

Family Portraits & Celebrity Descriptions Activity

Learning Objectives

- Practice describing physical appearances using appropriate adjectives
- Develop vocabulary related to personality traits and characteristics
- Improve listening comprehension through celebrity description exercises
- Master family-related vocabulary and descriptive language

Warm-Up Activity: Celebrity Matching (10 minutes)

Look at the celebrity images provided and match them with their descriptions:

Celebrity Description	Your Answer
This person has distinguished grey hair, often wears suits, and is known for their charming smile and elegant appearance.	
This person has vibrant ginger hair, a friendly face, and often carries a guitar.	
This actress has long, dark brown hair, a curvy figure, and is known for her bright smile and Latin accent.	

Vocabulary Building: Physical Descriptions

Complete the word web with appropriate adjectives for each category:

Hair:

Examples: straight, curly, wavy, short, long, _____, ____,

Build:

Examples: slim, athletic, muscular, _____, ____, ____,

Height:

Examples: tall, short, medium-height, _____, ____,

Age:

Examples: young, elderly, middle-aged, _____, ____, ____,

Fa	amily Portrait Analysis
L	ook at the provided family portrait and complete the following tasks:
	Task 1: Identify Family Members Write the relationship and a brief description for each numbered person in the photo:
	1. Person 1:
	2. Person 2:
	3. Person 3:

Task 2: Detailed Description

4. Person 4: _____

Choose two family members and write complete descriptions using the vocabulary we've learned:

Grammar Practice: Have vs. Has

Correct the following sentences about celebrities and family members:

- 1. "George Clooney have grey hair."
- 2. "My sisters has brown eyes."
- 3. "The Queen have a crown."

4. "Ed Sheeran guitar have six strings."

Creative Writing: Celebrity Profile
Choose one celebrity from the list and create a detailed profile using the template below:
Celebrity Name: Physical Description:
Personality Traits:
Famous For:
Interesting Facts:

Speaking Practice: Family Member Description

Prepare a short presentation about a family member using these prompts:

Planning Template:

1. Introduction (Who is this person?)

2. Physical Description (Include at least 3 characteristics)

3. Personality (Include at least 2 traits)

4. Why this person is special to you

Listening Exercise: Celebrity Interviews

Listen to the provided audio clips and complete these activities:

Interview 1: Hollywood Actor

Fill in the missing information:

- Age: _____
- Height: _____
- Notable features: ______
- Recent movie role: ______

Interview 2: Pop Star

Answer these questions:

- 1. What color is their hair currently?
- 2. How would you describe their style?
- 3. What distinguishing feature did they mention?

Vocabulary Extension: Personality Traits

Trait	Definition	Example Person
Charismatic		
Ambitious		
Versatile		

Create a detailed family tree with descriptions:

Step 1: Draw Your Family Tree

Step 2: Add Descriptions

For each family member, include:

- Physical description
- Age (approximate is fine)
- Relationship to you
- One unique characteristic

Example:

Grandmother (Maria): Short with curly grey hair, around 70 years old, my mother's mother, always wears colorful scarves.

Your Descriptions:

Compare and Contrast Exercise

Compare these pairs of celebrities using the provided structure:

Pair 1: Two Action Movie Stars

Feature	Celebrity A	Celebrity B
Height		
Build		
Signature Look		

Writing Practice: Magazine Article

Write a short magazine article describing a celebrity's transformation over the years:

Title: _____

Introduction (Early Years):

Middle Career:

Current Appearance:

Conclusion:

Role-Play	y: Celebr	rity Inter	view

Work in pairs to conduct celebrity interviews:

Interview Structure

Opening Questions:

- 1. Can you introduce yourself to our viewers?
- 2. How would you describe your personal style?
- 3. What's your most distinctive feature?

Main Interview Questions:

- 1._____
- 2._____

Follow-up Questions:

1._____ 2._____

Assessment Activity

Complete these tasks to demonstrate your learning:

Task 1: Vocabulary Check

Match the description with the correct vocabulary word:

1. Very tall and thin	a) stocky
2. Round face with rosy cheeks	b) lanky
3. Short and solidly built	c) chubby

Task 2: Writing Assessment

Write a detailed description of your favorite celebrity (minimum 100 words):

Assessment Criteria

- Accurate use of descriptive vocabulary (30%)
- Proper grammar and sentence structure (25%)
- Completion of all activities (25%)
- Creative writing and presentation skills (20%)

Additional Resources

- Online vocabulary flashcards
- Celebrity description video exercises
- Family tree vocabulary guide
- Grammar practice worksheets

Homework Assignment

Create a detailed description of your favorite celebrity or family member using at least:

- 5 physical description adjectives
- 3 personality traits
- 2 interesting facts
- Proper grammar and sentence structure