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# Untangling the Roots of Hair Identity

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After “trying to conform,” Kennedy Black, 17, is now comfortable enough to wear her hair in a variety of ways.

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