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LESSON 1

1 Warm-up: Have you got many good friends? Who is / are your best friend/s?

2 Read and listen to this podcast. Then write true (T) or false (F).



Hi everyone! Welcome to 'Aussie Pals Podcast'. My name is Robert Gibbons but call me Bob. I'm from Sydney, Australia. I'm 17 years old. How old are you?
I'm not tall. My hair is brown and my eyes are brown too. I'm intelligent... I think!
My best friend is Juan. He isn't Australian. He's from Puerto Rico. He's 16 years old. He's very tall and strong. His hair is dark. His eyes aren't brown. They're green. He's good fun and he loves computer games. We are very good friends.
Who's your best friend? What's he / she like?
I love anime. I think it's just great! What about you?
Thanks for listening. And see you in my next episode.
Bye!

- 1 Bob's surname is Simpson. _____
- 2 Bob's Australian. _____
- 3 He isn't 14. _____
- 4 He isn't tall. _____
- 5 His hair is blond. _____
- 6 His eyes are blue. _____

3 Look at the highlighted adjectives in activity 2. Complete the chart about Bob and Juan.

Name	Physical characteristics	Personality
Bob	not [1] _____ hair [4] _____ [2] _____ eyes [3] _____	
Juan	tall and strong [5] _____ hair [6] _____ [7] _____ eyes [8] _____	

4 Now complete the chart about you.

Name	Physical characteristics	Personality
[9] _____	[10] _____ hair [11] _____ [12] _____ eyes [13] _____	

6 Look at the Sign Up to Grammar box. Then listen to Sam describing his friends Kate and Sophie. Complete the chart.

KATE			
Age	Nationality	Physical characteristics	Personality
[14] _____	[15] _____	[16] medium-height [17] _____ hair [18] _____ eyes	[19] _____ [20] _____

SOPHIE			
Age	Nationality	Physical characteristics	Personality
[21] _____	[22] Irish	[23] _____ hair [24] _____ eyes	[25] good fun [26] _____

Complete the text and circle the correct option to describe your best friend.

My best friend is [1] _____ (name).
[2] He / She is [3] _____ years old.
[4] He / She is [5] very tall / tall / medium-height / short.
[6] His / Her hair is [7] long / short, straight / curly / wavy and [8] blond / red / fair / dark.
[9] His / Her eyes are [10] green / brown / blue / grey / black.

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Adjectives

Physical Characteristics

Hair: dark, blond, red, fair, straight, curly, wavy, long, short
Eyes: big, small, green, brown
Body type: tall, short, medium-height, slim, thin, overweight

Personality

responsible, practical, tidy, good fun, cool, punctual, intelligent, quiet, shy, ambitious, confident, brave, dynamic, efficient, friendly, jealous

5 Re-read the text in activity 2 and complete the paragraph about Bob.



Bob's surname [1] isn't Simpson. It's Gibbons.
Bob [2] _____ Greek. He's Australian.
He [3] _____ 14. He is 17. He [4] _____ tall.
His hair [5] _____ blond. His eyes [6] _____ blue. They're brown. Bob and Juan are friends.