

BRINGING COLOUR TO A GREY WORLD

Millions of people around the world are colour blind. They can't see some colours, such as red, green or blue. Some people who are colour blind can't see any colours at all, so the world looks very different. But now there are special glasses to help colour-blind people.

The glasses look like normal glasses, but the lenses are made from special glass or plastic. The glasses separate colours, such as red and green, so that people can see them. When they are worn by colour-blind people, they can see colours they have never seen before.

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What I like about them is that they look really cool. There are sunglasses, glasses for children and sports sunglasses. However, I should point out that the glasses are really expensive. Overall, I think they are an amazing invention that can help millions of people see our beautiful world.



WRITING

A review



1 Look at the photo. What do the glasses do? Read the review and check.



2 Put a-f in the order they appear in the review.

- a A description of the invention
- b How the invention works
- c A disadvantage
- d The reviewer's general opinion
- e What the reviewer likes
- f Who the invention is for



3 Complete the phrases in the *Useful language* box. Then check in the review.



Useful language

However, I should point out that ¹ _____.

Overall, I think they are ² _____.

The glasses look like ³ _____.

The lenses are made from ⁴ _____.

What I like about them is ⁵ _____.

Write your own review of an amazing invention.

PLAN

4 Think of an amazing invention. Write notes.

Who the invention is for: _____

How it works: _____

The advantages: _____

One disadvantage: _____

Your opinion: _____

5 Decide what information to include. Use the information in Exercise 2 to help you.

WRITE

6 Write your review. Remember to include the parts of the review from Exercise 2, the passive, and phrases from the *Useful language* box.

CHECK

7 Do you ...

- describe the invention and who it's for?
- say what the advantages and disadvantages are?
- give your general opinion?



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