Worksheet 2. Vocabulary practice

Choose the correct word in parenthesis to complete each sentence according to the reading in Worksheet 1.

1. Someone’s character, especially the way they behave toward other people, is their (feelings / personality).

2. When you agree to meet someone at a certain time and a certain place, you have made an (appointment / personality).

3. Our boss is a person who tries extremely hard to get what she wants. That is all she thinks about. She is (supposed / driven) to succeed.

4. Someone who works with you is your co-worker or (client / colleague).

5. A thirst for adventure is a (fear of / strong desire for) adventure.

6. If you trust your head more than your heart, you base your decisions on (reason / emotion).

7. Trust means (work too hard / have confidence in).

8. Leisure time is the time you spend (at work / away from work).

9. When you can understand someone else’s feelings, especially if you’ve had experiences similar to theirs, you (socialize / empathize) with that person.

10. Hal takes a train to work every day rather than a car. In this sentence, rather than means (more frequently / instead of).

11. The bridge is very old. Its age is causing (nature / concerns) that it could collapse.

12. “Hello, sir! Would you like to try a (reason / sample) of
our new chocolate cake? Here. I bet you’ll love it.”