

UNIT TEST 8 OPTIMISE B1

LISTENING

1  **UT Track 8** Listen to someone talking about sweatshirts. Read the phrases below and, as you listen, underline the word that is wrong and write the correct word.

- 1 ... sweatshirts could absorb the sweat produced by the body after exercise. _____
- 2 ... in the 1930s, the sweatshirt was thought to be fashionable ... _____
- 3 In the 1970s, the hoodie became popular in pop culture. _____
- 4 Skateboarders thought sweatshirts were cool and comfortable. _____
- 5 The film *E.T.* increased the sales of sweatshirts outside the United States. _____

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2  **UT Track 8** Listen again and write the missing information in each gap.

The History of the Sweatshirt

1930s: Used by workers because sweatshirts had (1) _____ which were deep.

Popular with athletes to keep them

(2) _____ during training sessions.

1960s: Students liked this item of clothing

because it was (3) _____.

1980s: Skateboarders wore them because they

offered (4) _____ from injury.

Today: It is possible to have your own

(5) _____ on your sweatshirt.

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Track 8 For each question, write the correct answer in the gap. Write one or two words or a number or a date or a time.

You will hear part of a training session for people who are going to work as sales assistants in a large shop.

Training session for new sales assistants

The training manager is called Mandy (1) _____.

New assistants will work on the (2) _____ floor.

Part-time workers have a rest day on (3) _____ every week.

Workers who live in the town can use the store's (4) _____ service for free.

The staff discount cannot be used to buy (5) _____.

Assistants need to collect their (6) _____ on their first day.