Character Traits

Sample Word Wall of Adjectives That Describe a Character’s Personality

adaptable

adventurous

affected

affectionate

aggressive

assertive

aloof

anxious

arrogant

autocratic

bitter

boastful

bossy

brutal

callous

capable

careless

candid

cautious

charitable

charming

clear thinking

clever

coarse

cold

confident

cruel

confused

congenial

conscientious

conceited

cool

cooperative

courageous

cowardly

cruel

cynical

daring

dependable

dependent

determined

dignified

discreet

distrustful

docile

dominant

dauntless

doubting

dynamic

egotistical

evil

enterprising

empathetic

excitable

fickle

foolish

foolhardy

foresighted

frail

friendly

gracious

gullible

hardheaded

harsh

heroic

hostile

helpful

hateful

hopeful

happy

haughty

honest

hysterical

humane

humble

humorous

idealistic

impulsive

imaginative

impatient

incompetent

inhibited

indignant

insightful

insincere

intelligent

innocent

inventive

irresponsible

irresistible

knowledgeable

loyal

loving

lazy

listener

liar

methodical

malignant

modest

moral

moody

morbid

meticulous

oblivious

overbearing

optimistic

nonchalant

ornery

peculiar

pessimistic

persevering

passive

poised

practical

prudent

planner

peacemaker

realistic

reasonable

rebellious

reckless

reflective

relentless

sarcastic

secretive

self-centered

sentimental

self-controlled

skillful

show-off

snobbish

sophisticated

spiteful

spineless

stubborn

spontaneous

tyrannical

timid

teasing

trustworthy

taker

treacherous

tormentor

tolerant

unscrupulous

unconcerned

uncouth

uncompromising

ungrateful

unhappy

unpopular

uncooperative

unique

vulgar

witty

weak