at the price tag.
- She promises to take on the new project without thinking of whether she will be able to complete it on time.
- She insists on her way all the time.

5. Ann is a practical person.

- She will not take on the project if she knows she cannot complete it on time.
- She only buys items that she needs and can afford.
- She will speak politely to her friends.
- When she encounters strangers, she will not speak to them.

6. Mrs Smith is a faint-hearted person.

- She will not be willing to help those in need.
- She falls ill very often.
- She screams and shouts for help when she sees a cockroach.
- She refuses to walk home alone in the dark.

7. Tommy is an apathetic person.
- () When he hears the news, he shrugs and walks off.
 - () He tries to sabotage the stage props when he is not selected for the play.
 - () He does not believe that his best friend will tell on him.
 - () He avoids his neighbours whenever he can.
8. Jack is an indolent person.
- () He does not bother to take up courses to improve his knowledge.
 - () He will rather sit by the beach every day than go to work.
 - () He tells his parents off when he is in a bad mood.
 - () On the bus, he refuses to give up his seat to the elderly.

- Answers:**
1. She refuses to speak to those whom she feels are unintelligent. She looks down on those who cannot afford to travel overseas like her. She walks off after winning the competition, refusing to shake hands with those who lost.
 2. At the supermarket, Mr Lee selects the cheaper alternative when he buys his groceries. Mr Lee prefers to wear the same clothes to spending money on new clothes. He manages to save a small amount of his salary every month even though he does not earn much.
 3. He tells the lady a lie in order to get her to part with her money.
 4. When she sees a toy that she likes, she buys it immediately without looking at the price tag. She promises to take on the new project without thinking of whether she will be able to complete it on time.
 5. She will not take on the project if she knows she cannot complete it on time. She only buys items that she needs and can afford.
 6. She screams and shouts for help when she sees a cockroach. She refuses to walk home alone in the dark.
 7. When he hears the news, he shrugs and walks off.
 8. He does not bother to take up courses to improve his knowledge. He will rather sit by the beach every day than go to work.