

## Personality

adventurous /əd'ventʃərəs/  
 aggressive /ə'grɛsɪv/  
 arrogant /ærə'gɒnt/  
 brave /breɪv/  
 caring /'keərɪŋ/  
 charming /'tʃɑːmɪŋ/  
 cheeky /'tʃiːki/  
 childish /'tʃɪldɪʃ/  
 creative /kri'eɪtɪv/  
 dynamic /daɪ'næmɪk/  
 easy-going /iːzi 'gəʊɪŋ/  
 fascinating /'fæsɪneɪtɪŋ/  
 friendly /'frendli/  
 hard-working /,hɑːd 'wɜːkɪŋ/  
 imaginative /ɪ'mædʒənətɪv/  
 immature /ɪ'mætʃjʊə/  
 jealous /'dʒeləs/  
 kind /kaɪnd/  
 lazy /'leɪzi/  
 mature /mə'tʃʊə/  
 mischievous /'mɪstʃɪvəs/  
 nervous /'nɜːvəs/  
 open to sth /'əʊpən tə ,sʌmθɪŋ/  
 outgoing /,aʊt'gəʊɪŋ/  
 popular /'pɒpjələ/  
 reliable /rɪ'laɪəbəl/  
 realistic /rɪə'lɪstɪk/  
 rude /ruːd/  
 selfish /'selfɪʃ/  
 sense of humour /,sens əv 'hjuːmə/  
 sophisticated /sə'fɪstəkətɪd/  
 tolerant /'tɒlərənt/  
 unhappy /ʌn'hæpi/

## Appearance and age

adorable /ə'dɔːrəbəl/  
 attractive /ə'træktɪv/  
 bald /bɔːld/  
 baldness /'bɔːldnəs/  
 blond /blɒnd/  
 blue-/brown-eyed /,bluː/braʊn 'aɪd/  
 cheek /tʃiːk/  
 chin /tʃɪn/  
 cool /kuːl/  
 curly/straight/dark/short/long hair /,kɜːli/streɪt/  
 ,daːk/ʃɔːt/lɒŋ 'heə/  
 cute /kjuːt/  
 dark-/fair-/long-/short-haired /,daːk/feə/lɒŋ/  
 ,ʃɔːt 'heəd/  
 dark-/lighter-/pale-skinned /,daːk/laɪtə/pel  
 'skɪnd/  
 dimples /'dɪmplz/  
 elegant /'eləgənt/  
 facial features /,feɪʃəl 'fi:tʃəz/  
 fat /fæt/  
 freckles /'freckəlz/  
 good-looking /,gʊd 'lʊkɪŋ/  
 gorgeous /'gɔːdʒəs/  
 in his early/mid/late twenties /ɪn ɪz ,ɜːli/mɪd/  
 ,leɪt 'twentɪz/  
 in his teens /ɪn ɪz 'tiːnz/  
 make-up /'meɪkʌp/  
 medium height /,mɪdɪəm 'haɪt/  
 middle-aged /,mɪdəl 'eɪdʒd/  
 mysterious /mɪ'stəriəs/  
 overweight /,əʊvə'weɪt/  
 red-headed /,red 'hedəd/  
 scruffy /'skrʌfi/  
 short /ʃɔːt/  
 skinny /'skɪni/  
 slim /slɪm/  
 smart /smɑːt/  
 stylish /'staɪlɪʃ/  
 tall /tɔːl/  
 well-built /wel 'bɪlt/  
 well-dressed /,wel 'drest/

## Clothes and accessories

bangle /'bæŋɡəl/  
 baseball cap /'beɪsbɔːl kæp/  
 boots /buːts/  
 bracelet /'breɪslət/  
 casual/formal clothes /,kæʒʊəl/fɔːməl 'kleʊðz/  
 coat /kəʊt/  
 cotton /'kɒtn/  
 designer dress /dɪ'zɑːnə dres/  
 fashionable /'fæʃənəbəl/  
 fleece /fliːs/  
 flying jacket /'flaɪŋ ,dʒækət/  
 gloves /glʌvz/  
 hat /hæt/  
 high-heeled /,haɪ 'hiːld/  
 jeans /dʒiːnz/  
 jumper /'dʒʌmpə/  
 leather /'leðə/  
 look /lʊk/  
 patterned /'pætənd/  
 scarf /skɑːf/  
 shirt /ʃɜːt/  
 shorts /ʃɔːts/  
 silver ring /,sɪlvə 'rɪŋ/  
 striped /straɪpt/  
 suit /suːt/  
 sunglasses /'sʌŋ,ɡlɑːsəz/  
 sweatshirt /'swetsʃɜːt/  
 T-shirt /'tiː ʃɜːt/  
 tie /taɪ/  
 top /tɒp/  
 trainers /'treɪnəz/  
 trousers /'traʊzəz/  
 vintage /'vɪntɪdʒ/  
 waistcoat /'weɪskəʊt/  
 woollen /'wʊlən/

## Clothes and appearance – verbs and verb phrases

be the image of /,bi ðə 'ɪmɪdʒ əv/  
 dress casually/smartly/fashionably/well/  
 in black /,dres 'kæʒʊəli/'smɑːtli/'fæʃənəbli/'wel/  
 ɪn 'blæk/  
 fit /fɪt/  
 get changed /,get 'tʃeɪndʒd/  
 get dressed/undressed /,get 'drest/,ʌn'drest/  
 look /lʊk/  
 look like sb /'lʊk laɪk ,sʌmbɒdi/  
 match /mætʃ/  
 put on /,pʊt 'ɒn/  
 resemble sb /rɪ'zebəbəl ,sʌmbɒdi/  
 suit /suːt/  
 try on /,traɪ 'ɒn/  
 wear /weə/

## Relationships

always be there for /,ɔːlwəz bi 'ðeə fə/  
 close friend /,kləʊs 'frend/  
 date /deɪt/  
 fall out with /,fɔːl 'aʊt wɪð/  
 get on well with /,get ɒn 'wel wɪð/  
 hang out with /,hæŋ 'aʊt wɪð/  
 have a lot in common with /hæv ə ,lɒt ɪn 'kɒmən  
 wɪð/  
 have a good relationship with /hæv ə ,ɡʊd  
 rɪ'leɪʃənʃɪp wɪð/  
 have similar interests /hæv ,sɪmələ 'ɪntrəsts/  
 have an argument /,hæv ən 'ɑːɡjʊmənt/  
 look after sb /,lʊk 'ɑːftə ,sʌmbɒdi/  
 lose touch with /,luːz 'tʌtʃ wɪð/  
 online friend /,ɒnlaɪn 'frend/  
 opposite sex /,ɒpəzət 'seks/  
 socialise with /'səʊʃəlaɪz wɪð/  
 stop seeing each other /,stɒp 'siːŋ ɪtʃ ,ʌðə/

## Family members

ancestor /'ænsəstə/  
 ex-husband/ex-wife /,eks 'hʌzbənd/,eks 'waɪf/  
 father-in-law/mother-in-law /'faːðər ɪn ,ləː/  
 'mʌðər ɪn ,ləː/  
 great-grandfather/great-grandmother  
 /,ɡreɪt 'ɡrænd,fɑːðə/,ɡreɪt 'ɡræn,mʌðə/  
 great-great-grandfather/great-great-  
 grandmother /,ɡreɪt ,ɡreɪt 'ɡrænd,fɑːðə/  
 ,ɡreɪt ,ɡreɪt 'ɡræn,mʌðə/  
 great-great-grandson/great-great-  
 granddaughter /,ɡreɪt ,ɡreɪt 'ɡrænsʌn/,ɡreɪt  
 ,ɡreɪt 'ɡræn,dɔːtə/  
 half-brother/half-sister /'haːf ,brʌðə/'haːf ,sɪstə/  
 nephew /'nefjuː/  
 niece /niːs/  
 second husband/wife /,sekənd 'hʌzbənd/'waɪf/  
 son-in-law/daughter-in-law /'sʌn ɪn ,ləː/  
 'dɔːtər ɪn ,ləː/  
 stepbrother/stepmother /'stepbrʌðə/'stepstɜː/  
 stepfather/stepmother /'stepfɑːðə/'stepmʌðə/  
 stepson/stepdaughter /'stepsʌn/'stepdɔːtə/  
 uncle/aunt /'ʌŋkəl/aɪnt/

## Other

exception /ɪk'sepʃən/  
 eyesight /'aɪsaɪt/  
 gene /dʒiːn/  
 inherit sth from sb /ɪn'herət ,sʌmθɪŋ frəm  
 ,sʌmbɒdi/  
 left handedness /,left 'hændɪdnəs/  
 left-/right-handed /,left/,raɪt 'hændɪd/  
 look as if/as though /'lʊk əz ɪf/əz ðəʊ/  
 look out! /,lʊk 'aʊt/  
 look up /,lʊk 'ʌp/  
 pass sth on /,pɑːs ,sʌmθɪŋ 'ɒn/  
 report on sth /rɪ'pɔːt ɒn ,sʌmθɪŋ/  
 she'd make a great ... /ʃiːd meɪk ə ɡreɪt.../  
 short-sighted /,ʃɔːt 'saɪtɪd/  
 take after sb /,teɪk 'ɑːftə ,sʌmbɒdi/  
 unique /juː'niːk/