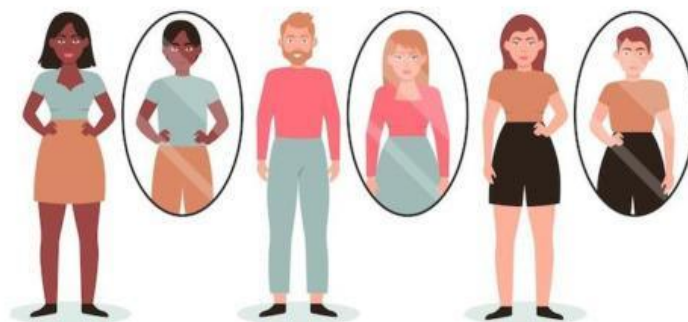


## Describing People



| Topic                     | Question                 | Example Answers                          |
|---------------------------|--------------------------|------------------------------------------|
| <b>General appearance</b> | What does she look like? | She is tall. / She is pretty.            |
| <b>Height</b>             | Does he wear glasses?    | No, he wears contacts.                   |
|                           | How tall is she?         | She's tall. / She's 1 meter 78.          |
|                           | How tall is he?          | He's medium height.                      |
| <b>Hair (length)</b>      | How long is her hair?    | It's long. / It's short.                 |
| <b>Hair (color)</b>       | What color is his hair?  | It's dark brown. / It's light brown.     |
| <b>Age</b>                | How old is she?          | She's about 32. / She's in her thirties. |
|                           | How old is he?           | He's in his twenties.                    |

**Grammar note:** We use the verbs **to be** and **have** to describe people, but they are different.

- We use **to be** for general appearance and height: **She is tall/ He is young.**
- We usually use **have** for hair, eyes, and physical characteristics: **She has brown hair. He has blue eyes.**
- We can also use **to be** for hair, eyes, and physical characteristics with **possessive** adjectives: **Her hair is brown. His eyes are blue.**

### Vocabulary

| Hair  | Eyes  | Height        | Age                 | Skin  |
|-------|-------|---------------|---------------------|-------|
| long  | brown | tall          | young               | light |
| short | blue  | short         | old                 | dark  |
| brown | green | medium height | in his/her twenties | fair  |
| black |       |               | in his/her thirties | tan   |
| blond |       |               |                     |       |

## Exercises

### Exercise 1: Choose the correct option

1. How \_\_\_ is she?  
a) old b) tall
  2. He \_\_\_ short hair.  
a) has b) is
  3. She is in her \_\_\_\_.  
a) tall b) thirties
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### Exercise 2: Complete the sentences

Use **is** / **has**.

1. She \_\_\_ tall.
  2. He \_\_\_ brown hair.
  3. She \_\_\_ in her twenties.
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### Exercise 3: Match the questions and answers

1. How tall is she?
2. What color is his hair?
3. How old is he?

- A. He's in his twenties.  
B. It's dark brown.  
C. She's 1 meter 78.
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### Exercise 4: Write about a person

Write **3 short sentences** about a person you know.

- Appearance: \_\_\_\_\_
- Hair: \_\_\_\_\_
- Age: \_\_\_\_\_

(Example: She is tall. She has long hair. She is in her thirties.)