Describing People

Make your character interesting and convincing by describing their features, their expressions, their build and the way they move. Details of hair and clothing will help to create a realistic picture.

A burly figure strode along the quay, his crimson frockcoat flapping in the breeze. Where his left hand should have been, a silver hook gleamed from under a lacy cuff. One eye was hidden by a black patch, but the other glittered greedily. Beneath his tangled beard, his mouth looked thin and cruel and a deep scar ran across his weather beaten cheek.

strona athletic beefy (informal) brawny broadshouldered burly hulking muscular powerful sinewy stocky strapping



babyish chubby craggy flabby fleshy gaunt haggard heart-shaped long oval pinched plump podgy round square strong-jawed triangular

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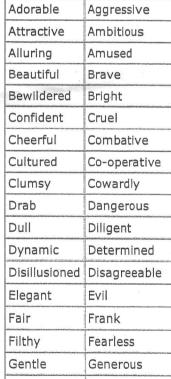
Activity: Using your imagination and the pictures given, describe each of the characters in your own words. Make it as interesting and engaging as possible!



Shape and Size

| Broad | Big |
|-----------|-----------|
| Crooked | Colossal |
| Circular | Great |
| Distorted | Gigantic |
| Flat | Huge |
| Hollow | Large |
| Narrow | Miniature |
| Round | Mammoth |
| Square | Petite |
| Skinny | Tall |
| Steep | Thin |
| Wide | Tiny |
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Descriptions Adorable





dumpy little petite pint-sized (informal) small squat

scrawny skeletal skinny spare spindly waiflike



weak anaemic delicate feeble fragile frail puny sickly weedy



fat chubby corpulent flabby heavy hefty obese overweight paunchy plump podgy portly potbellied stout tubby weighty



Gifted

Glamorous