

Conversation Corner

Deciding what to wear

Pronunciation

Plural -s endings

CD 1-15 ► Task 1

Listen and repeat.

1. pants
2. jackets
3. sneakers
4. earrings
5. blouses
6. purses

CD 1-16 ► Task 2

Listen. What plural -s sound do you hear? Circle /s/, /z/, or /iz/.

1. dresses	/s/	/z/	/iz/	4. windbreakers	/s/	/z/	/iz/
2. hats	/s/	/z/	/iz/	5. skirts	/s/	/z/	/iz/
3. shoes	/s/	/z/	/iz/	6. glasses	/s/	/z/	/iz/

Dictation

CD 1-17 ► Task 1

Listen to the conversation. Write the missing words.

A: What are you going to wear to the party?

B: I'm not sure. I might wear _____.

A: Really? Ann and Liz are wearing dresses.

B: Oh. Well, maybe I'll wear a black skirt. So, what are you _____ to _____?

A: Oh, probably nice _____ and a _____.

B: But you don't have _____, do you?

A: Oh, that's right. Maybe I can borrow one.

► Task 2

Practice the conversation with a partner. Be sure to pronounce the plural -s endings correctly.

Conversation

Work in pairs. What is your partner wearing? Describe your partner's clothes.

Pronunciation Help

Sounds like /s/	Sounds like /z/	Sounds like /iz/
pants	sneakers	blouses
jackets	earrings	purses
shirts	ties	dresses