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# UNIT 1

## APPEARANCE AND PERSONALITY

**alone:** yalnız  
**ambitious:** hırslı  
**also:** ayrıca, aynı zamanda  
**always:** her zaman  
**appearance:** görünüş  
**attractive:** çekici  
**bald:** kel  
**Be careful!** Dikkat et!  
**beard:** sakal  
**beautiful X ugly:** güzel X çirkin  
**best friend:** en iyi arkadaş  
**blond(e):** sarışın; sarı  
**boring:** sıkıcı  
**build:** vücut yapısı, fizik  
**buy presents:** hediyeler satın almak  
**calm = relaxed:** sakin  
**change mind:** fikir değiştirmek  
**character = personality:** karakter, mizaç  
**cheerful:** neşeli  
**classmate:** sınıf arkadaşı  
**clumsy:** sakar  
**compare:** karşılaştırmak  
**creative:** yaratıcı  
**curly:** kıvrıkcık  
**cute:** sevimli  
**dark:** koyu (renkli)  
**decision:** karar  
**describe:** tarif etmek  
**dishonest:** dürüst olmayan  
**do sports:** spor yapmak  
**do tricks:** şakalar/numaralar yapmak  
**easily:** kolayca, kolaylıkla  
**easygoing:** uyumlu  
**eye colour:** göz rengi  
**fair:** açık (renkli)  
**family member:** aile üyesi  
**far:** uzak  
**fast:** hızlı  
**fat:** şişman  
**forgetful:** unutkan  
**friendly:** arkadaş canlısı  
**full lips:** dolgun dudaklar  
**funny:** komik  
**generous:** cömert, eli bol  
**get on well:** iyi geçinmek  
**ginger:** kızıl  
**go for a walk:** yürüyüşe çıkmak

**good at:** bir şeyde iyi  
**grey:** gri  
**hair colour:** saç rengi  
**hairstyle:** saç stili/şekli  
**handsome = good-looking:** yakışıklı  
**hard-working:** çalışkan  
**hazel:** ela  
**He doesn't mind ... :** ...-meyi umursamaz.  
**headscarf:** başörtüsü  
**helpful:** yardımsever  
**honest:** dürüst  
**idea:** fikir  
**I think ... :** Bence ...  
**impatient:** sabırsız  
**intelligent:** akıllı  
**kind = polite:** kibar, nazik  
**large:** geniş, büyük  
**late:** geç  
**long:** uzun  
**lovely:** şirin, güzel  
**make friends:** arkadaş olmak  
**make jokes:** şakalar yapmak  
**many:** birçok, bir sürü  
**middle-aged:** orta yaşlı  
**more:** daha çok, daha fazla  
**moustache:** bıyık  
**nervous:** gergin  
**never:** asla, hiçbir zaman  
**nice:** iyi, hoş, güzel  
**noisy:** gürültülü  
**of medium height:** orta boylu  
**on time:** vaktinde  
**other:** diğer  
**outgoing:** dışa dönük, sosyal  
**overweight:** aşırı kilolu  
**patient:** sabırlı  
**person:** kişi  
**personality = character:** kişilik  
**plump:** balık etinde, şişmanca  
**polite = kind:** kibar, nazik  
**practise:** pratik yapmak  
**punctual:** dakik  
**quiet:** sessiz, sakin  
**quite:** oldukça  
**really:** gerçekten  
**refuse:** reddetmek  
**relaxed:** rahat, sakin  
**relationship:** ilişki  
**responsible:** sorumluluk sahibi  
**round face:** yuvarlak yüz



## WORD LIST

**rude:** kaba  
**selfish:** bencil  
**serious:** ciddi  
**share:** paylaşmak  
**shy:** utangaç  
**silly:** aptal  
**slim:** ince, zayıf  
**smart:** zeki  
**smile:** gülümsemek  
**so:** bu nedenle  
**spend time with ...:** ... ile vakit geçirmek  
**straight:** düz  
**strong:** güçlü  
**stubborn:** inatçı  
**successful:** başarılı  
**talkative:** konuşkan  
**tell jokes:** fıkralar anlatmak  
**tell lies:** yalanlar söylemek  
**tell the truth:** doğruyu söylemek  
**thick hair:** gür saç  
**thin:** ince, zayıf  
**thin lips:** ince dudaklar  
**thoughtful:** düşünceli  
**ugly X beautiful:** çirkin X güzel  
**usually:** genellikle  
**wavy:** dalgalı  
**weak:** zayıf, güçsüz  
**wear:** giymek  
**well-built:** yapılı, kaslı  
**What colour eyes has ... got?:** ... ne renk gözlere sahip?  
**What does (s)he look like?:** Onun görünüşü nasıl?  
**What is (s)he like?:** Onun karakteri nasıl?  
**What kind of a person are you?:** Ne tür bir insansın?

1

A. Read about four famous people and match the texts with the pictures.



Burak Özçivit



Ata Demirer



Justin Bieber



Robert Pattinson

a

He is a famous Turkish actor. He is tall and well-built. He has got straight dark hair and brown eyes. He is a really handsome man. He enjoys climbing, doing sports and playing football.

b

He is a famous young singer. He is slim and of medium-height. He has got blond hair and brown eyes. He has got many fans all around the world. Girls like his songs and style. He can play the guitar, the piano and the drums.

c

He is a wonderful comedian and actor. He is tall and plump. He has got short dark hair, brown eyes and a small mouth. People like watching his films and stand-up shows because they are very funny. He is really good at telling jokes. He is also good at singing, he has got a nice voice.

d

He is a famous actor. He is tall and slim. He has got short brown hair, blue eyes and thin lips. People know him for *The Twilight Saga*. He also loves music. He is good at playing the guitar and the piano, but he can't sing very well.

B. Read the paragraphs again and answer the questions.

1. Who is taller; Burak Özçivit or Justin Bieber?

\_\_\_\_\_

3. Who is more popular; Justin Bieber or Burak Özçivit?

\_\_\_\_\_

2. Who is slimmer; Robert Pattinson or Ata Demirer?

\_\_\_\_\_

4. Who is better at singing; Robert Pattinson or Justin Bieber?

\_\_\_\_\_

5. Who is funnier; Ata Demirer or Burak Özçivit?

\_\_\_\_\_

## 1

## APPEARANCE AND PERSONALITY

## Study Test

2

Look at the picture and complete the email with the words in the boxes.

thinner

taller

patient

funnier

stubborn

curly



GEORGE

@

Hi Sam,

This is a photo of me and my friends. The girl next to me is Lucy. She is my best friend. She is very <sup>1</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ and helpful. She doesn't mind waiting for things, and she always helps me practise English. She is <sup>2</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ than me, and she is very slim. The boy with red <sup>3</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ hair is Matt. He is one of my classmates. He is <sup>4</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ than me; he is 65 kg, I am 68 kg. He is very friendly and thoughtful. The boy with straight dark hair is Bill. He always tells jokes and makes people smile. He is <sup>5</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ than me and Matt, but he is a bit <sup>6</sup> \_\_\_\_\_. You can't change his ideas or decisions easily. That's all about my friends. Write to me about your friends and school!

Love,

George

3

Fill in the blanks using the adjectives in brackets in the **comparative form**.

- Messi is a \_\_\_\_\_ (**good**) football player than Gerard Pique.
- I think Jill is a \_\_\_\_\_ (**beautiful**) girl than Alice.
- Ali is \_\_\_\_\_ (**generous**) than Mehmet because Ali always buys us presents.
- Rafting is \_\_\_\_\_ (**dangerous**) than handball.
- Suzanne has a \_\_\_\_\_ (**large**) flat than her brother.
- Dolphins are \_\_\_\_\_ (**intelligent**) than horses.

1-10: For these questions, choose the best option to fill in the blanks.

1. **My brother is very attractive and - - - - because he does sports every day.**
  - A) well-built
  - B) polite
  - C) straight
  - D) serious
  
2. **It was very - - - - of you to help that old woman.**
  - A) honest
  - B) shy
  - C) easygoing
  - D) kind
  
3. **Clark is a(n) - - - - boy, so he likes to chat with people wherever he goes.**
  - A) nervous
  - B) punctual
  - C) alone
  - D) talkative
  
4. **I think you should stop eating fast food, or you will be - - - - .**
  - A) punctual
  - B) impatient
  - C) relaxed
  - D) overweight
  
5. **Betty's grandfather is a(n) - - - - man; he always gives money to Betty and helps her.**
  - A) selfish
  - B) boring
  - C) generous
  - D) outgoing
  
6. **You think you are very tall, but to me, you are of - - - - .**
  - A) medium height
  - B) handsome
  - C) short
  - D) weak
  
7. **You should change your plans; don't be so - - - - .**
  - A) smart
  - B) stubborn
  - C) cute
  - D) beautiful
  
8. **Don't let Dora carry those glasses. She can drop and break them because she is very - - - - .**
  - A) responsible
  - B) intelligent
  - C) clumsy
  - D) selfish
  
9. **My sister goes to the gym twice a week to keep fit and - - - - .**
  - A) rude
  - B) slim
  - C) funny
  - D) tidy
  
10. **It is easy to comb - - - - hair, but my hair is curly and hard to comb.**
  - A) quiet
  - B) polite
  - C) wide
  - D) straight

1-10: For these questions, choose the best option to fill in the blanks.

1. French is difficult, but many people say Turkish is - - - - difficult than French.
 

A) much	B) more
C) most	D) too
  
2. The teacher gets angry with Nick - - - - he always forgets to do his homework.
 

A) but	B) or
C) so	D) because
  
3. I am more excited about the game - - - - you are.
 

A) than	B) and
C) but	D) then
  
4. I know I am not good at chess, but my older brother is - - - - than me.
 

A) bad	B) badly
C) worse	D) the worst
  
5. Serena Williams is a - - - - tennis player than her sister, Venus Williams.
 

A) best	B) good
C) better	D) the better
  
6. I got 75 in the first science exam and 90 in the second one. It means my second grade is - - - - than my first grade.
 

A) high	B) higher
C) low	D) lower
  
7. Kenan Doğulu is - - - - Emre Aydın.
 

A) short	B) shorter
C) shortest	D) shorter than
  
8. Today is sunny, but yesterday it was - - - - than today.
 

A) the hot	B) hottest
C) hotter	D) hot
  
9. Paul is 45 kg, and his sister is 50 kg; he is slimmer - - - - his sister.
 

A) from	B) to
C) with	D) than
  
10. My father is 46 years old, and my mother is 44 years old, so he is - - - - than my mum.
 

A) older	B) younger
C) young	D) old



**1-5: For these questions, choose the best option to fill in the blanks.**

1. I like honest people because they - - - - .

- A) go everywhere late
- B) always tell the truth
- C) only think about themselves
- D) are short and slim

2. Doğa : I have a new friend. He is Japanese.

Drake : - - - - ?

Doğa : He is very intelligent and friendly.

- A) What does he look like
- B) What is he like
- C) Why has he got glasses
- D) What colour eyes has he got

3. Onur is fitter than me because he - - - - .

- A) goes to the gym every day
- B) never goes for a walk
- C) always meets his friends at a café
- D) doesn't mind waiting for a long time

4. Kuzey : Zoro is my favourite cartoon character.

Gary : What does he look like?

Kuzey : He - - - - .

- A) is tall and well-built
- B) is a creative character
- C) is a generous person
- D) never shares his money with people

5. I think Selena Gomez is beautiful because - - - - .

- A) her hair is not lovely
- B) she has wonderful brown eyes
- C) she is also stubborn
- D) she lives in the USA

6. Which sentence below is about physical appearance?

- A) My father has got a beard and a moustache.
- B) His brother is very stubborn.
- C) You should be more relaxed.
- D) He is more easygoing than me.

7.

dark - fair

Look at the relationship between the words above. Which of the following has a similar relationship?

- A) polite - kind
- B) overweight - plump
- C) slim - thin
- D) good-looking - ugly

8.

Positive	Negative
outgoing	rude
clever	friendly
forgetful	lazy

You should change the places of two adjectives above to have correct information. Which ones are they?

- A) rude - clever
- B) friendly - clever
- C) forgetful - friendly
- D) outgoing - lazy

9. One of the sentences below expresses a comparison. Which one is it?

- A) My grandma wears a headscarf.
- B) His eyes are very big and beautiful.
- C) She has got long blonde hair.
- D) I am slimmer than my brother.

10-12: For these questions, choose the best option to fill in the blanks according to the pictures.

10.



Derya - - - - .

- A) has long straight hair
- B) never wears her glasses
- C) is a middle-aged person
- D) is plump and has a dark skin

11.



George - - - - .

- A) is not a well-built person
- B) is a hard-working man
- C) always helps his mother with the housework
- D) is always tidy and clean

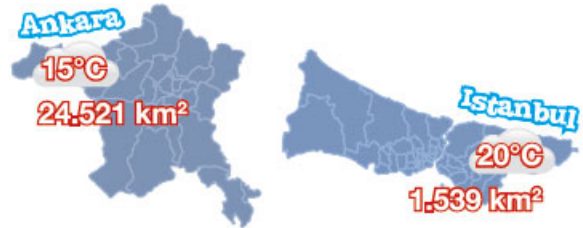
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Peter is a tall man with brown hair. He has blue eyes, a small mouth, and a thick - - - - . He looks handsome in his suit.

- A) beard
- B) headscarf
- C) moustache
- D) face

13.



Which is true according to the information above?

- A) Ankara is not bigger than İstanbul.
- B) İstanbul is larger than Ankara.
- C) Ankara is warmer than İstanbul.
- D) İstanbul is hotter than Ankara.

14.

Jane and her husband live in London. She is a beautiful woman with blonde hair. She is tall and thin. Jane is a friendly woman, and she is smart. Dan, her husband, is a generous man. He is of medium height, and he is shorter than Jane. He has got ginger hair and a wide mouth.

Which picture shows Jane and Dan?

A)



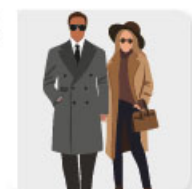
B)



C)



D)



15.

Kevin is a cheerful boy. He is very hard-working, and he is always punctual.

What is this person talking about in the speech bubble?

- A) Kevin's appearance
- B) Kevin's nationality
- C) Kevin's personality
- D) Kevin's hobbies

Answer the questions (16-17) according to the table below.

	Age	Height	Weight
Alice	12	1.45 m	48 kg
Susan	22	1.60 m	55 kg
Laura	40	1.75 m	78 kg

16. Which one is true?

- A) Susan is older than Laura.
- B) Laura is shorter than Alice.
- C) Alice is plumper than Susan.
- D) Laura is older and taller than Alice.

17. This person is of medium height and in her early twenties. She is not very thin.

Who is she?

- A) Susan
- B) Alice
- C) Laura
- D) All of them

Answer the questions (18-20) according to the text below.



Hi! My name is Shelly, and this is a drawing of me and my family. I am 10 years old, and I have got long dark hair. The little boy next to me is my brother, Nigel. He is 7 years old, and he has got short dark hair with wonderful eyes. He is shorter than me, and he is very cheerful. My mother is of medium height, and she is 35 years old. She has got long wavy hair. She listens to my problems for hours, and she never gets bored. Finally, my father is 40 years old, and he is very handsome and attractive.

18. Shelly's brother - - - - .

- A) is older than Shelly
- B) has got long hair
- C) has got beautiful eyes
- D) helps his sister with her homework

19. Which one is true?

- A) Shelly's father is younger than her mum.
- B) Shelly is older than her brother.
- C) Nigel is taller than his sister.
- D) Shelly's mother has got short straight hair.

20. Shelly's mother is very - - - - .

- A) selfish
- B) funny
- C) stubborn
- D) patient

1-4: For these questions, choose the best option to fill in the blanks.

1. **Cindy :** Pamela is very - - - - .  
**Gwen :** What do you mean?  
**Cindy :** I mean she is always happy; nothing bothers her.
- A) relaxed                                  B) boring  
 C) serious                                  D) quiet
2. **Hillary :** - - - - ?  
**Sally :** He is very tall and slim with a long beard.
- A) What kind of a person is your mother  
 B) What does he teach at school  
 C) What does your neighbour look like  
 D) Do you think your brother is shy
3. **Dora :** Why don't you like Emily?  
**Bob :** Because she is not a polite person, and she - - - - .
- A) always tells the truth  
 B) sometimes has a rest after school  
 C) has a nice personality  
 D) is also very selfish
4. Belinda is a(n) - - - - girl; she has many friends, and everybody loves her. However, her brother is very rude, and he is not a(n) - - - - person. He is always late for school.
- A) stubborn / ambitious                  B) polite / clumsy  
 C) outgoing / responsible                D) forgetful / calm
5. (I) My favourite actor is Zac Efron. (II) He is a good-looking and well-built man. (III) He is of medium height with fair hair and blue eyes. (IV) He is also quite selfish and rude.
- Find the irrelevant sentence in the text above.
- A) I                                  B) II                                  C) III                                  D) IV

6. My father doesn't have any hair on his head.

Which of the following has the same meaning as the sentence above?

- A) My father is bald.  
 B) Dad has thick hair.  
 C) My father doesn't have a beard.  
 D) My dad has a short moustache.



She is a beautiful girl with blue eyes and a - - - - .


Find the word that completes the sentence correctly according to the picture.

- A) hairstyle                                  B) strong build  
 C) personality                                D) headscarf

8. Clara has got short dark hair and blue eyes.

Which picture shows Clara?



9.  **Policeman:** Hello, little boy. Why are you crying?  
**Tom :** I can't find my father. He is not here.  
**Policeman:** I can help you, but please tell me about his appearance.  
**Tom :** His name is Jackie. He is of medium height. He isn't thin or plump. He has got curly blond hair and blue eyes.  
**Policeman:** Look! He is over there, under the tree.

Read the dialogue between Tom and the policeman. Which of the photos below shows Jackie?

- A) 
- B) 
- C) 
- D) 

Answer the questions (10-11) according to the text below.

The president of the country is a tall woman in her forties. She has got long wavy hair and green eyes. She is very kind and beautiful. She always listens to the opinions of other people and gives importance to them. She helps poor people in the country. She works a lot for her country and loves her job.





10. What can we say about the president mentioned in the text?

- A) She is thoughtful and hard-working.
- B) She is not very attractive.
- C) She is selfish and stubborn.
- D) She doesn't mind other people's needs.

11. The text **doesn't** mention a piece of information about the president. What is it?

- A) Her height
- B) Her age
- C) Her personality
- D) Her weight

12.

SUNA		helpful hard-working
MERT		punctual talkative
LILY		funny beautiful
ALEX		easygoing smart



A good friend is never boring and is never late for meetings.

There is some information about four people with different personalities. Mathilda can be good friends with one of them. Who is s/he?

- A) Suna
- B) Lily
- C) Mert
- D) Alex

13. I- Jeremy is a very clever person.  
 II- Helen is very tall and a little bit plump.  
 III- Our teacher has a dark skin and big blue eyes.

Look at the underlined words in the sentences and find the opposites of them in the options. Which option is extra?

- A) fair                                      B) slim  
 C) calm                                      D) silly

Answer the questions (14-15) according to the table below.

	Physical Appearance		Personality
	Weight	Height	
<b>Mehmet</b>	65 kg	155 cm	never remembers to do his homework
<b>Demet</b>	55 kg	135 cm	never changes her mind
<b>Canan</b>	42 kg	137 cm	always helps others
<b>Suna</b>	45 kg	150 cm	always shares her money with her friends
<b>Kerem</b>	60 kg	140 cm	always meets friends

14. - - - - is shorter and slimmer than Suna.

- A) Canan                                      B) Mehmet  
 C) Demet                                      D) Kerem

15. Which one is true?

- A) Canan is a selfish girl.  
 B) Demet is very stubborn; it is hard to change her decisions.  
 C) Kerem is fatter and taller than all the other children.  
 D) Mehmet is a very intelligent and responsible boy.

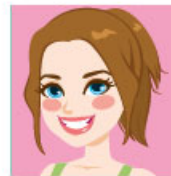
Answer the questions (16-18) according to the texts below.



Sandy loves meeting new people. She can easily make friends, and she likes spending time with her friends.



Chris is never late for his appointments. He always arrives on time.



It is easy for Helen to learn new things. Also, she can get good grades in the tests at school.

16. Sandy is a(n) - - - - person.

- A) generous                                      B) honest  
 C) outgoing                                      D) shy

17. Chris is a - - - - person.

- A) punctual                                      B) relaxed  
 C) lazy    D) forgetful

18. Helen is a very - - - - person.

- A) dishonest                                      B) clever  
 C) impatient                                      D) easygoing