

ADJECTIVES

Which characteristics do they have?

1. They are **INVARIABLE** in terms of:

GENDER ex. honest → onesto / onesta

NUMBER ex. honest → onesti / oneste

2. They **PRECEED** the name:

ex. My father is an **honest man**. Tr. Mio padre è un **uomo onesto**.

3. They follow a **PRECISE ORDER**:

OPINION	SIZE	AGE	COLOUR	TYPE
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Ex. She's a

lovely,	short,	young	---	---
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 girl.
Tr. È una **bella** ragazza **giovane**, **non molto alta**.

Ex. He's got an

ugly,	big,	old,	---	Alsatian
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 dog.
Tr. (Egli) ha un **brutto vecchio grosso pastore tedesco**.

Ex. He's a

handsome,	tall,	middle-aged	---	---
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 man.
Tr. È un **bell'uomo di mezza età, alto**.