

DESCRIBING PEOPLE		
<u>AGE</u> young middle-aged elderly(near old age) old in her late teens in her mid 20's in her 30's in her early 40's	<u>BUILT</u> fat thin slim plump medium-built well-built broad-shouldered overweight	<u>HEIGHT</u> 1,70cm (of) medium height (of) average height below average tall short tallish shortish
<u>EYES</u> Blue / green Grey / dark Brown / black long eyelashes thick eyelashes bushy eyelashes thin eyebrows thick eyebrows bushy eyebrows	<u>COMPLEXION</u> pale sunburned/tanned olive-skinned Oriental(China-Japan) brown black hazel(=light brown)	<u>DRESS</u> smart elegant scruffy(=untidy) well-dressed casual conservative(=old-fashioned) fashionable
<u>HAIR COLOUR</u> black, brown, red, hair, blond(e), fair, grey, white, dyed, mousey, dark a brunette(F) a redhead	<u>HAIRSTYLE</u> frizzy long # short straight wavy curly neat(=tidy) # untidy with plaits a fringe swept back in a bun pony tail bald balding thinning(M)(=becoming thin) receding(M)(=before bald, missing at the top)	
<u>FACE</u> thin long round oval	<u>DISTINGUISHING FEATURES</u> beard(M) moustache side-burns(M) unshaven(M)	

square heart-shaped(F) high cheek bones high forehead thin lips full lips long nose straight nose turned-up nose broken nose a cleft chin a pointed chin double chin a crooked nose/an aquiline nose	a scar a beauty spot a mole with freckles with dimples with spots with wrinkles with lines with glasses (well)made-up(F)
PERSONALITY TRAITS	
POSITIVE	NEGATIVE
sociable, outgoing, extroverted, popular	unsociable, introverted, snobbish
lively, talkative, cheerful, amusing, witty (quick-witted), articulate(=good with words), sophisticated	moody, sarcastic, critical
friendly, warm, loving, affectionate, kind, generous, thoughtful, devoted, sincere, compassionate	selfish, possessive, insecure, bad- tempered, quick-tempered
flexible, tolerant, broad-minded, honest, frank, tactful, adaptable	narrow-minded, intolerant, bullying, curious, snoopy=prying
intelligent, clever, self-disciplined, efficient, well-organised, intuitive, psychic	unimaginative, stupid, dull, careless, absent-minded
courageous, adventurous, energetic, impulsive, perseverant, reliable, dependable	cowardly, foolhardy(very-very careless), creature-of-the-habit
shy, quiet, calm, reserved, conservative, sensitive, soft-spoken, vulnerable, delicate, polite	aggressive, impatient, restless, impolite