

UNIT 18

LADYLIKE NOT CHILDLIKE



business + -LIKE = businesslike

noun

suffix

adjective

Refer to the spelling rules in Appendix B-II and III.

A. Fill in each blank in the second sentence with an adjective derived from the last noun in the first sentence.

Example: Mr. Rich is a man of business.

He handles his problems in a **businesslike** manner.

1. Their leader acted as if he were a king.
He was _____.
2. The new apartment buildings looked like boxes.
They were too _____ to be attractive.
3. In the neighborhood Jane is considered a popular lady.
She is popular for her _____ manners.
4. In the dormitory students don't usually feel at home.
The dormitory doesn't have a _____ atmosphere.

B. Change the five nouns in the list into adjectives by adding -LIKE. Then use each of these adjectives in a sentence together with the phrases given in parentheses. Use an article if necessary.

Example: child (manners) **childlike** manners
He is not taken very seriously due to his childlike manners.

1. silk (texture) _____
2. summer (weather) _____
3. war (disposition) _____
4. father (advice) _____
5. life (picture) _____

C. Fill in each blank in the text with a word in the box.

kinglike	silklike
ladylike	summerlike
fatherlike	lifelike

Jill and Jack are at home and they are playing in their playroom. Jack is sitting in an armchair in a _____ manner with a crown on his head. Jill has wrapped a _____ tablecloth around her waist. With her _____ manners, she pretends to be the princess. Jack starts giving Jill _____ advice. They are very good at playing this game. They act like a real king and a real princess. In fact, you can see this in the _____ picture on the wall.

Then they give up being a king and a princess. They want to play hide-and-seek outside. Their mother allows them to go out during this _____ weather although it's October.

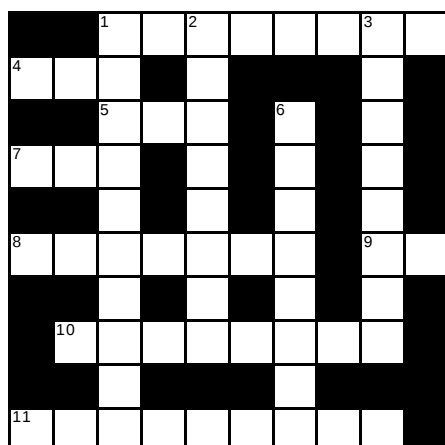
D. Fill in the blanks in the following poem by the words given in the box.

kinglike	dreamlike
summerlike	queenlike

I like _____ people
 But when it comes to my special one
 I prefer _____ manners.
 I want to meet her/him
 On a _____ weather.

E. From your experience think of situations which were not real but looked like real and try to describe your observations by using adjectives ending in -LIKE. After you write your observation, share it with your friends.

F. Puzzle to solve



Across

- 1 like silk (8)
- 4 short form of education (3)
- 5 15 June is _____ -June (3)
- 7 The ___ of two and eight is ten. (3)
- 8 like war (7)
- 9 ___ visible (2)
- 10 like life (8)
- 11 noun form of treat (9)

Down

- 1 like summer (10)
- 2 the way ladies behave (8)
- 3 like a king (8)
- 6 like home (8)