

INFORMATION GAP CROSSWORD

Aim: Give Ss practice reviewing vocabulary collaboratively.

Preparation: Make one copy of the worksheet for every two Ss.

Cut the copies in half.

Comment: Use after the Word Power on page 3.

- Give half the class Part A of the worksheet, and half Part B. Explain that Part A has all the across words for the puzzle, and Part B has all the down words.
- Explain the task. Point out that Ss cannot look at each other's puzzle.
- Model the task with a Student A:
 - T: What's the clue for 12 across?
 - S: It describes a person who doesn't talk a lot.
 - T: Is it "quiet"?
 - S: Yes, it is.
- Ss work in pairs, one A with one B. Ss write clues for their words individually. For example, a clue for the word *quiet* is *It describes a person who doesn't talk a lot.*
- Ss take turns reading their clues aloud and guessing the words. They use the words to complete the puzzle.
- Ss look at their partner's crossword to check their answers.

Answers

Answers will vary. Some possible clues:

Across

5. It describes a person who doesn't brag about his or her accomplishments.
6. It describes a person who keeps things clean.
8. It describes a person who does what he or she promised.
11. It describes a person who gives encouragement or approval to someone or something.
12. It describes a person who doesn't talk a lot.
13. It describes a person who is nice to others.
14. It describes a person who doesn't worry much or get angry easily.

Down

1. It describes a person who doesn't change easily.
2. It describes a person who is thoughtful of others.
3. It describes a person who does not joke around.
4. It describes a person who doesn't like sharing.
7. It describes a person who does things for others.
9. It describes a person who enjoys being with other people.
10. It describes a person who is emotional and easily hurt.

