



# Describing People



Fill in the blanks below with words from this box:

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|------------|----------|-----------|--------|
| slim       | live     | ponytails | sizes  |
| overweight | junk     | watch     | in     |
| obese      | weight   | curly     | earn   |
| height     | short    | short     | skinny |
| fit        | pigtails | mustaches | out    |
| bald       | beards   | part      | health |

## Height

People come in all shapes and \_\_\_\_\_. Some are tall and some are \_\_\_\_\_. Some are neither tall nor short. We say they are average \_\_\_\_\_. Some interesting research has shown that tall people \_\_\_\_\_ longer and \_\_\_\_\_ more money on average than short people.

## Build

Just as people's height varies, so does their \_\_\_\_\_. People who eat a lot of \_\_\_\_\_ food or don't exercise enough are often \_\_\_\_\_. We say that they are \_\_\_\_\_ of shape. People who are extremely fat are called \_\_\_\_\_.

On the other hand, people who work out and \_\_\_\_\_ what they eat are usually \_\_\_\_\_. We say that they are \_\_\_\_\_ good shape or physically \_\_\_\_\_. These people are \_\_\_\_\_ conscious. But some people are so thin that you can see their bones underneath their skin. We say they are \_\_\_\_\_.

## Hairstyle

Hairstyle also varies from person to person. Some people have long, straight hair, while others have \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ hair. Still others have no hair at all. They are \_\_\_\_\_. As well, people wear their hair in different ways. There are people with \_\_\_\_\_ and people with \_\_\_\_\_. Some people \_\_\_\_\_ their hair in the middle and some on the side. Some men have hair on their faces. We say these men have \_\_\_\_\_ or \_\_\_\_\_.



**1. Translate the following expressions from Russian into English**

1. Люди бывают разного телосложения и размера

2. Среднего роста

3. Есть вредную еду

4. Избыточный вес

5. Быть в форме

6. Быть не в форме

7. Тучный

8. Тощий

9. У него борода

10. Разделять волосы на две части

**2. Write down the synonyms of the following words.**

Out of shape

In good shape

Very thin

**3. Write down the opposites of the following words**

Short

Overweight

Obese

**4. Make up 5 questions to this text.**