The Big Five Inventory–2 Extra-Short Form (BFI-2-XS)

Here are a number of characteristics that may or may not apply to you. For example, do you agree that you are someone who *likes to spend time with others*? Please write a number next to each statement to indicate the extent to which you agree or disagree with that statement.

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*I am someone who...*

1. ___ Tends to be quiet.
2. ___ Is compassionate, has a soft heart.
3. ___ Tends to be disorganized.
4. ___ Worries a lot.
5. ___ Is fascinated by art, music, or literature.
6. ___ Is dominant, acts as a leader.
7. ___ Is sometimes rude to others.
8. ___ Has difficulty getting started on tasks.
9. ___ Tends to feel depressed, blue.
10. ___ Has little interest in abstract ideas.
11. ___ Is full of energy.
12. ___ Assumes the best about people.
13. ___ Is reliable, can always be counted on.
14. ___ Is emotionally stable, not easily upset.
15. ___ Is original, comes up with new ideas.

Please check: Did you write a number in front of each statement?

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Scoring Key

Item numbers for the BFI-2-XS domain scales are listed below. Reverse-keyed items are denoted by “R.” For more information about the BFI-2, visit the Colby Personality Lab website (http://www.colby.edu/psych/personality-lab/).

Extraversion: 1R, 6, 11
Agreeableness: 2, 7R, 12
Conscientiousness: 3R, 8R, 13
Negative Emotionality: 4, 9, 14R
Open-Mindedness: 5, 10R, 15