

**Task 1** Possible answers

	<b>Mr Bingley</b>	<b>Mr Darcy</b>
<b>Physical appearance</b>	(based on the actor playing the role in the BBC production)  Tall Quite good looking Young Green/blue eyes Blond curly hair	(based on the actor playing the role in the BBC production)  Tall Handsome Young Dark/brown eyes Dark wavy hair
<b>Personality</b>	Friendly Nice Honest	Serious Not very friendly Proud

**Task 2 Key** (students may miss some of the more complex expressions)

And when the party entered the assembly room it consisted of only five altogether - Mr Bingley, his two sisters, the husband of the eldest, and another young man.

Mr Bingley was good-looking and gentlemanlike; he had a pleasant countenance, and easy, unaffected manners. His sisters were fine women, with an air of decided fashion. His brother-in-law, Mr Hurst, merely looked the gentleman; but his friend Mr Darcy soon drew the attention of the room by his fine, tall person, handsome features, noble mien, and the report which was in general circulation within five minutes after his entrance, of his having ten thousand a year. The gentlemen pronounced him to be a fine figure of a man, the ladies declared he was much handsomer than Mr Bingley, and he was looked at with great admiration for about half the evening, till his manners gave a disgust which turned the tide of his popularity; for he was discovered to be proud; to be above his company, and above being pleased; and not all his large estate in Derbyshire could then save him from having a most forbidding, disagreeable countenance, and being unworthy to be compared with his friend.

Source: <http://www.gutenberg.org/files/1342/1342-h/1342-h.htm>

### Task 3 Key

Noun	Adjective
pride	<i>proud</i>
prejudice	<i>prejudiced</i>
nobility	noble
popularity	popular
pleasure	pleasant
admiration	admirable
disgust	disgusting
worth	worthy

**Task 4 Possible answers** – point out that change in word form force also changes in the grammatical structure of the sentence.

- a. At the beginning Mr Darcy enjoyed great popularity among everybody in the room.  
At the beginning, Mr Darcy was very popular among everybody in the room.
- b. Mr Bingley's attitude gave pleasure to everybody.  
Everybody considered Mr Bingley a very pleasant person.
- c. Everyone looked at Mr Darcy with great admiration.  
Everybody considered Mr Darcy an admirable man.
- d. However, his attitude soon caused disgust to everyone.  
However, everyone soon considered his attitude disgusting.

### Homework

Ideally students should be able to do the homework assignment based only in their reading of the book; however, if they are reading at a slow pace, an internet search can help. Emphasise that websites are just for further information and ideas – their paragraphs have to be written in their own language.