

English Vocabulary Exercises | Personality

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Exercise 12

Complete the dialogues with the following words:

fussy | pushy | selfish | pessimistic | intolerant | optimistic

1. I know I'm going to get this job - the interview went so well.

> I think you're being a bit . Hundreds of people have applied for it.

2. I'm trying to persuade Liz to give up her job and come and live with me in Scotland.

> Aren't you being a bit ? You know how important her career is.

3. I've looked at fifteen flats and I haven't seen one I really like.

> Don't you think you're being a bit ? You'll never find one that's perfect.

4. Why haven't they phoned me back? I know I'm not going to get this job.

> Aren't you being a bit ? You only had the interview yesterday.

5. Do you think Ann will come on holiday with me?

> Slow down! You've only just met her! Aren't you being a bit ?

6. I hope Bob doesn't become manager. I don't like his accent.

> Don't you think you're being a bit ? You can't dislike him just because of the way he speaks!

ANSWERS

1. **optimistic**
2. **selfish**
3. **fussy**
4. **pessimistic**
5. **pushy**
6. **intolerant**