

FUMC ESL Low Intermediate Lesson Life Goes on: A Meeting at the Western Hotel

*Read "A Meeting at the Western Hotel" on page 4.

*Answer the questions on page 5.

*Put the word from the word box into the sentences below.

is	doesn't have	sees	walks into
looks like	says	approaches	arrives

1. The next day, Samir _____ at the Western Hotel.
2. He _____ the lobby.
3. But no one _____ Conrad.
4. Then Samir _____ a man looking at him.
5. He is about 5 feet 7 inches tall. He _____ mostly bald.
6. And he _____ a mustache.
7. But then the man _____ him.
8. "Excuse me," he _____. "Are you Samir?"

*Match the Definitions at the bottom of page 6

*Practice the conversation at the top of page 7.

*Fill in the chart below.

Conrad says:	The Way Conrad Really Looks
I'm about 6 feet tall.	
I have a lot of hair.	
It's curly and black.	
I'm pretty muscular.	
I have a mustache.	

*Do the Listening Exercise on page 8. Teachers use the script on page 94.

*Change these statements into questions. The first one is done for you. NOTE: You can ask, "Do you sometimes go to meetings? OR Do you ever go to meetings?"

1. I work for a large corporation. Do you work for a large corporation?
2. I sometimes talk on the telephone to people I work with. _____
3. I go to meetings sometimes. _____
4. I have a lot of hair. _____
5. I have a mustache. _____

Open your OPD to page 32. Read the statements below and answer the questions.

1. There are three women. The elderly woman has gray hair. She is a senior citizen. The young woman has black hair. Someone between thirteen and nineteen is called a teenager. Teen is the short name for teenager. A youth is not a baby, but not an adult. The middle aged woman has black and gray hair.

- Which woman is oldest?
- Which woman is youngest?
- Are you young, elderly or middle aged?

2. There are six people. The tall woman has a blue shirt. The short woman has a red shirt. The woman in between is average height. Someone who is tall is **above** average height. Someone who is short is **below** average height.

- Are you average, above average or below average height?
- Are your siblings the same size?
- Who is the tallest in your family?
- Who is the shortest in your family?
- Do you think men would rather be tall than short? Do you think women would rather be tall or short?
- Are your grandparents shorter or taller than your parents?

3. The man in the blue shirt is heavy. Heavy is a more polite term than fat.

The man in the green shirt is thin. The man in the middle is average weight. Are your parents average or heavy or thin?

- Would you like to be heavier or thinner?

4. The woman is in the wheelchair. She plays basketball. She can't walk. She is **disabled**. The man with the cane is **blind**. He lost his sight. He cannot see well. He uses a **cane**. The cane helps the man. The boy is **deaf**. He cannot hear. His teacher uses **sign language**. The boy understands sign language.

- Do you know anyone who is deaf?
- Do you know sign language? Would you like to learn?
- Do you know anyone who is blind?
- Do you know anyone who uses a wheelchair?

5. This family is attractive. The man is handsome. The woman is pretty. The baby is cute.

Men are handsome. Men are **never** pretty. Pretty is a word for girls and women. Everyone can be cute.

- What makes a woman pretty?
- What makes a man handsome?

6. The woman is pregnant. She will have a baby soon. She is smiling. She is happy about her baby. She wants children. When a woman is pregnant, we say she is **expecting**. She is expecting a baby.

- Do you want children?
- Do you have children?

7. The woman has a mole on her face. A mole is a brown spot. The woman is pretty. Many people have moles. Some people have freckles. Freckles are small brown spots. Freckles are smaller than moles. Some people with red hair have freckles. Some people with blond hair have freckles.

- Do you have any moles?
- Do you have any freckles?

8. The woman has pierced ears. She has holes in her ear. She wears earrings. The man has a tattoo.

- Do you have pierced ears?
- Do you have a tattoo.
- Would you like pierced ears?
- Would you like a tattoo?
- In your country, do many people have pierced ears? Do both men and women have pierced ears?
- In your country, do many people have tattoos? Do men and women wear tattoos?