People

Module 1

Appearance/Character/Clothes

Complete the descriptions.



MODULE OBJECTIVES

Vocabulary

- appearance/character/ clothes
- personality
- jobs
- prepositions
- phrasal verbs: look
- word formation: adjectives from verbs & nouns

Reading

- multiple choice
- answer questions

Grammar

- present tenses
- stative verbs

Listening

- a radio interview (true/false statements)
- a part of a lecture (multiple choice)
- intonation: stressed syllables

Speaking

- a presentation on the Akha tribe
- a presentation on your family
- introduce ourselves/others
- ask about/express likes/ dislikes
- ask for/give personal information
- social expressions
- describe a picture
- describe a person

Writing

- a paragraph comparing your lifestyle to a tribe's lifestyle
- an email describing a person

Language Focus

- phrasal verbs & prepositions
- word formation
- grammar in focus
- Progress Check



A • optimistic • fair • trainers • shoulder-length

shoulder-length
Becky is a pretty girl. She is slim with 1) ... dark hair. She has a 2) fair
complexion, a small nose and blue eyes. She is wearing a pink T-shirt, jeans and
traimers. She is sporty and 4) ... and tends to expect good things to happen.
optimistic

B • spiky • beard • polite • early • dark • overweight • casual

Steve is in his 1) ... thirties. He is tall and 2) ... with short 3) ... black hair. He has a 4) ... complexion, a big nose, a **beaud** a moustache. He is wearing **casual**.. clothes, a white T-shirt and jeans. He is a very 7) ... person and behaves towards people in a pleasant way.

√ C • wrinkles • jumper • caring • medium • bald • skinny

Larry is old and of 1) ... height. He is 2) ... and has a pale complexion with wringles. He is going 4) balchis hair is grey and he has a big nose. He is wearing iumbeend trousers. He is a 6 caring on and always helps others.

Use the words/phrases below to describe the rest of the people in Ex. 1.

- teenager, tall, slim, pale complexion, long straight fair hair, big eyes, pointed nose / striped top, jacket, jeans / outgoing – like meeting people
- handsome, slim, short, dark hair, brown eyes / shirt and tie, black leather jacket, trousers / can be arrogant – thinks he is better than others
- mid-forties, average height, slim, curly fair hair, small eyes, thin lips / cardigan, shirt, trousers / gentle always kind and calm
- Describe a person in your class. Your partner guesses who the person is.

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Vocabulary

Vocabulary from the text



- Replace the words in bold with words from the list.
 - leadership a step further
 - attend honour gather
 - maintain introduce
 - memorise

maintain

- 1 He tries to **keep** a youthful physical appearance.
- 2 They **Gath Egether** at Sam's house every Friday.
- 3 We have to learn the poem by heart for school tomorrow.
- 4 I think every child should goattend to kindergarten.
- 5 Under the new manager's guidance, the company went from strength to strengtheader hip 4
- 6 Every year, they have a ceremony to show the honour respect to their ancestors.
- 7 I think the time has come for us to take things forwarda step further
- 8 If we bring in modern introduce cultural practices to the tribe, we'll destroy their traditional way of life.



- We have a code/law of behaviour here. Please respect it.
- 2 Everyone has a responsibility in society/region to obey the laws
- 3 We should all try to help maintain our local community/society.
- 4 My *ancestors/descendants* all came from Europe.
- 5 Sadly, many of the tribe's traditional practices are disappearing/removing.
- 6 It's important to *remain/hold* calm during an argument.
- 7 I am a *lightly/fairly* optimistic person.
- 8 She has very *individual*/ *distinctive* eyes the colour is unlike anything I've ever seen.

Topic vocabulary Clothes



/ B Choose the correct words.



BV

Mary is wearing a white dress with black
9) polka dots/stripes, and a red 10) leather/
cotton belt. She's also wearing red 11) highheeled/platform shoes. She looks
12) fashionable/sloppy.

Describe what the people in the pictures are wearing. Use words from Ex. 3 as well as your own ideas.



Fill in: try on, match, fit, suits, do up.

- 1 These jeans don' fit... me. They are the wrong size.
- 2 Can I please Try Phs coat?
- 3 I'm looking for a pair of shoes tonatchs dress.
- 4 Do you think this coloursuitse?
- 5 Do Wour coat. It's very cold outside.

Phrasal verbs: LOOK

down on

forward

6 Choose the correct particle. Check in the Word List.





- 1 I'm lookingup my little cousin up to this weekend. (take care of)
- 2 We can't wait to meet your parents. We're looking it. (anticipate)
- down
 You shouldn't look ... people who have less money than you. (have a bad opinion of)
- 4 If you don't know his phone number, just look if ... in the yellow pages. (find in a book/list)

Personality

a) Match the adjectives in A with their opposites in B.

Positive		Negative Neg	
1 optimistic G	2 patient	A dull	B rude
3 modest	4 truthful/honest	C arrogant	D lazy
5 hardworking	6 cheerful	E dishonest/deceitful	F moody
7 interesting	8 gentle C	G pessimistic	H impatient
9 organised K	10 politeA	I aggressive	J indifferent
11 caringJ	12 generous L	K disorganised	L selfish



b) Now choose words from Ex. 7a to complete the sentences.

- **1** 1... people always see the positive side of things.
- 23... people don't like talking about their achievements.
- 3 F... people are kind and calm.
- 4 ... people tell a lot of lies.
- 5 C.. people think they are more important or talented than
- ... people often become sad or angry for no particular reason.
- 7 B.. people always want to start fights.
- 8 1.1. people are helpful and sympathetic to others.
- 9 people only care about themselves and not others.
- 10 $\check{\mathsf{H}}_{\cdot\cdot}$ people get easily annoyed when they have to wait for something.



c) Which adjectives best describe you/your friends?

I'm quite organised and polite.

Jobs



Add a suffix -ant -ian -er -or to the verbs in the list to make names of jobs. Match the words to the descriptions of the jobs (1-10), as in the example.

- electric beauty bake clean translate mine • farm • music • account • act
- 1 I change written words from one language into another. translator
- 2 I work underground to remove coal.miner
- 3 I play roles in films. actor
- 4 I keep and check the financial records specific farmer
- 5 I grow crops and keep animals.
- 6 I fix problems with electrical wires. electrician
- 7 I use make-up to improve people's appearances. beautician
- 8 I make bread and cakes and sell them in a shop.

baker

cleaner

musician

- 9 I tidy other people's houses.
- 10 I play the piano very well.

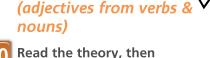
Prepositions

Choose the correct item. Check in the Word List.



- 2 He is jealous of/about his brother for being good at sports.
- 3 He is interested in/at nature.
- 4 I don't really care of/about designer clothes.
- 5 Don't be rude to/with your teachers.

Word formation (adjectives from verbs & \vee



10 Read the theory, then complete the sentences (1-8) with the adjectives derived from the words in bold.

> We can form adjectives from verbs and nouns by using the following endings: **-ful** (care-careful), **-ic** (dramadramatic), -ive (decide-decisive), -ious (superstitionsuperstitious) , -less (selfselfless), -ish (child-childish), -y (pick-picky), -ing (care-caring)

- 1 John is very He never forgetful remembers where his things are. (FORGET)
- 2 Luke is ... I think he'll creative become a painter. (CREATE)
- 3 He's very He wants to ambitious become rich and famous. (AMBITION)
- 4 Ann's She's always boring talking about the things. (BORE)
- 5 Don't be Think of others selfish first. (SELF)
- 6 He's very He tells the funny best jokes. (FUN)
- 7 Sue's quite She's very artistic good at drawing. (ART)
- 8 Jess is ... and often offends tactless people. (TACT)