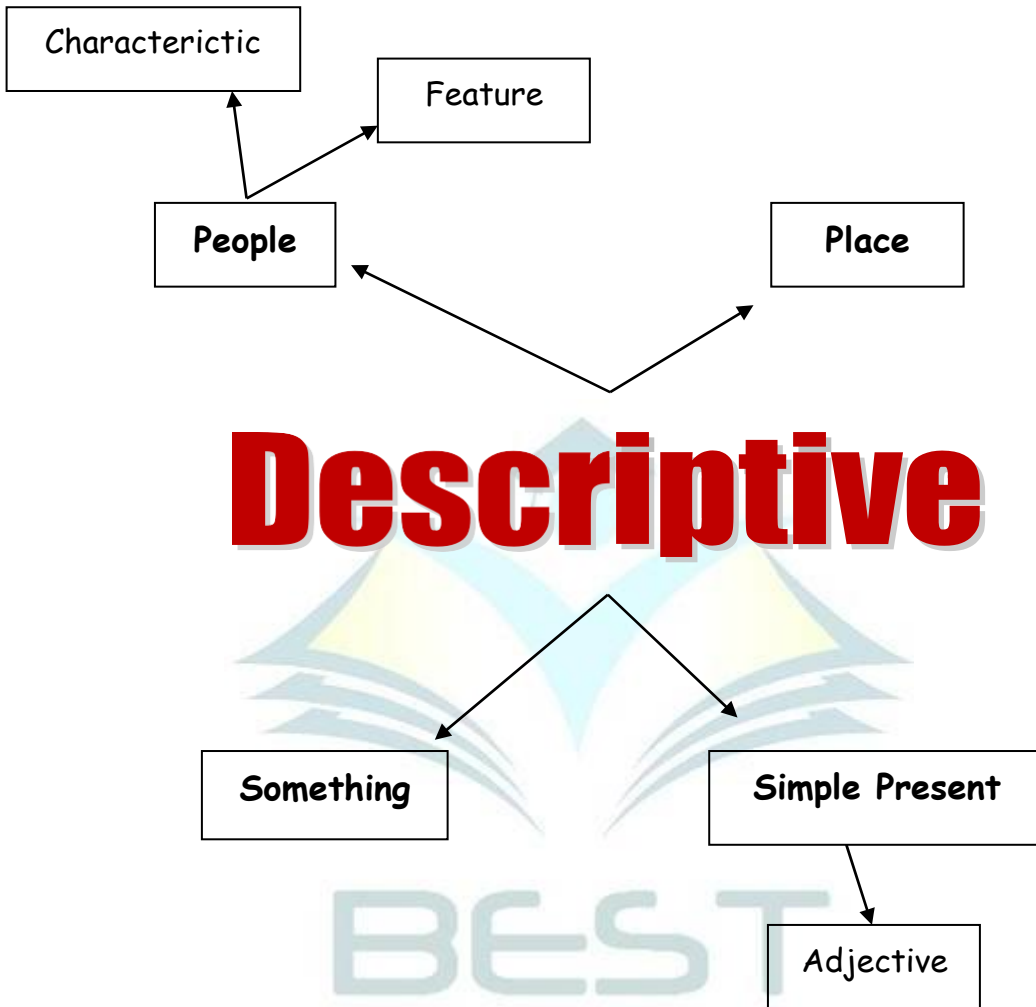


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DESCRIPTIVE TEXT

A. Explanation

The definition:

Descriptive text is a text that describes the features of someone, something, or a certain place.

The generic structures:

- Identification : identifies/introduction of phenomenon to be describe
- Description : describe the characteristic of phenomenon

The language features:

- Uses simple present tense
- Uses comparative degree

Example of the descriptive text:

My mother is a beautiful person. She is not tall but not short, and she has curly hair and brown. Her eyes color are like honey and her color skin color light brown, and she has a beautiful smile. Her weight likes 120 lbs.

She is a very kind person. She is very lovely, friendly, patient, and she loves to help people. I love my mom, because she is a good example to me. She loves being in the Church, and she loves sing and dance too.

She is a very good child, wife and mother. She always takes care of her family. She likes her house to be clean and organized. She a very organized person and all things in the house are in the right place. She doesn't like messes.

She always has a smile on her face. She is so sweet and lovely. I like when I am going to sleep or went I wake up or when I am going to go to some places, she always give me a kiss, and when the family have a problem she always be with us to helps us and to give us all her love.

B. Do the task!

Read the text!

Debby Putti is a model from Surabaya. Now she is a student of State Senior High School 71 Surabaya. Debby is the first daughter of Mr. Fajar Putti and Mrs. Ana Karaeng. Debby became a famous model when she won the competition of Teenage Model 2005 and YTV Jrang-Jreng 2004.

Debby is brown-skinned. She is tall and slender. She is 17 years old. Debby has wavy, short, black hair, a pointed nose and rather big ears. Her face is oval and her cheeks are dimpled when she smiles.

Debby is an attractive girl in her blue jeans. She likes wearing a cotton jacket and a T-shirt. She always wants to feel relaxed. She is neat and well-dressed.

Debby is a cheerful and friendly girl. Everybody likes her because she is a humorous and creative girl. She gets on well with other people and she never forces her opinions on others. But sometimes Debby is short-tempered when she loses her personal things.

Her hobbies are cooking Japanese food, shopping and singing. Debby has a beautiful voice and her favorite singer is Kris Dayanti.

- I. Answer the following questions in the comment box below!
1. What does the text talk about?
 2. What is the purpose of the writer in this text?
 3. What is Debby's profession?
 4. How did she become famous?
 5. Can you describe Debby's physical features? If you can, describe her!
 6. How does the way Debby dress?
 7. Is the text written in simple present tense? Why?
 8. Mention her positive and negative traits!
 9. Identification of the text in paragraph....
 10. Description of the text in paragraph(s)....
- II. Make your own descriptive text. Describe your school life or house life in two paragraphs, each paragraph should consists of at least 5 sentences.

