

English Grammar: Describing People

1. Body:

<u>Height</u>	<u>Size</u>	<u>Beauty</u>
tall	fat	beautiful (F)
short	thin	handsome (M)
average height	slim	pretty (F)
	chubby	ugly (M/F)

Example: A: What does she look like?
B: She is tall and slim. She is beautiful!

2. Hair and eyes:

<u>Hair:</u>	<u>Size</u>	<u>Style</u>	<u>Color</u>
	long	straight	black, brown/brunette, blond,
	short	curly	grey, white, red/ginger
	shoulder-length	wavy	
		bald	

Eyes: blue, green, honey, hazel, black, brown, light brown, dark brown

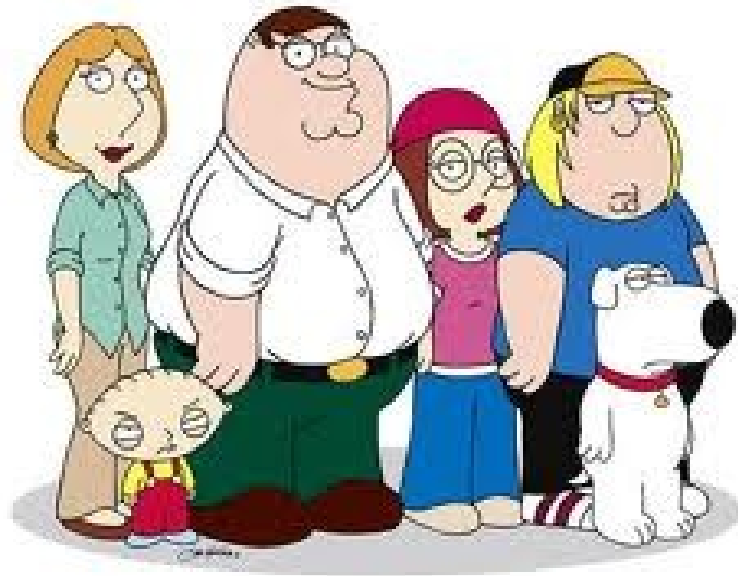
Example: A: What does she look like?
B: She has brown eyes and long, curly blond hair.

3. Personality:

interesting/boring
extrovert/out-going
introvert/shy
hard-working/lazy
fun
funny/serious
nervous/calm
intelligent/clever/smart
stupid/idiotic/pathetic
childish
stubborn
patient/impatient

Example: A: What is he like?
B: He is calm, funny, patient and smart.

Exercise 1. Use the vocabulary in Sections 1 and 2 above to describe these people:



Lois, Stewie, Peter, Meg, Chris, Brian (the dog)

Example: Meg is average height, slim and pretty. She has shoulder-length brown hair.

Lois is

Peter is

Chris is

Stewie is

Exercise 2. Describe the people in the photos. Talk about their hair and eyes.



Example: Number 1: He has short brown hair and brown eyes.

Number 2: _____

Number 3: _____

Number 4: _____

Number 5: _____

Number 6: _____

Exercise 3. Describe three people in your family.

Example: **Who:** Stephen is my brother.

Personality: He is intelligent and shy.

Body: He is short and chubby. He has short blond hair and green eyes.

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

