

Clothes and fashion

VOCABULARY BANK

1 DESCRIBING CLOTHES

- a Match the adjectives and pictures.

Fit

- ☐ loose /lu:s/
- ☒ 1 tight /taɪt/

Style

- ☐ hooded /'hʊdɪd/
- ☐ long-sleeved /lɒŋ 'sli:vɪd/ (also short-sleeved)
- ☐ polo neck /'pəʊləʊ nek/
- ☐ sleeveless /'sli:vələs/
- ☐ V-neck /'vi: nek/

Pattern

- ☐ checked /tʃekt/
- ☐ patterned /'pætənd/
- ☐ plain /pleɪn/
- ☐ spotted /'spɒtɪd/
- ☐ striped /straɪpt/

- b 2.17 Listen and check.

- c Match the phrases and pictures.

Materials

- ☐ a cotton vest /kɒtn 'vest/
- ☐ a denim waistcoat /denɪm 'weɪskəʊt/
- ☐ a fur collar /fɜ: 'kɒlə/
- ☐ a lace top /leɪs 'tɒp/
- ☒ 1 a linen suit /lɪnɪn 'su:t/
- ☐ a lycra swimsuit /laɪkrə 'swɪmsu:t/
- ☐ a silk scarf /sɪlk 'skɑ:f/
- ☐ a velvet bow tie /velvɪt bəʊ 'taɪ/
- ☐ a wool(len) cardigan /wʊl(ə)n 'kɑ:dɪɡən/
- ☐ leather sandals /leðə 'sændlɪz/
- ☐ suede boots /sweɪd 'bʊts/

- d 2.18 Listen and check.

ACTIVATION Cover the words and phrases. Look at the photos and describe the items.



2 ADJECTIVES TO DESCRIBE CLOTHES AND THE WAY PEOPLE DRESS

- a Complete the sentences with an adjective.

casual /'kæʒʊəl/ classic /'klæsɪk/
old-fashioned /əʊld 'fæʃənd/ scruffy /'skrʌfi/
smart /smɑ:t/

- 1 She always wears _____ clothes to work – she hates dressing formally.
- 2 He looks really _____. His clothes are old and a bit dirty.
- 3 Jane looked very _____ in her new suit. She wanted to make a good impression.
- 4 That tie's a bit _____. Is it your dad's?
- 5 I like wearing _____ clothes that don't go out of fashion.

- b 2.19 Listen and check.

ACTIVATION Say one item you own for each adjective in the list.

3 VERBS AND VERB PHRASES

- a Match the sentences.

- 1 ☒ C I'm going to **dress up** tonight.
- 2 ☐ Please **hang up** your coat.
- 3 ☐ These jeans don't **fit** me.
- 4 ☐ That skirt really **suits** you.
- 5 ☐ Your bag **matches** your shoes.
- 6 ☐ I need to **get changed**.
- 7 ☐ Hurry up and **get undressed**.
- 8 ☐ Get up and **get dressed**.
- 9 ☐ That tie doesn't really **go with** your shirt.

- A Don't leave it on the chair.
- B I've just spilt coffee on my shirt.
- C I'm going to a party.
- D They don't look good together.
- E It's bath time.
- F They're too small.
- G They're almost the same colour.
- H You look great in it.
- I Breakfast is on the table.

- b 2.20 Listen and check.

ACTIVATION Cover 1–9. Look at A–I and remember the matching sentences.

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