

Unconventional Beauty.

Useful words and expressions:

Feature – черта (характера, внешности)

Synonyms: Unconventional – offbeat – way-out - untraditional

Flaw – изъян

- Flawless – без изъянов, идеально

Appearance – внешность (черты лица)

- *To do sth for the sake of appearance* – делать что-то для видимости

Look – вид (внешний вид – то что, на Вас надето)

Character – характер

BUT *She is a girl with an attitude* – Она девушка с характером

To judge smb – судить кого-то

To determine sb's beauty – определять чью-то красоту

To appeal to sb – привлекать

It appeals to me – меня привлекает, мне нравится

Criterion (pl. criteria)

Perfect/ gorgeous/ outstanding/ meticulous – шикарный безупречный и т.п.

Different features:

- A good sense of humour
- Grace and elegance
- Unique - уникальный
- Wrinkles - морщины
- Allure – charm - привлекательность
- Winsome – приятный, располагающий к себе
- Makeover – создание нового облика
- Plastic/cosmetic surgery
- Tattoo
- Piercing

Questions for discussion:

- What is beauty? Is beauty important? How often do you think about beauty?
- Who decides who or what is beautiful? Do you think the idea of beauty changes?
- Do you think you have the same concept of beauty as your friends?
- What are the most important features when determining someone's beauty?
- Do you think different races have different perceptions of what beauty is?
- Are only young people beautiful?
- How would the world be different if we never considered beauty?
- Is beauty in design important in your culture?
- Do you think advertising tell us what is beautiful and what is not?
- What do you think of beauty contests?
- Do beautiful people have better lives?
- Do people ever pick your brains?
- Do you think people with many piercings can be beautiful? What is your opinion of these piercings?

Ear (one)

Ear (various)

Nose

Eyebrow

Lip

Nipple

Other more "intimate" piercings.

- Is there beauty in everything we see and do?
- Do you think about your beauty?
- Do you think the beauty industry is important?
- Do you think it is important to get your beauty sleep?
- What beauty can you see around you now?
- Do you see beauty in the English language?
- How important is it to you that your partner is good looking?
- Can babies be beautiful or are they all universally ugly?
- Do you think that beauty can ever be a disadvantage? When, and in what way?
- Is there more pressure on women to be beautiful than there is on men? Why should this be?
- Do you think people with many tattoos can be beautiful? How many tattoos are too many? Would you ever get a tattoo? Do you have a tattoo?
- Do you spend much (or any) time making yourself up before going out?
- What is your opinion of men wearing makeup?
- What is your opinion of using botox to remove wrinkles?
- What do you think of the idea of having plastic surgery to improve your looks?
- What should be the minimum age at which people can choose cosmetic surgery?
- Would you ever date someone who was not conventionally attractive?

What do these English expressions mean?

- Pretty is as pretty does.
- Beauty is in the eye of the beholder.



- Beauty is only skin deep.
- What you see is what you get.

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