Understanding Personality Styles

Personality Styles come in many forms and are dependent in on individual ability, group dynamics, and opportunity. This survey is designed to identify your inherent personality style and to provide a lens for examining other styles. It's important to recognize that there is no "right" or "wrong" personality styles, only different ones.

Directions: Answer the questions by selecting your response based on the way you generally behave. There are four sets below:

Most like you: 4 So	omewhat like you: 3	Unlike you: 2	Least like you: 1
Forceful	Animated	Agreeable	Systematic
Frank	Influencing	Peaceful	Focused
Direct	Excitable	Accommodating	Efficient
Aggressive	Vibrant	Gracious	Accurate
Take-Charge	Uninhibited	Cooperative	Tactical
Assertive	Popular	Good listener	Organizer
Non-conforming	Talkative	Even-paced	Analytical
Fearless	Good mixer	Quiet	Conscientious
Confident	Inspiring	Supportive	Logical
Courageous	Cheerful	Merciful	Precise
Risk-Taker	Lively	Charitable	Serious
Daring	Outgoing	Understanding	High-standard
Independent	Fun-Loving	Loyal	Rule-follower
Tough-minded	Convincing	Kind	Meticulous
Decisive	Expressive	Lenient	Particular
Commanding LION	Enthusiastic PEACOCK	Patient KOALA	Detailed OWL

Add up the numbers in the boxes of each of the columns, then put the totals below.

Column To	tals:		
Lion:	Peacock:	Koala:	Owl:
Graph the t	otals below, and compare you	ur dominate personality style to o	ther personality
styles.	Lion: Direct, aggressive	Peacock: Playful, expressive	Koala: Patient,
sensitive	Owl: Detailed, Prepared		

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Lions- The Doer, Controlling Style

Characteristics:

Dynamic and active Exudes confidence

Must correct wrongs Compulsive need for change

Not easily discouraged Independent and self-sufficient

Loves to be in charge Strong-willed and decisive

Peacocks- The Communicator, Promoting style

Characteristics:

Loves to talk Sincere at heart

Display emotions freely Has a great sense of humor

Cheerful and Curious Loves to be involved

Very Creative Gets others involved

Koala- The Listener, Supporting Style

Characteristics:

Often hides true feelings High level of patience

Usually under control Emotionally steady

Well-Balanced & consistent Happily reconciled to life

Able to absorb criticism Easy-going and relaxed

Owl- The Thinker, Analyzing Style

Characteristics:

Deep & Thoughtful Genius-prone

Deep understanding of life Intuitively creative

Doesn't like to take chances Withheld and reserved

Self-sacrificing & idealistic Serious and purposeful







