

# My icon is Cristiano Ronaldo



# Short biography of Cristiano



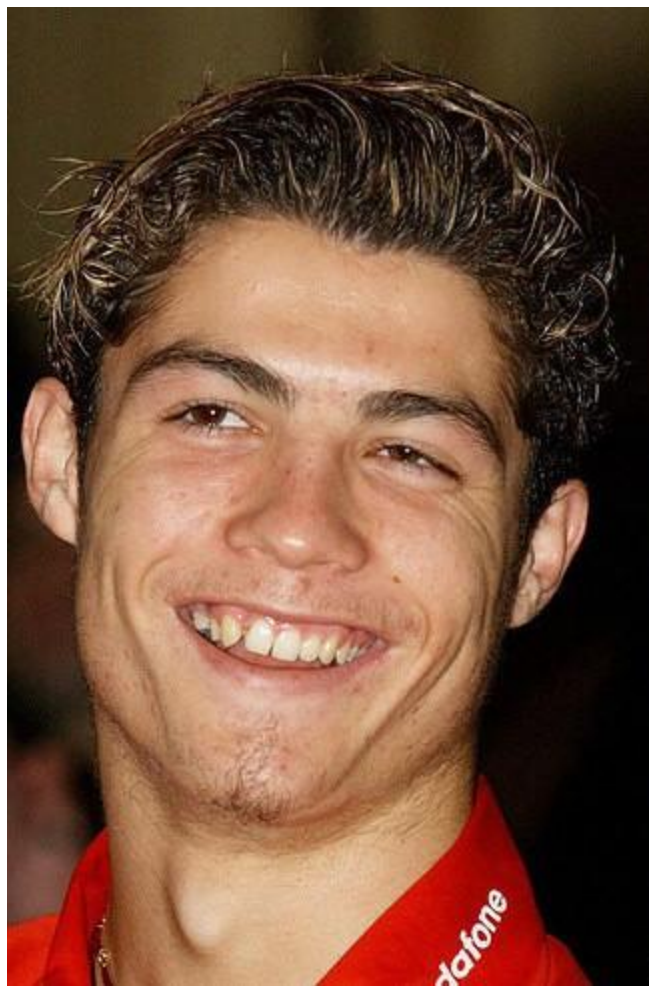
**-He was born 5 February 1985**

**His full name is Cristiano Ronaldo dos Santos Aveiro**

**Born and raised on the Portuguese island of Madeira**

# Football career

- ▶ At age 16, Ronaldo was promoted from Sporting's youth team by first-team manager László Bölöni, who was impressed with his dribbling. He subsequently became the first player to play for the club's under-16, under-17 and under-18 teams, the B team, and the first team, all within one season
- ▶ In 2001, when Cristiano Ronaldo was just 16 years old, Manchester United paid more than £12 million to sign him — a record fee for a player of his age
- ▶ In 2009, the Spanish soccer club Real Madrid agreed to pay Manchester United a record \$131 million for the chance to sign Ronaldo



# 2015/2016 achievements and awards

- ▶ **Individual Awards**

- 2016 FIFA Ballon d'Or
  - UEFA Best Player
  - The Best FIFA Men's Player 2016
  - UEFA Champions League Top Scorer
  - Trofeo Alfredo Di Stefano
  - Best International Athlete ESPY

- ▶ **Team Awards**

- UEFA Euro 2016
  - UEFA Champions League
  - FIFA Club World Cup
  - UEFA Super Cup

- ▶ And etc.

# His golden balls



# Family

- ▶ Ronaldo is the youngest of four children born to Maria Dolores dos Santos and Jose Dinis Aveiro. He was named after Ronald Reagan, one of his father's favorite actors
- ▶ In 2005, when Ronaldo was playing for Manchester United, his father died from alcohol-related kidney problems
- ▶ In 2007, his mother struggled with breast cancer
- ▶ He has 2 daughters and 2 sons

