IDIOMS WITH: "CLOTHING"

Use these items of clothing to complete the idioms and other expressions in **bold** in sentences 1 – 20. You will need to use some of the items more than once, and you may need to change the form from singular to plural or vice versa.



O N C E U P O N A B E L T T I S M E T
H E R E B W C E R O E T H R S H O E S
E E B C L O A K E O A S R S D I A D D
Y B E A O R R M U T R O U S E R S M M
T H B E U A D R A A N C D B A T B Y B
P A N T S E I A N R T K H E Y L I V E
D T I N E A G L O V E S D I N K Y L I
T T L E H O A U R S E T H A T T H E Y
H A D F I L N L A P R O N E D W I T H
D E S I G N E R K G O O D S F R O M H

1. Kerry and Charlie work together well. In fact, they've always been **hand in**_____.
2. "I can't help you carry these boxes. I've got a bad back." "Oh don't be such **a big girl's**_____!"
3. Look, I'm sorry I lost your camera. **Keep your**_____**on**. I'll buy you a new one, I promise.
4. Have you read Geoff Bowman's latest book? It's complete_____!
5. You've done really well. I **take my**_____**off to you**.
6. Up until now the game has been quite friendly, but now **the**_____**are off**!
7. My boyfriend would rather sit at home in front of the television than go to a pub or nightclub. I wish he wasn't such **a / an**_____**!**
8. Poor old Bob was **given the**_____last week.
9. She told me that I was stupid and ugly, which I felt was a bit **below the**_____
10. My teacher told me that unless I **pulled my**_____**up**, he would have to move me down to a lower class.
11. I saw a film last night that **bored the**_____**off** me!
12. Andy is so boring. Did you know that his idea of a perfect day is going to the station to collect train registration numbers? What **a / an**_____**!**
13. Clarice is 25 years old, but she's still **tied to her mother's**_____**strings**.
14. My uncle works for a_____**-and-dagger** department in the government.
15. You're always complaining. **Put a**_____**in it**!
16. I've heard a rumour that Andrew is going to leave the company and go to work for one of our competitors, but **keep it under your** _____.
17. My father used to pretend that he made all the major decisions in our family, but it was really my mother who **wore the**_____.
18. He's really generous. He **would give you the**_____**off his back**.
19. I can't decide whether or not to resign. What would you do if you were **in my** _____?
20. Ever since his promotion, he's become **too big for his**_____.

----------THE END----------

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