

Unit 3: Success

1 Reading

Views on personality

Read the introduction to a book about personality from exercise 39, page 41 again. Match the beginnings of the sentences (1–5) with the sentence endings (A–H). There are two extra parts that you should not use. Write your answers in the boxes provided. The first one (0) has been done for you.

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2	John Watson
3	Sigmund Freud
4	Carl Jung
5	Isabel Myers and Kathryn Briggs

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Listening

Talking about trends in tourism

Listen to the recording from exercise 40, page 42 again. You are going to listen to four businesspeople talking about how to boost cultural tourism in the Salzkammergut. First you will have 45 seconds to study the task below, then you will hear the recording twice. While listening, choose the correct answer (A, B, C or D) for questions 1–5. Put a cross (☒) in the correct box. The first one (0) has been done for you.

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Language

Talking about a business idea

Complete this advice for selling your business idea using the correct verbs. The first letter is shown.

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Have you **1 c_ome** up with a bright idea? Maybe you've designed a product that's easy to **2 u_____** and **3 l_____** fantastic? Want to **4 m_____** money out of it? We'll help you to **5 p_____** your idea, get it on the market and – who knows? – you could **6 m_____** a living selling your bright idea!

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Language

Present perfect and time expressions

Complete the sentences with verbs from the box in their correct form and the words in brackets.

be ■ buy ■ know ■ learn ■ move ■ see ■ want

- 1 I _____ (always) to learn to play the piano.
- 2 Betsy _____ (just) a car. She only passed her driving test last week.
- 3 I don't eat biscuits. These _____ in my cupboard for months.
- 4 We _____ (recently), so people don't know our new address yet.
- 5 What _____ (you) on the course so far?
- 6 We _____ (them/for years). They used to live next door.
- 7 Let's not watch that film. I _____ (already/it).

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Language

Hopes, dreams and ambitions

Put the words in the correct order to write sentences.

- 1 taking/job/France/the/I'm/in/considering/.

- 2 point/absolutely/across/At/I'd/to/America/some/love/drive/.

- 3 set up/dream/cake business/is/My/to/a/.

- 4 always/to/languages/I've/learn/wanted/.

- 5 like/another/I'd/One/to/day/country/move/to/.

- 6 finish/is/week/My/to/writing/next/aim/my essay/.

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Language

Abilities

Cross out the grammatically **incorrect** ending in each sentence

- 1 My brother's very good at visualising things. / fixing computers. / ~~paint and draw.~~
- 2 Good students are able to concentrating. / organise their time. / work independently.
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- 7 I think I have a good imagination. / sense of direction. / relations with my colleagues.
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Language

Abilities

Cover exercise 6. Put the words of the sentences in the correct order.

- 1 sense/usually/a/have/construction/of/workers/balance/good/.

- 2 ability/another/all/the/learn/we/to/language/have/.

- 3 like/physical/at/she's/ice/good/activities/hockey/.

- 4 of/is/quick/Maurice/decisions/capable/making/.

- 5 both/Marta/words/a/with/has/and/facility/numbers/.

- 6 good/have/skills/they/very/communication/.

- 7 'Sudoku'/such/he/numerical/at/as/excels/puzzles/.

- 8 able/others/well/to/with/she's/co-operate/.

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Language

Describing talented people

Match definitions 1–5 with adjectives a–e.

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| 1 extremely clever | <input type="checkbox"/> | a top |
| 2 excellent, much better than most | <input type="checkbox"/> | b natural / born |
| 3 having a characteristic or ability from birth | <input type="checkbox"/> | c outstanding / exceptional |
| 4 having a lot of skills, abilities or knowledge about something | <input type="checkbox"/> | d brilliant |
| 5 the best, most important or most successful | <input type="checkbox"/> | e expert / skilled |

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Language

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Complete the sentences 1–6 with the adjectives from exercise 8 without looking at it. The first letter is shown.

- 1 My next-door neighbour is an amazingly s killed mechanic.
- 2 Pavel is an o _____ ballet dancer. In fact, he's one of his country's t _____ dancers.
- 3 Both of her parents are b _____ mathematicians. They're so intelligent. And she herself is an e _____ maths student.
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- 5 I have to admit that Wilkinson is a b _____ leader. Even in school, he was head of the Students' Union.
- 6 Jo's such a n _____ teacher. She doesn't need much guidance from the principal or the senior teachers.

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Speaking

Facts and feelings

a Complete sentences 1–6 to make them true for you.

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| 1 I'm excited about ... | 3 I'm having doubts about ... | 5 I'm optimistic about ... |
| 2 I've always been passionate about ... | 4 I need some information about ... | 6 I've got a few questions about ... |

b Compare your sentences with a partner. Ask questions to find out more.

Example: A: I'm really excited about my new summer job. B: That's good. What is it?
A: I'm going to work at the office of Greenpeace in Vienna.

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Writing

Taking notes: Read the notes. Write the full words for abbreviations 1–7.

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| 1 <u>and so on</u> | 5 _____ |
| 2 _____ | 6 _____ |
| 3 _____ | 7 _____ |
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Europass CV

Go to www.europass.at and fill in an online CV in English. Use expressions from exercises 4–7.

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- 2 At some point I'd absolutely love to drive across America.
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- 2 We all have the ability to learn another language.
- 3 She's good at physical activities like ice hockey.
- 4 Maurice is capable of making quick decisions.
- 5 Marta has a facility with both words and numbers.
- 6 They have very good communication skills.
- 7 He excels at numerical puzzles such as 'Sudoku'.
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| 3 with | 7 paid time off |
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