

Personality

adventurous /əd'ventʃərəs/
 aggressive /ə'grɛsɪv/
 arrogant /'ærəgənt/
 brave /breɪv/
 caring /'kɛərɪŋ/
 charming /'tʃɑːmɪŋ/
 childish /'tʃaɪldɪʃ/
 creative /kri'eɪtɪv/
 dynamic /daɪ'næmɪk/
 easy-going /'iːzi 'ɡoʊɪŋ/
 fascinating /'fæsɪneɪtɪŋ/
 friendly /'frendli/
 hard-working /,hɑːd 'wɜːkɪŋ/
 imaginative /ɪ'mædʒənətɪv/
 immature /ɪ'mætʃʊr/
 jealous /'dʒeləs/
 kind /kaɪnd/
 lazy /'leɪzi/
 mature /mə'tʃʊr/
 mischievous /'mɪʃtɪvəs/
 nervous /'nɜːvəs/
 open to something /'oʊpən tə ,sʌmθɪŋ/
 outgoing /,aʊt'ɡoʊɪŋ/
 popular /'pɒpjələ/
 reliable /rɪ'laɪəbəl/
 realistic /rɪə'lɪstɪk/
 rude /ruːd/
 selfish /'selfɪʃ/
 sense of humor /,sens əv 'hjuːmər/
 sophisticated /sə'fɪstə,ketɪəd/
 tolerant /'tɒlərənt/
 unhappy /ʌn'hæpi/

Appearance and age

adorable /ə'dɔːrəbəl/
 attractive /ə'træktɪv/
 bald /bɔːld/
 baldness /'bɔːldnəs/
 blond /blɒnd/
 blue-/brown-eyed /,blu:/braʊn 'aɪd/
 cheek /tʃiːk/
 chin /tʃɪn/
 cool /kuːl/
 curly/straight/dark/short/long hair /,kɜːli/,streɪt/ ,dɑːk/,ʃɔːrt/,lɔŋ 'heər/
 cute /kyuːt/
 dark-/blond-/long-/short-haired /,dɑːk/,blɒnd/ ,lɔŋ/,ʃɔːrt 'heər/
 dark-/lighter-/pale-skinned /,dɑːk/,laɪtə/ ,peɪl 'skɪnd/
 dimples /'dɪmpəlz/
 elegant /'eləgənt/
 facial features /,feɪʃəl 'fi:tʃəz/
 fat /fæt/
 freckles /'frekəlz/
 good-looking /,ɡʊd 'lʊkɪŋ/
 gorgeous /'ɡɔːrdʒəs/
 in his early/mid-/late twenties /ɪn ɪz ,æli/,mɪd-/ ,leɪt 'twentɪz/
 in his teens /ɪn ɪz 'tiːnz/
 makeup /'meɪkʌp/
 medium height /,mɪdiəm 'haɪt/
 middle-aged /,mɪdl 'eɪdʒd/
 mysterious /mɪ'stɪəriəs/
 overweight /,oʊvə'weɪt/
 red-headed /'red ,hedəd/
 shabby /ʃæbi/
 short /ʃɔːrt/
 skinny /'skɪni/
 slim /slɪm/
 stylish /'staɪlɪʃ/
 tall /tɔːl/
 well-built /,wel 'bɪlt/
 well-dressed /,wel 'drest/

Clothes and accessories

bangle /'bæŋɡəl/
 baseball cap /'beɪsbɔːl kæp/
 bomber jacket /'bɒmə ,dʒækət/
 boots /buːts/
 bracelet /'breɪslət/
 casual/formal clothes /,kæʒuəl/,fɔːməl 'kloʊðz/
 coat /kəʊt/
 cotton /'kɒtɪn/
 designer dress /dɪ'zɑːnər dres/
 fashionable /'fæʃənəbəl/
 fleece /fliːs/
 gloves /'ɡlʌvz/
 hat /hæt/
 high-heeled /,haɪ 'hild/
 jeans /dʒiːnz/
 leather /'leðə/
 look /lʊk/
 patterned /'pætənd/
 pants /pænts/
 scarf /skɑːf/
 shirt /ʃɜːt/
 shorts /ʃɔːrts/
 silver ring /,sɪlvər 'rɪŋ/
 sneakers /'sniːkəz/
 striped /straɪpt/
 suit /suːt/
 sunglasses /'sʌŋ,ɡlæsəz/
 sweater /'swetə/
 T-shirt /'ti ʃɜːt/
 tie /taɪ/
 top /tɒp/
 vest /vest/
 vintage /'vɪntɪdʒ/
 woolen /'wʊlən/

Clothes and appearance – verbs and verb phrases

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

Relationships

always be there for /,ɔːlweɪz bi 'ðer fɜː/
 close friend /,kloʊs 'frend/
 date /deɪt/
 fall out with /,fɔːl 'aʊt wɪð/
 get along well with /,get ə'lɒŋ '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 'ɪntrɪsts/
 have an argument /,hæv ən 'ɜːɡjəmənt/
 lose touch with /,luːz 'tʌtʃ wɪð/
 online friend /,ɒnlaɪn 'frend/
 opposite sex /,əpəzɪt 'seks/
 socialize with /'soʊʃəlaɪz wɪð/
 stop seeing each other /,stɒp 'siːŋ ɪtʃ ,ʌðər/
 take care of somebody /teɪk 'keər əv ,sʌmbədi/

Family members

ancestor /'æŋ,sɛstər/
 ex-husband/ex-wife /,eks 'hʌzbənd/,eks 'waɪf/
 father-in-law/mother-in-law /'fɑːðər ɪn ,lə/'mʌðər
 ɪn ,lə/
 great-grandfather/great-grandmother
 /,ɡreɪt 'ɡrænd,fʌðər/,ɡreɪt 'ɡrænd,mʌðər/
 great-great-grandfather/great-great-
 grandmother /,ɡreɪt ,ɡreɪt 'ɡrænd,fʌðər/
 ,ɡreɪt ,ɡreɪt 'ɡrænd,mʌðər/
 great-great-grandson/great-great-
 granddaughter /,ɡreɪt ,ɡreɪt 'ɡrændsʌn/,ɡreɪt
 ,ɡreɪt 'ɡrænd,dɔːtər/
 half-brother/half-sister /'hæf ,brʌðər/'hæf ,sɪstər/
 nephew /'neɪfju/
 niece /niːs/
 second husband/wife /,sekənd 'hʌzbənd/'waɪf/
 son-in-law/daughter-in-law /'sʌn ɪn ,lə/
 'dɔːtər ɪn ,lə/
 stepbrother/stepsister /'step,brʌðər/'step,sɪstər/
 stepfather/stepmother /'step,fʌðər/'step,mʌðər/
 stepson/stepdaughter /'stepsʌn/'step,dɔːtər/
 uncle/aunt /'ʌŋkəl/ænt/

Other

exception /ɪk'sɛpʃən/
 eyesight /'aɪsaɪt/
 gene /dʒiːn/
 inherit something from somebody /ɪn'herɪt
 ,sʌmθɪŋ frəm ,sʌmbədi/
 left handedness /,lɛft 'hændɪdnəs/
 left-/right-handed /,lɛft/,raɪt 'hændɪd/
 look as if/as though /'lʊk əz ɪf/əz ðuː/
 look out /'lʊk 'aʊt/
 look up /'lʊk 'ʌp/
 pass something on /,pæs ,sʌmθɪŋ 'ʌn/
 report on something /rɪ'pɔːt ɒn ,sʌmθɪŋ/
 she'd make a great ... /ʃiːd meɪk ə ɡreɪt.../
 short-sighted /,ʃɔːrt 'saɪtɪd/
 take after somebody /,teɪk 'æftər ,sʌmbədi/
 unique /juː'niːk/