eyebrow Apresyan (En-Ru)

['aıbrav] *n* бровь

to raise the eyebrows - поднять брови (в знак удивления, недовольства и т. п.)

this caused a lot of raised eyebrows - это вызвало всеобщее недоумение

eyebrow pencil - карандаш для бровей

 \lozenge up to the eyebrows - \cong по уши

to hang on by one's eyebrows - a) настойчиво требовать упорно добиваться; б) быть на краю гибели, висеть на волоске

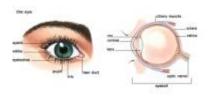
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Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

eye-brow [eyebrow eyebrows] BrE ['aɪbraʊ] * NAmE ['aɪbraʊ] * (also brow)

noun usually plural

the line of hair above the eye



more at raise your eyebrows at fraise

Idiom: †up to your eyebrows in something

See also: 1brow

Collocations:

Physical appearance

A person may be described as having:

Eves

(bright) blue/green/(dark/light) brown/hazel eyes

deep-set/sunken/bulging/protruding eyes

small/beady/sparkling/twinkling/(informal) shifty eyes

piercing/penetrating/steely eyes

bloodshot/watery/puffy eyes

bushy/thick/dark/raised/arched eyebrows

long/dark/thick/curly/false eyelashes/lashes

Face

a flat/bulbous/pointed/sharp/snub nose

a straight/a hooked/a Roman/(formal) an aquiline nose

full/thick/thin/pouty lips

dry/chapped/cracked lips

flushed/rosy/red/ruddy/pale cheeks

soft/chubby/sunken cheeks

white/perfect/crooked/protruding teeth

- a large/high/broad/wide/sloping forehead
- a strong/weak/pointed/double chin
- a long/full/bushy/wispy/goatee beard
- a long/thin/bushy/droopy/handlebar/pencil moustache/ (especially US) mustache

Hair and skin

pale/fair/olive/dark/tanned skin

dry/oily/smooth/rough/leathery/wrinkled skin

a dark/pale/light/sallow/ruddy/olive/swarthy/clear complexion

deep/fine/little/facial wrinkles

blonde/blond/fair/(light/dark) brown/(jet-)black/auburn/red/(BrE) ginger/grey hair

straight/curly/wavy/frizzy/spiky hair

thick/thin/fine/bushy/thinning hair

dyed/bleached/soft/silky/dry/greasy/shiny hair

long/short/shoulder-length/cropped hair

a bald/balding/shaved head

a receding hairline

a bald patch/spot

a side/centre/(US) center (BrE) parting/ (NAmE) part

Body

a long/short/thick/slender/(disapproving) scrawny neck

broad/narrow/sloping/rounded/hunched shoulders

- a bare/broad/muscular/small/large chest
- a flat/swollen/bulging stomach
- a small/tiny/narrow/slim/slender/28-inch waist

big/wide/narrow/slim hips
a straight/bent/arched/broad/hairy back
thin/slender/muscular arms
big/large/small/manicured/calloused/gloved hands
long/short/fat/slender/delicate/bony fingers
long/muscular/hairy/shapely/(both informal, often disapproving) skinny/spindly legs
muscular/chubby/(informal, disapproving) flabby thighs
big/little/small/dainty/wide/narrow/bare feet
a good/a slim/a slender/an hourglass figure
be of slim/medium/average/large/athletic/stocky build

Example Bank:

- 'Really?' she said, raising a sardonic eyebrow.
- Ellen looked at me with a raised eyebrow.
- He furrowed his eyebrows in confusion.
- · Her eyebrows arched guizzically.
- · His dark eyebrows lifted in surprise.
- · She had short blonde hair and an eyebrow ring.
- She spent hours in front of the mirror, plucking her eyebrows.

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Longman DOCE 5th Ed. (En-En)

eye brow /'aɪbraʊ/ BrE * AmE * noun [countable]

- 1. the line of hair above your eye:
 - thick bushy eyebrows
- 2. raise your eyebrows to move your eyebrows upwards in order to show surprise or disapproval:
 - 'Really?' she said, raising her eyebrows.
 - This decision caused a few raised eyebrows (=surprised some people).
- 3. be up to your eyebrows in something spoken to have more of something than you can deal with:
 - I'm absolutely up to my eyebrows in work.

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