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Meaning of **human** – Learner's Dictionary

human
adjective
UK /'hju:mən/ US

B1

relating to people or their characteristics:

- *the human body*
- *human behaviour*
- *The accident was caused by **human error** (= a person's mistake).*

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- *the human brain*
- *Most accidents are the result of human error.*
- *This place is not fit for human habitation.*
- *The cost in human terms is incalculable.*
- *The bacteria live in the human body.*

▶ be only human

to not be perfect:

- *Of course Tom makes mistakes - he's only human.*

human
noun [C]
UK /'hju:mən/ US
(also **human being**, UK US)

B1

a man, woman, or child:

- *The disease affects both humans and animals.*

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人的, 人類的, 人, 人类... [See more](#)

in Chinese (Simplified)
人的, 人类的, 人, 人类... [See more](#)

in Spanish
humano, ser humano, humano/ana [masculine-feminine]... [See more](#)

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dress up

UK /dres/ US /dres/

to put on formal clothes for a special occasion

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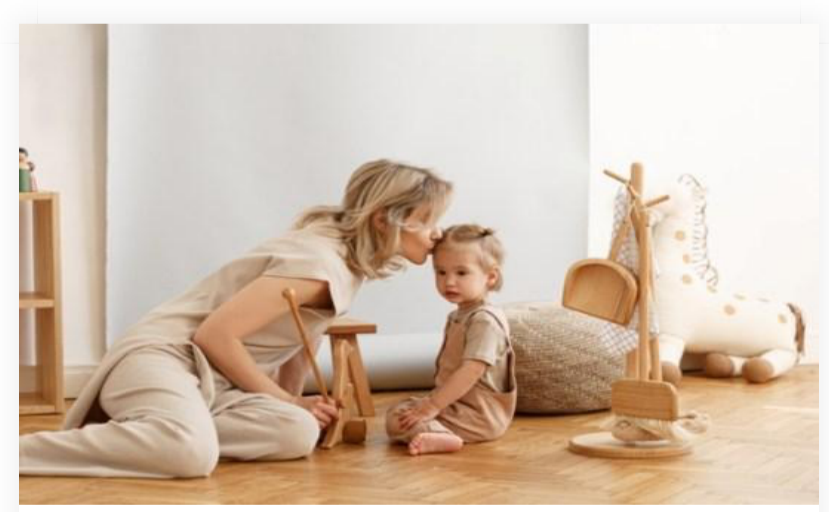


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