



## EXERCISE 22 B SOLUTIONS



Please fill the gaps using these words and phrases:

*“siblings, the middle child, a mixed bag, the downside, stuck in the shadows, get along with, bossy, a handful, change it for, wear off”*

1. The painkillers will wear off in a few hours, so take another dose if needed.
2. I really get along with my coworkers; they make work so much more enjoyable.
3. My best friend can be a bit bossy, but she means well.
4. I love living in the city, but the downside is how expensive everything is.
5. As the middle child, I always had to work harder to get attention.
6. My puppy is cute, but she’s a handful when she starts chewing on everything.
7. The movie reviews were a mixed bag—some people loved it, while others hated it.
8. She was always stuck in the shadows of her older sister, who was a star athlete.
9. Growing up with siblings meant constant arguments, but also a lot of fun.
10. I don’t like this colour; can I change it for a different one?