

1 True or false? Write *T* or *F*.

- If you are *overweight*, you aren't *slim*. T
- 1 *Average height* means not tall and not short. _____
- 2 *Attractive* and *good-looking* mean the same. _____
- 3 You can say a man is *good-looking* or *beautiful*. _____
- 4 If someone is *fat*, they are *overweight*. _____
- 5 The answer to '*How much does he weigh?*' is '*200 cms*'. _____
- 6 '*How tall are you?*' is correct. _____
- 7 It is polite to call someone *fat* and *ugly*. _____
- 8 *Thin* and *slim* mean the same, but *thin* is more positive. _____

spotlight *thin, fat, ugly*

- **Thin** means **slim**, but **slim** is more positive.
- It isn't polite to tell someone they are **fat**. It is more polite to say they are **overweight**.
- The opposite of **beautiful/good-looking** is **ugly**, but it isn't polite to tell someone they're **ugly**.

2 Complete the dialogues. Don't use the words in *italics* in your answer.

- Is he *attractive*? ~ Yes, he's good-looking.
- 1 She's not tall or short, really. ~ No, she's *average* _____.
- 2 Are the two brothers *attractive*? ~ Yes, they're both _____.
- 3 Is she quite *thin*? ~ Yes, she's very _____.
- 4 He's about average weight. ~ Yes, he _____ 75 kgs.
- 5 Is he *overweight*? ~ Yes, he's a bit _____.
- 6 Is she very *attractive*? ~ Yes, she's _____.

4 Cross out the adjective you don't need.

- She's got long, dark brown, ~~black~~ hair. (or She's got long, ~~dark brown~~, black hair.)
- 1 I've got medium-length, short, curly hair.
 - 2 Her hair is short, blonde, light brown, and wavy.
 - 3 My sister's hair is short, long, and curly.
 - 4 My brother's got short, grey, black hair and a moustache.
 - 5 My father's got a beard and long, wavy, straight hair.

5 Complete the questions. (You will write your answers in Exercise 6.)

- Is your hair brown? Is it dark brown or light brown?
- 1 Is your hair long, m____-l____, or s____ ?
 - 2 What colour is it: bl____, bl____, br____, or g____ ?
 - 3 Is your hair st____, w____, or c____ ?
 - 4 Have you got a b____ or a m____ ?
 - 5 Have you got br____ eyes?

ABOUT YOU

No, it's blonde.

7 Match 1 – 8 with a – i.

- | | |
|---------------------------|------------------------|
| ▶ me (45) <u>d</u> | a elderly |
| 1 my wife (38) _____ | b in her late thirties |
| 2 my son (6 months) _____ | c a teenager |
| 3 my daughter (7) _____ | d in my mid-forties ✓ |
| 4 my brother (47) _____ | e a baby |
| 5 my nephew (14) _____ | f in her early sixties |
| 6 my aunt (63) _____ | g an adult |
| 7 my father (79) _____ | h middle-aged |
| 8 my niece (21) _____ | i a child |

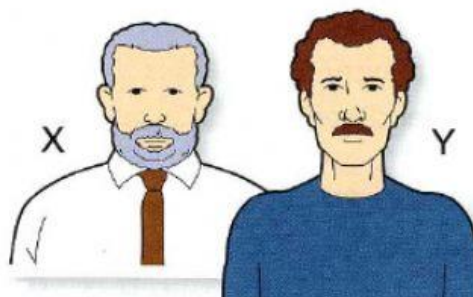
8 ABOUT YOU Write the names of people in your family, or tell another student.

- | | |
|--|------------------------------------|
| ▶ a baby <u>Marcus (my sister's son)</u> | 4 an elderly woman _____ |
| 1 a young person _____ | 5 an elderly man _____ |
| 2 a middle-aged person _____ | 6 a baby _____ |
| 3 someone in his/her twenties _____ | 7 someone in his/her fifties _____ |

9 Test yourself. Cover column two of the table. Look at the 'age' column and say the words and phrases.

10 Read the police description. Which man are the police looking for, X or Y?

The man we are looking for is in his mid-thirties. He is slim, with dark brown curly hair and a moustache. If you see him, please ring the police on 0088 997 4422.



11 Write a description of the other man. Use the text above to help you.

The other man is _____