

# Describing Appearances

## 1 Listen to a man describing his girlfriend and tick her picture.



**A**



**B**



**C**

## 2 Asking questions about appearance



**What does she look like? What is she like?**

**What does she look like?** = Tell me about her appearance (Is she tall / short? What colour hair does she have?).

**What is she like?** = Tell me what kind of person she is (Is she friendly? Is she shy?).

## 2 Grammar Describing people; *have got* 4.14



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**Do Hayley and Heather look alike?**

No, they look totally different.

**How tall is her father?**

He's six (foot) seven.

He's over two meters tall.

**What does Hayley look like?**

She's tall and thin.

**What color is Hayley's hair?**

It's blond.

**Who does she look like?**

She looks like her father.

**What color are Hayley's eyes?**

They're blue.

### Saying heights

Her father is six (foot) seven. He's six foot seven inches (tall).

She's one meter ninety (tall).

**have got = have**

**Does she have curly hair?**

No, she's got straight hair.

**Who's got curly hair?**

I do. I've got curly hair.

**Who's got = Who has got**

**I've got = I have got**

**He's got = He has got**

### Common errors

Don't confuse these questions:

**What's she like?**

= What kind of person is she?

**What does she look like?**

= Can you describe her?

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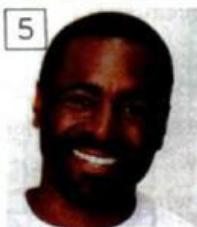
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Choose the correct words to complete the questions

1. **How** / What tall are you?
2. What color **have** / **are** your eyes?
3. Who / **What** do you look like – your mother or your father?
4. **What** / **How** color is your mother's hair? **Is it** / **Are they** long or short?
5. **What** / **How** does your father look like?
6. Does anyone in your family **have** / **got** blue eyes?
7. Who **'s got** / **got** short hair in your class? Does anyone **got** / **have** long hair?
8. Do any of your friends look **alike** / **like** someone famous?
9. Do you know any twins? Do they look exactly **like** / **alike**?

Ask and answer the questions above. Give your own information.

a Match the sentences and pictures.



What does he / she look like?

- She has curly red hair.
- She has long straight hair.
- She has big blue eyes.
- She has dark wavy hair.
- He has a beard and a moustache.
- He's bald.
- He's very tall and thin.
- He's quite short and a bit overweight.
- He's medium height and quite slim.

b 10 Listen and check.



**thin or slim? fat or overweight?**

*Thin* and *slim* are both the opposite of *fat*, but *slim* = *thin* in an attractive way.

*Fat* is not very polite. It is more polite to say someone is (a bit) *overweight*.

**Using two adjectives together**

We often use two adjectives together (without *and*) to describe hair or eyes, e.g. *She has long curly hair* or *He has big brown eyes*. Adjectives go in this order: **size>style>colour noun**.