

# Fashion Week

**Listen to the interview and match the answers to the questions and the reporter's phrases below.**

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Reporter:

1. London Fashion Week has just finished and you've been named the most promising fashion design student. Why have you come to study fashion design in London?
2. How do these styles differ from each other?
3. I see...
4. But there are also some strange looking guys.
5. So you are saying that there is a strong connection between fashion and music.
6. What do you personally like?
7. What's your favourite shopping place in London?
8. What fashion advice would you give to our young listeners?
9. Thank you very much. It was nice talking to you.

Answers:

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Some young people have money and they spend quite a lot of it on clothes. They like wearing smart clothes, loafers, tight fitting sportswear. They like riding scooters. Their hair is well groomed and they have regular haircuts.

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But there are more and more people who like wearing comfortable clothes. They are more in touch with the natural world. They think that today's world revolves too much around money.

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Well, comfortable clothes ... with style.

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Camden Lock Market. You can get anything you want there — fake Levi's, leopard print swimsuits, old records, jewellery made from recycled metal. It attracts an amazing mixture of people, so it's fun just watching them. I often get inspired there.

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Well, London is the right place to be because it's famous for its street fashion and a lot of second-hand shops or markets - so young people can buy cheap clothes and create their own style.

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Yeah, of course. Some young people like dying their hair in bright colours. In big cities they are also connected with punk and rave.

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Yes. Fashion and music have always been connected. Let's say heavy metal is associated with leather jackets, long hair, tattoos, powerful motorbikes. While Punk was famous for a lot of strange accessories like chains, safety pins, and of course spiky hair, Rap goes together with baggy clothes.

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Well, I'd say a person's style depends on the imagination, not that much on money. I really believe in creating a style that doesn't cost much. Fashion should be more on the artistic side. Today it is still a big business

**Say if the following statements are true or false.**

1. Fashion and music are often connected.

True

False

2. Some people dye their hair in strange colours.

True

False

3. Camden Lock Market is a place where one can buy second-hand clothes.

True

False

4. Ibbby believes one can't look fashionable without spending a lot of money.

True

False

5. Rappers like baggy clothes

True

False