

## Height, body build and age

When describing people, we use the verb 'to be' to describe height, body build and age.

Examples: I am tall and slim.

He is overweight.

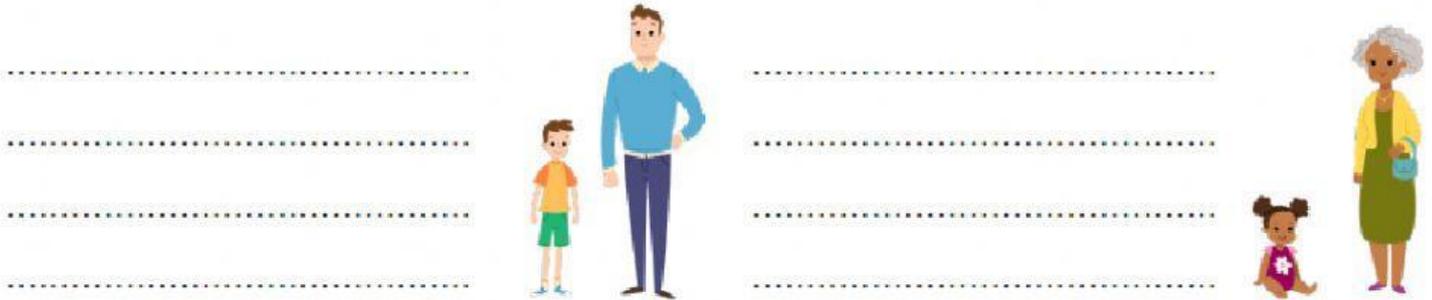
Ann is chubby.

You are old and short.

They are young.



**A. Write short descriptions of the people in the pictures below using the verb 'to be' and the adjectives: tall, short, overweight, slim, old, young.**



## Facial features

We use 'have' and 'has' to describe hair colour, hair length and facial features.

Facial features are eyes, eyebrows, nose, mouth, lips, ears, chin, etc.

Example:

She has long brown hair.

She has big blue eyes.

She has a small nose.

She has a wide mouth and big red lips.



**B. In pairs, take it in turns to describe the people below.**



# DESCRIBING PEOPLE

Questions: *What do you look like? What kind of person are you?*



- Complete the 15 sentences with the words on the left.



- C** curly *adj.*
- F** friendly *adj.*  
funny *adj.*
- G** gray *adj.*
- H** handsome *adj.*
- I** intelligent *adj.*
- L** lazy *adj.*  
long *adj.*
- M** middle-aged *adj.*
- N** naughty *adj.*
- S** shy *adj.*  
strong *adj.*
- T** tall *adj.*  
thin *adj.*
- W** wrinkled *adj.*

1. One of my friends has straight hair, and another has wavy hair. But I have curly hair.
2. Sometimes my brother doesn't want to do any work. He can be very \_\_\_\_\_ sometimes.
3. My classmate is very \_\_\_\_\_. He loves to tell jokes at school.
4. I'm not short, I'm \_\_\_\_\_.
5. I lost 10 kilograms. Now I'm \_\_\_\_\_.
6. She has \_\_\_\_\_ blonde hair.
7. My cousin likes to meet new people and make lots of friends. He's very \_\_\_\_\_.
8. Our young son is very \_\_\_\_\_. Last week he pulled our cat's tail and it ran away!
9. My grandmother's face is quite \_\_\_\_\_, but I still think she is beautiful!
10. My grandfather has a long \_\_\_\_\_ beard.
11. My mother is very beautiful and my father is \_\_\_\_\_.
12. My uncle isn't old, but he's in his forties. He's \_\_\_\_\_.
13. My brother doesn't like to meet new people. He's very \_\_\_\_\_.
14. She has a high I.Q. She's very \_\_\_\_\_.
15. We exercise at the gym four days a week. We are very \_\_\_\_\_.