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# APPEARANCE ADJECTIVES

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Physical characteristics are defining traits or features of a person's body. These are aspects of appearance that are visually apparent to others, even with no other information about the person. They can include a variety of things. Hair and facial features play a big role but aren't the whole picture. Physical characteristics are what you see with the naked eye. They encompass any way you can describe the physical traits of a person or group of people based on what you can visually observe.

Types and colors of hair: curly, straight, wavy, short, long, medium length, shoulder length, blond, brown, black, red, gray.



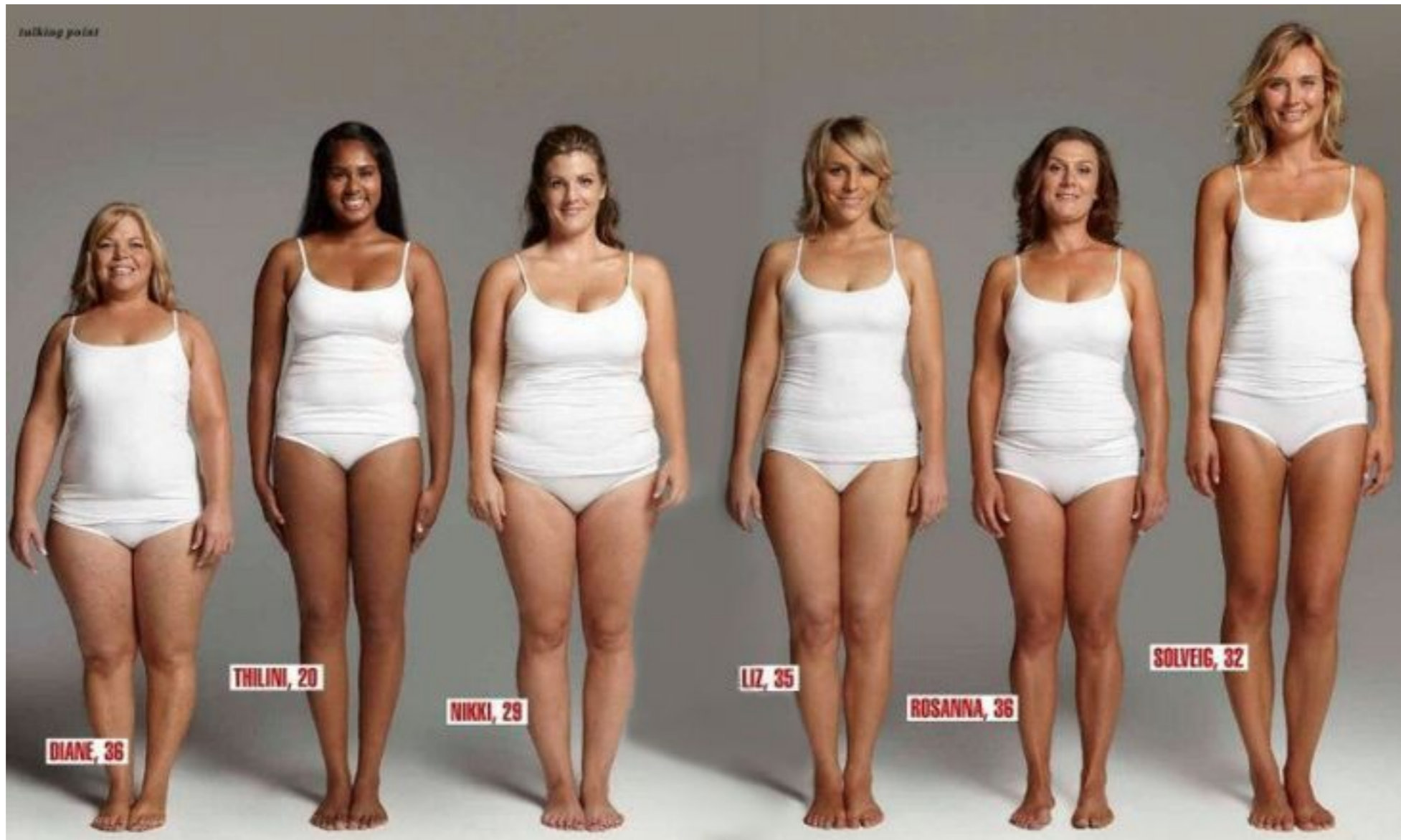
Types and colors of eyes: almond, round, big, small, blue, green.



Body built: thin, heavy, fat, chubby, small size, medium size, large size.



Height: Tall, short, medium tall.



Looks: for men, handsome. For ladies, beautiful, pretty.  
For both: attractive, good-looking.

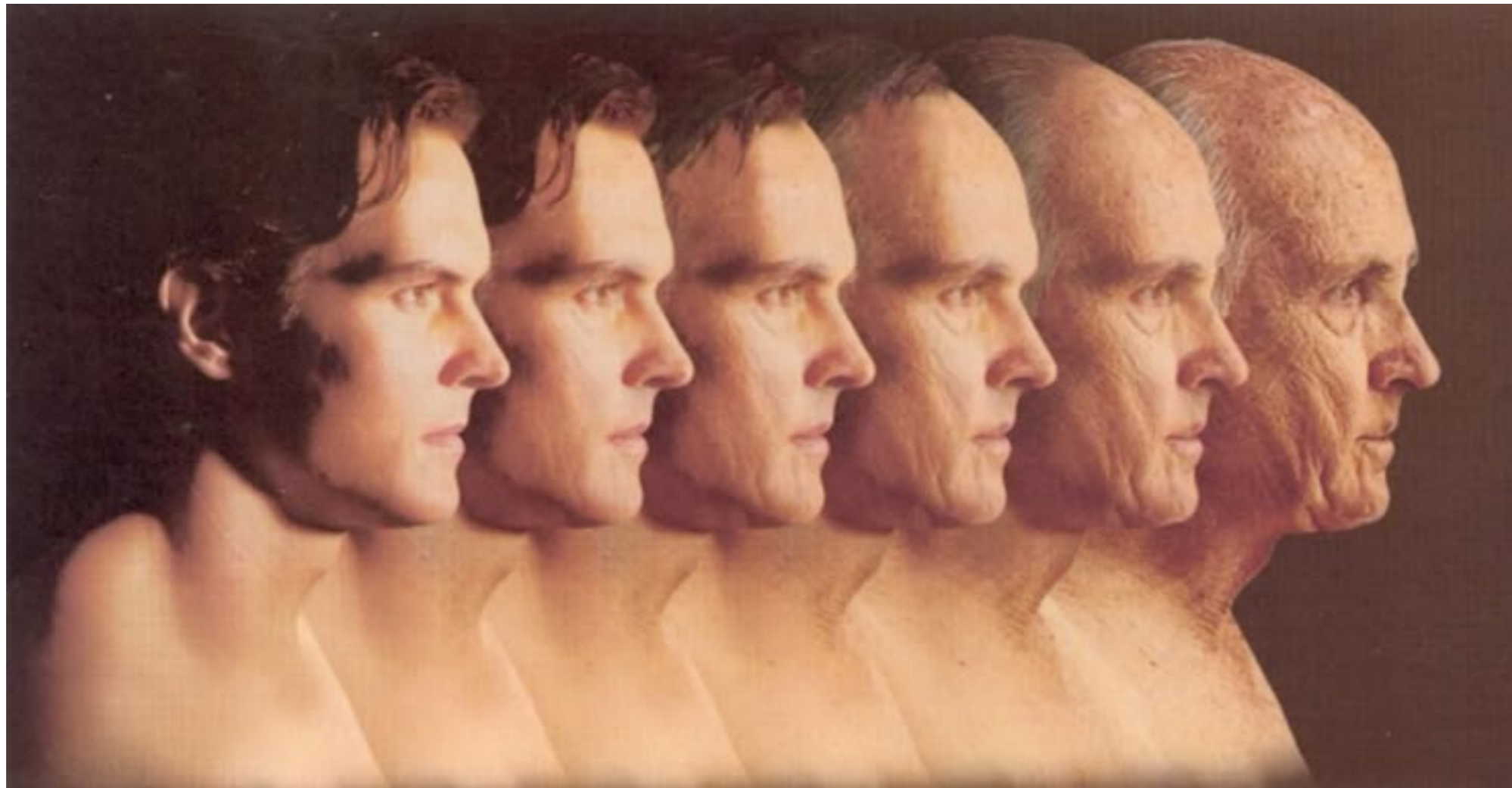


Skin color: Fair/light/ for clear, white skin. Dark/ light/fair, for brown/black skin.





Age: old, young, middle aged.



## DESCRIBING YOURSELF:

### Example:

I'm of average height, around 5'8", with a medium build. My hair is dark brown, slightly wavy, and usually kept at a medium length. I have deep brown eyes framed by thick eyebrows that give me a slightly intense look, though my smile tends to soften that impression. My skin has a warm, olive tone, and I have a few freckles scattered across my nose and cheeks. I'm fairly active, so my body has a toned look, though not overly muscular. I tend to dress casually, favoring comfortable jeans and t-shirts, often with a pair of sneakers.

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