Fill the gaps to describe the people in these pictures. The first letter is given.



1 He's b..... ....., and d.....-skinned.
2 She's got b..... hair and is f.....-skinned.
3 She's got l....., c..... hair.
4 He's got a beard and a m..... and a slightly c..... face.
5 She's got long, s..... hair and is t.....-faced.

Answer the questions. You are sometimes given the first letter of the missing word.

1 What is the adjective form of the word *waves* when it refers to a person's hair?
2 What do we call the small, pale brown spots some people have on their skin, especially fair-skinned people? f.....
3 Give an adjective that means a person has red or reddish hair. g.....
4 What colour is auburn? Is it 'golden, reddish-brown' or is it 'very dark, almost black'?
5 If someone has a *crew cut*, is their hair long or short?
6 Is *stout* similar in meaning to (a) *slim* or (b) *plump*?
7 What is a polite word that means 'fat'. ●.....
8 If someone is stocky, they are rather thin. Is this true or false?
9 If someone is anorexic, they are usually very thin indeed. Is this true or false?
10 What word means 'extremely fat'? o.....
11 If a person is *scruffy*, is that normally a positive or a negative thing?
12 Which is more negative, to call someone *slim* or *skinny*?
13 How do we describe someone who is losing their hair at the front of their head? We say 'His/her hair is r.....'.
14 What does it mean to say that someone has a *healthy complexion*? Is it that their face and skin look healthy or that just their eyes look healthy?
15 What should you remember about the adjective *handsome*?

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Match each adjective (1–11) with its synonym or near-synonym (a–k).

1	half-witted	a	gregarious
2	impolite	b	curt
3	inward-looking	c	down-to-earth
4	quarrelsome	d	sly
5	sensible	e	stubborn
6	obstinate	f	dim
7	brusque	g	bright
8	cunning	h	introverted
9	smart	i	reliable
10	trustworthy	j	discourteous
11	sociable	k	argumentative

Match the adjectives in the box to the people who are being described.

jealous	~~optimistic~~	sincere	eccentric	gifted	relaxed
envious	sensitive	cruel	nosy	easy-going	

Example: optimistic – Jill always sees the bright side of things.

1 Robert always wants what other people have got.
2 Sandra plays the piano better than anyone else I know.
3 Beth takes everything in her stride and never gets upset.
4 Paul seems to enjoy pulling his cat's tail.
5 Dan doesn't mind what we do when we stay at his place.
6 You always know that Clare means what she says.
7 Julie felt terrible when her boyfriend left her for someone else.
8 Becky only ever wears black clothes and black lipstick.
9 Whenever we have visitors, our neighbour Fred is at his window watching who it is.
10 Emma always gets very upset if she feels that she is being criticised or laughed at.

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