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| WORD | DEFINITION | EXAMPLE |
| caring | describes someone who is kind and gives emotional support to others | I've always thought of Jo as a very caring person. |
| friendly | behaving in a pleasant, kind way towards someone | a friendly face/smile |
| boring | not interesting or exciting | a boring job/lecture |
| serious | A serious person does not laugh often. | I remember her as a very serious child. |
| cheerful | happy and positive | He's usually fairly cheerful. |
| funny | making you smile or laugh | Do you know any funny stories/jokes? |
| intelligent | showing intelligence, or able to learn and understand things easily | a highly intelligent young man |
| cool | good, stylish, or fashionable | It was a really cool gig. |
| confident | certain about your ability to do things well | Be a bit more confident in yourself! |
| easy going | usually relaxed and calm, not worried or upset | My brother is easygoing, but I'm the excitable type. |
| popular | A popular belief, opinion, etc. is one that many people have. | popular entertainment/culture |
| famous | known and recognized by many people | a famous actor |
| brave | showing no fear of dangerous or difficult situations | a brave soldier |
| charming | pleasant and attractive | He's very charming. |
| laid-back | very relaxed and not seeming worried about anything, or causing people to feel this way | a laid-back style of teaching |
| creative | producing or using original and unusual ideas | She's very creative. |
| talented | with talent | a talented footballer/pianist |
| active | doing a lot of things, or moving around a lot | physically/mentally active |
| positive | feeling enthusiastic and happy about your life and your future | a positive attitude |
| dangerous | If someone or something is dangerous, they could harm you. | Bia’s mum has a dangerous job. |
| original | special and interesting because of not being the same as others | She has very original ideas. |
| scared | frightened or worried | She doesn't get scared easily. |
| just | a very short time ago | I've just been on a trip to France. |
| already | before now, or before a particular time in the past | I asked him to come to the exhibition but he'd already seen it. |
| yet | up until now | I haven't spoken to her yet. |
| admire | to respect or approve of someone or something | I really admire my brother. |
| organise | to make arrangements for something to happen | They organized a meeting between the teachers and students |
| decorate | to add attractive things to an object or place, often for a special day or period | They decorated the wedding car with ribbons and flowers. |
| hero | someone who does something brave or good, which people respect or admire them for | One of my heroes is Mr Donaldson, our music teacher. |
| round of applause | when people clap | The crowd gave him a huge round of applause. |
| genius | someone who is extremely intelligent or extremely good at doing something | Mark and other child geniuses will be the subject of a new documentary. |
| poem | a piece of writing, especially one which has short lines and uses words that sound similar | What was the poem about? |
| sign a contract | to write your name on a legal agreement to show that you will do something | You will be required to sign a contract before starting the job. |
| sign an autograph | If a famous person signs an autograph, they write their name for you. | She was signing autographs for fans. |
| write a novel | to produce the words for a printed story | Jane Austen wrote several novels. |
| write a song | to produce the words for a short piece of music | He wrote songs for the group. |
| do a degree | to study for a qualification at a university | Where did you do a degree? |
| do an interview | to ask or answer questions at a meeting for a newspaper article, television show, etc | Have you ever done an interview with anyone really famous? |
| win a prize | to get something because you have succeeded in a competition or game | The person who guesses correctly will win a prize. |
| win a competition | to be the best in an organized event in which people try to win a prize by being the best, fastest, etc. | She won a cake making competition. |
| make friends | to begin to know and like someone | He finds it difficult to make friends. |
| make a cake | to make a sweet food by cooking a mixture of butter, eggs, sugar and flour | I'm making a cake for her birthday. |
| miss your family | to feel sad because you are not with your parents, brother, sister, etc. | I missed my family when I was in Spain. |
| miss the bus | to arrive too late to get on a bus | He missed the bus and had to walk home. |