

Walk around the room to find someone who---

1. has been to a tanning salon
2. was athletic in high school
3. has kayaked on Ladybird Lake
4. married their high school sweetheart
5. loves cartoons
6. is wearing socks
7. has an earring
8. watches TV in their pajamas

Put **up** or **down** in the blank

1. We really enjoyed the spirited and _____ lifting music.
2. The older kids handed _____ their worn clothes to the younger ones.
3. The old man was _____ on his luck. We gave him a hand-out.
4. We were _____ graded to first class on our flight home.
5. Max _____ ed his coffee in a few sips and rushed for the bus.
6. He's an _____ and coming actor who will be successful in the future.
7. I was so _____ set and _____ cast to hear that my candidate lost the election.
8. We need to _____ date our website so it looks more modern.
9. I hope everyone votes in the _____ coming elections.
10. That movie was really sad. It was a real _____ er.
11. The civil rights movement resulted in a lot of social _____ heaval.
12. Greed will be their _____ fall.
13. The soldiers swore to _____ hold and defend the principles of our democracy.
14. The _____ turn in the economy led to fewer taxes being collected.
15. The stewardess said to put your seat in an _____ right position.
16. The _____ keep on the house is hurting our budget.
17. I'm suspicious of him. I'm not sure he's on the _____ and _____.
18. That waiter was _____ right rude to us.
19. I'm really looking forward to this vacation. I badly need some _____ time.
20. James _____ played the seriousness of his injury.
21. I tried to stop the fight, but neither of the boys would back _____. They were both sure they were right.
22. The comedians had everyone laughing. They really brought _____ the house.

A: If you have tact, you are able to say the right thing. EX: My aunt never hurts anyone's feeling because she uses **tact** in every situation. He **sticks his foot in his mouth** frequently, but his elegant and **tactful** wife is usually able to help him recover from the awkward situation. She **tactfully** suggested that we were in the wrong seats.

Which is the best synonym for tactful? diplomatic thoughtless warmhearted

B: **Jealous** means fearful that the one you love might love someone else, or it can mean wanting something someone else has. EX: Sam was jealous whenever his wife danced with another man. I am so jealous of Todd with his shiny new Porsche. His jealousy poisoned their relationship because she could not even talk to another man without him getting very angry.

Is your spouse jealous? Does it bother you or are you flattered by jealousy? I am jealous of people who have _____.

C: Teenagers often feel the need to **conform to fit in**. If you refuse to conform to the school's dress code, you will be suspended. He was quiet and intellectual which didn't conform with most people's idea of a high school football star.

Judging from the context of the sentences above, conform is probably closest in meaning to:
reject neglect adapt

Are you a conformist or a non-conformist? In what ways do you not conform to the **stereotype**?

Which of the idioms could be synonyms for conform?
go by the book meet halfway toe the line hard as nails

Are there stereotypes about people from your country? What stereotypes are there of Americans?