

4  Listen and answer Questions 1–10.

**Questions 1–10**

*Complete the sentences below.*

*Write **NO MORE THAN TWO WORDS** for each answer.* **SASHIKO STITCHING**

- 1 The word *sashiko* means '.....'.
- origins 2 In the beginning, *sashiko* was ..... rather than decorative.
- material/cloth 3 In the past, warm fabrics such as ..... were not available in some parts of Japan.
- stitch together 4 Warm clothes were produced by using *sashiko* to join ..... of material.
- patterns 5 Traditional *sashiko* designs included one called '.....'.
- dressed in 6 In the towns of ancient Japan, workers such as ..... wore *sashiko* garments.
- skill 7 It used to be essential for someone married to a ..... to know how to do *sashiko*.
- no longer necessary 8 *Sashiko* was not needed when ..... began in northern Japan.
- nowadays 9 Modern *sashiko* patterns include stripes and ..... shapes.
- ancient garments 10 Unfortunately, ..... are not as interested in old clothes as in other ancient craft objects.