

## KONU INSPIRATIONAL PEOPLE

### Talking about characteristic features:

- We use character adjectives to talk about someone's personality.
  - We ask 'What is he/she like?' to learn about someone's character.
- Here are some adjectives to describe personality:

#### Personality Adjectives

brave	stingy	easy-going
outgoing	patient	imaginative
generous	stubborn	jealous
cowardly	boring	lazy
modest	sincere	polite
shy	fun	reliable
mean	ridiculous	rude

#### • Agreeing/Disagreeing

**Agreeing:** To say we feel the same, we say; Yes, I agree or Yes, you're right.

#### Examples:

A: I think the film is too long.  
B: Yes, I agree.

A: The music is the best part.  
B: Yes, you're right.

**Disagreeing:** To disagree with someone's opinion, we can say;  
I don't agree or I don't think so.

#### Example:

A: That's a terrible film!  
B: I don't agree. / I don't think so.

#### • Making Comparisons

**1** Comparative adjectives compare two things. We use than with comparative adjectives.

Lisa is *taller* than Clara.

**2** We use as...as when the things compared are equal.

Cathy is *as honest* as Jane. (They are both

Peter is the *funniest* in the class.

	adjective	comparative	superlative
one-syllable adjectives	cheap big large	cheaper bigger larger	the cheapest the biggest the largest
adjectives with two or more syllables	expensive comfortable	more expensive more comfortable	the most expensive the most comfortable
irregular adjectives	good bad much many little	better worse more more less	the best the worst the most the most the least

honest.)

**3** We use not as...as when we compare things negatively.

Dennis is *not as rude* as Harry. (Dennis is more polite than Harry.)

**4** Superlative adjectives compare one thing in a group with all the other things in that group. We use *the* ..... *of* / *in* with superlative adjectives.

• We add **-(e)r** / **-(e)st** to the end of **one-syllabled** adjectives to form their comparative and superlative forms.

hot / hotter (than) / the hottest

• Adjectives with two or more syllables take *more* / *most* in front of them.  
interesting / more interesting than / the most interesting

#### SORULAR:

##### 1. Boşluğa gelecek kelimeyi bulunuz.

I am a / an - - - - man, so I can easily get along with other people.

- A) easygoing B) jealous  
C) stubborn D) stingy  
E) lazy

Cevap: A

##### 2. Aşağıdaki soruyu verilen paragrafa göre cevaplayınız.

According to a study, people with close friendship are happier. It says that when they

spend more time together and share, they feel much better and safe. Also, it says that age is important while making friends and that is to say expectations for a best friend become increasingly complex as a child gets older. According to the study, many adults have fewer friends than they had in younger years.

**We cannot infer from the passage that ----.**

- A) when you get older, it gets hard to make friends  
B) people with best friends may feel safer and happier  
C) people have more friends when they are younger  
D) it is not easy to have and keep close friendship in childhood  
E) it is harder to make new friends in adulthood

Cevap: D

##### 3 Aşağıdaki cümleleri anlamlı bir diyalog oluşturacak şekilde sıralayınız.

- I - Unfortunately, I don't agree with you.  
II- Why don't you agree with me?  
III- What do you think of Istanbul and Paris?  
IV- I think Istanbul is more beautiful.  
V- I went there in 2015 and the traffic was terrible.  
A) II - I - III - IV - V B) III - V - II - I - IV  
C) II - V - I - III - IV D) III - IV - I - II - V  
E) III - IV - V - II - I

Cevap: D

