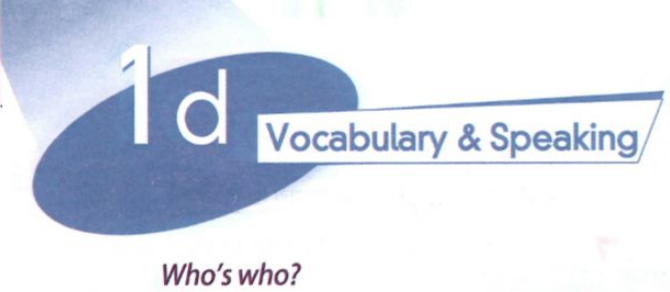


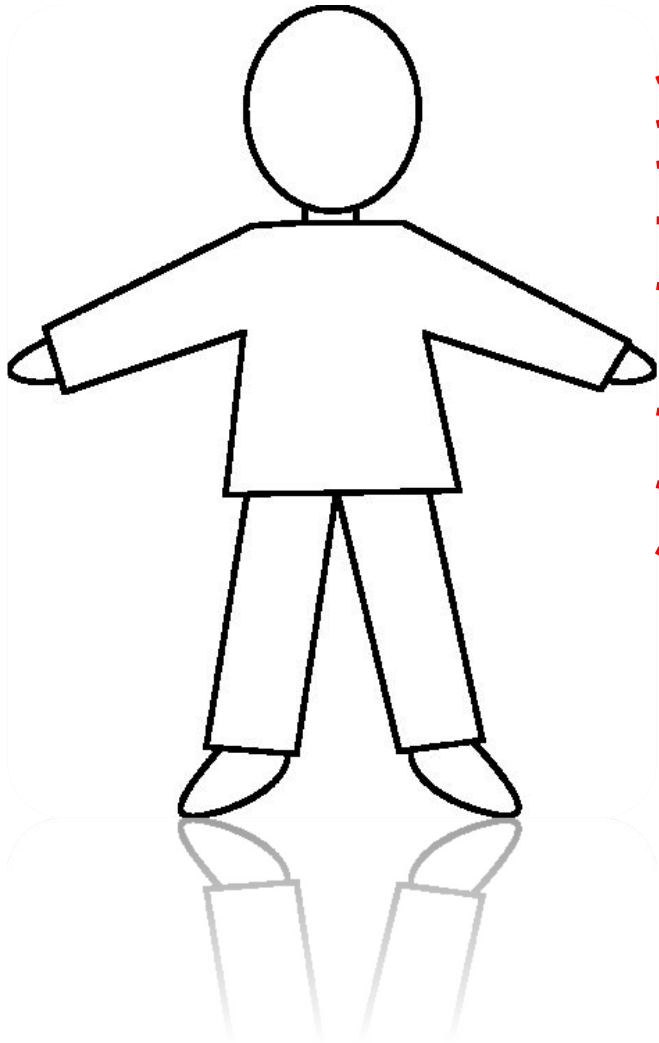


**People**

# Objectives for today



- You will learn how to use comparisons and new words describing appearance.
- You will be able to describe people's relations and appearance using adjectives and adverbs.



**Age**

young, in his/her (early/late) twenties, thirties etc, younger/older than he/she looks, middle-aged etc

**Looks**

good-looking, pretty, beautiful, handsome, rather ugly etc

**Height**

(rather) short, (quite) tall, of average height etc

**Weight**

(a bit) thin, (rather) plump, overweight, skinny, slim, strong, muscular, of medium build etc

**Hair**

fair, blond, dark, ginger, going grey, almost bald, white, curly, wavy, straight, shoulder-length, long etc

**Eyes**

almond-shaped, dark, small, green, blue etc

**Personality**

funny, hard-working, talkative, friendly, (a bit) dull/boring, energetic, sporty, moody, creative, shy, bossy, sensible, impatient, humorous, stubborn, selfish, generous etc

**Interests**

photography, drawing, sports, horse riding, painting, reading, travelling, cinema, theatre, music etc





► *She was born in 1975. She's an actress. She's very beautiful. She's tall and thin with long, dark, straight hair and green eyes. She's generous and energetic. She likes travelling and seeing different parts of the world. She played Lara Croft.  
Who is she?*

**Can you describe this person?**





# COMPARATIVE & SUPERLATIVE ADJECTIVES

	Adjective	Comparative	Superlative
Short adjectives/ adverbs	clean big funny nice hard	cleaner (than) bigger (than) funnier (than) nicer (than) harder (than)	the cleanest the biggest the funniest the nicest the hardest
Long adjectives/ adverbs	exciting clearly	more exciting (than) more clearly (than)	the most exciting the most clearly
Irregular adjectives/ adverbs	good/well bad much/many far	better (than) worse (than) more (than) further (than) farther (than)	the best the worst the most the furthest the farthest

# Сравнительные конструкции

as + прилагательное +

as

такой же,  
как

*She is as pretty as her sister.*

not as(so) + прилагательное +

as

не такой,  
как

*He is not as strong as his father.*

прилагательное в сравнительной степени + and + прилагательное в сравнительной степени  
показывает увеличение или уменьшение какого-либо качества

*The day is getting shorter and shorter.*

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🎧 Listen to two friends describing the people in the pictures. Number the people in the order you hear the descriptions. What is each person's name?



**A** 4



**B** 2



**C** 3



**D** 1



# Relationships

acquaintance

nephew

neighbours

classmates

niece

aunt

acquaintance

uncle

colleagues

stepmother

stepfather



# Adverbs of degree

Наречия степени употребляются перед прилагательными и наречиями и указывают на большую или меньшую степень качества. Они отвечают на вопросы “How much ...?” или “How little ...?”.



# Idioms



to break the ice  
разбить лёд / разбить лед

МНЕНИЕ

Быть назойливым, быть костью в горле  
To be annoying, getting on one's nerves, holding one's tongue.

Peter is very annoying; he is **a regular pain in the neck.**



Tell your friend about the idea of going hiking.

Suggest inviting a person whom your friend knows. Give reasons. Mention some of his qualities.

Agree with your friend and suggest inviting another person whom your friend doesn't know. Describe this person.

Ask some questions about this person.

Agree with your friend and set the time to meet together and discuss the details.

Support the idea.

Reject the idea. Give reasons.

Agree with your friend and suggest inviting one more person whom your friend doesn't know.

Describe the person whom you suggest inviting.

**Work in pairs**

