

## PET PRACTISE: VOCABULARY

### DESCRIBING PEOPLE

#### CHOOSE ADJECTIVES FROM THE BOX FOR EACH STATEMENT

tall	overweight	petite	elderly	built	height	skinny
	twenties	beautiful			handsome	

- A) A more polite word for describing someone who is 'fat'.
- B) The opposite of short.
- C) A word to describe an attractive man.
- D) A word to describe a very attractive woman.
- E) The opposite of 'fat' is 'thin'. This is another word meaning 'thin'.
- F) Another word meaning 'old'.
- G) If someone is muscular we say they are well-.
- H) Someone who is 26 years old is in their .....
- I) Another word for 'small' often used to describe a woman.
- J) Not tall or short. Medium-

Now complete the following sentences using the adjectives above:

1. She is so ..... she has been asked to model for Vogue magazine.
2. I would like to be a policewoman but I am only 1 metre 54; I am not ..... enough.
3. An ..... man was knocked over on the zebra crossing outside my house this morning. I think he is about 80 years old.
4. I think Johnny Depp is attractive but he is not as ..... as George Clooney.
5. Models are too ..... nowadays. You can see all their bones!
6. The reason there are more ..... people now is because our society is eating more fast food and doing less exercise.
7. My dad isn't fat, but he is quite ..... . He can't find clothes that fit him.
8. Sally is in her ..... She's going to be 24 next week.
9. Most ballet dancers are very ..... . In fact, you'll never find a big ballet dancer!
10. Jon is neither tall nor short. He is medium-..... .

**HAIR VOCABULARY**

dark                  bald                  cropped                  curly                  wavy                  dyes (to dye)  
long                  straight

1. My hair is very short. It's .....
2. My dad has got no hair. He is .....
3. I always use hair straighteners as my hair is so ..... and I hate it!
4. She isn't really blonde. She ..... her hair that colour.
5. I have to get my ..... cut, I can't see!
6. Whenever I do sport I put my hair in a ..... so that it doesn't get in my eyes.
7. She looks like a typical girl from Andalucía, with ..... , ..... hair and a dark complexion.