

# 25) Accessories



scarf (pl scarves)



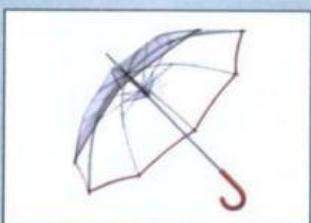
hat



belt



handbag



umbrella



watch



a pair of shoes



a pair of boots



trainers



socks



tights



glasses



sunglasses



gloves



some jewellery



rings



necklace

## GLOSSARY

<b>accessory</b>	(usually pl) a thing you carry or wear with clothes, e.g. a watch, a bag, a belt
<b>wear</b>	You <b>wear</b> items of clothing, glasses or jewellery, e.g. a scarf, sunglasses, a ring.
<b>carry</b>	You <b>carry</b> a bag, a handbag or an umbrella.
<b>gold</b>	The <b>rings</b> in the picture are made of <b>gold</b> .
<b>silver</b>	The <b>necklace</b> is made of <b>silver</b> .
<b>plastic</b>	The <b>umbrella</b> is made of <b>plastic</b> .
<b>leather</b>	The <b>boots</b> are made of <b>leather</b> .

## SPOTLIGHT plural nouns and pairs

**Trousers, jeans, tights, clothes and (sun)glasses** are always plural. They take a plural verb form.

■ These **tights are** very warm. (NOT **The tights is ...**)

We use **a pair of** in two ways:

1 two things of the same kind that we use together:  
**a pair of** shoes/boots/trainers/socks/gloves, etc.

2 a thing with two parts that are together:  
**a pair of** glasses/sunglasses   **a pair of** tights

1 True or false? Write T or F.

► You can wear a watch. T

1 Jewellery is often made of gold or silver. ....

2 Glasses are made of leather. ....

3 You can wear a belt. ....

4 You can wear an umbrella on your shoulder. ....

5 You can carry a handbag on your arm or shoulder. ....

6 A necklace can be made of plastic. ....

7 A pair of tights has two parts called *legs*. ....

8 Most people wear a pair of scarves. ....

2 Complete the sentences with words from the box.

watch hat scarf socks belt  glasses umbrella handbag ring boots tights

► You wear it round your waist. belt ....

1 You wear them inside your shoes. ....

2 You wear it on your head. ....

3 You wear it on your finger. ....

4 You wear them on your feet. ....

5 You wear them over your legs and feet. ....

6 You wear them on your nose. ....

7 You wear it round your neck. ....

8 You wear it on your wrist. ....

9 You carry it when it's raining. ....

10 You carry things in it. ....

3 Is the pronunciation of the underlined letters the same or different? Write S or D.

Use the  to help you. Practise saying the words.

► hat / necklace D

1 watch / socks ....

2 tights / ring ....

3 boots / jewellery ....

4 gloves / gold ....

► hat / handbag S

5 scarf / sunglasses ....

6 leather / belt ....

7 pair / trainers ....

8 carry / plastic ....

4 Make the sentences singular if possible.

► Are these your boots? Is this your boot? ....

1 Give me the socks. ....

2 Where are my tights? ....

3 I've got two pairs of trainers. ....

4 Where are my gloves? ....

5 She's got my scarves. ....

6 Where are my shoes? ....

7 The jeans cost €30. ....

8 I don't like these sunglasses. ....

► Her glasses are nice. Not possible. ....

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5 Label the pictures. Use *a pair of* where possible.



6 ABOUT YOU Write your answers, or ask another student.

1 Which accessories do you always wear? ....

2 Which accessories do you never wear? ....

3 Do you wear trainers a lot? If you don't, what do you wear? ....

4 Do you wear glasses or sunglasses? Why? ....

5 When do you wear: jewellery? a watch? a hat? a scarf? ....

