

Sentence transformation exercise

Convert the following sentences into their exclamatory form.

1. It is kind of you to visit us.

How kind of you to visit us!

How kind it is of you to visit us!

What kind of you to visit us!

2. It was thoughtless of him to have left the door unlocked.

How thoughtless of him to have left the door unlocked!

What thoughtless of him to have left the door unlocked!

How thoughtless he was to have left the door unlocked!

3. It was impudent of the boy to behave like that.

How impudent the boy is to behave like that!

How impudent is the boy to behave like that!

How impudent of the boy to behave like that!

4. It was careless of him to leave the keys on the table.

What careless of him to leave the keys on the table!

How careless of him to leave the keys on the table!

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How careless was he to leave the keys on the table!

5. It is naughty of the children to draw such pictures on the wall.

How naughty were the children to draw such pictures on the wall!

How naughty of the children to draw such pictures on the wall!

How naughty the children are to draw such pictures on the wall!

6. It was clever of you to solve the problem so quickly.

How clever of you to solve the problem so quickly!

How clever you are to solve the problem so quickly!

How clever were you to solve the problem so quickly!

Answers

1. a) How kind of you to visit us!

2. a) How thoughtless of him to have left the door unlocked!

3. a) How impudent of the boy to behave like that!

4. a) How careless of him to leave the keys on the table!

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5. a) How naughty of the children to draw such pictures on the wall!

6. How clever of you to solve the problem so quickly!