

READING

1 Look at the photos A–E. Which item of clothing do you like the best? Why?



2 Read the article and match the photos A–E to the paragraphs 1–5.

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WHAT?

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2 Cork comes from the outside of some trees in countries like Portugal and Spain. We usually find corks in the top of bottles, but you can use cork for other things too. Did you know you can use it to make clothes, handbags, hats and shoes? It's very popular in the big fashion houses.

3 What do you do with your plastic knives and forks after your picnic? Do you recycle them? Do you collect them? Some people do. In fact, they make jewellery out of them. Can you believe it? This designer has made hers into an amazing hat.

4 This dress won a prize in the yearly Toilet Paper Wedding Dress contest! You need a lot of toilet paper and, of course, you don't want to go out in the rain when you're wearing it.



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3 Read the article again and choose the correct answer.

The article is about:

- a what to do with old clothes and jewellery.
- b making things to wear out of unusual things.
- c how to make cheap clothes and jewellery.

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4 Now answer these questions.

1 What is the dress in photo B made of?

2 What can you make with cork?

3 What is the hat in photo A made of?

4 Why should you be careful when you wear the dress in photo C?

5 What are tyres usually used for?





TALKING POINTS

Would you like to wear any of the clothes and jewellery from the article? Why? / Why not?

What do you do with your old clothes when you don't wear them anymore?

1 Complete the clothes words. You have the first two letters of each word.

1 tr a i n e r s

2 bo _ _ _

3 ti _

4 sw _ _ _ _ _ co _ _ _ _ _

5 sc _ _ _

6 so _ _ _

7 ca _

8 su _ _ _ _ _

9 gl _ _ _ _

10 ju _ _ _ _

11 sw _ _ _ _ _ sh _ _ _ _

12 su _ _

2 Match the clothes words from Exercise 1 to the definitions.

- A** You wear these on your hands
in winter. _____ 9 _____
- B** Girls wear this to swim. _____
- C** You wear these on your feet in winter. _____
- D** You wear these on your feet for sport. _____
- E** You wear this on your head. _____
- F** Some people wear this in an office. _____
- G** These protect your eyes from the sun. _____
- H** You wear this around your neck
in winter. _____
- I** You wear this around your neck
with a suit. _____
- J** Boys wear these to swim. _____
- K** You wear these on your feet. _____
- L** You wear it on your top half to
keep warm. _____

VOCABULARY

1 Choose the right word(s) to complete the sentences.

- 1 Why don't you wear your new *boots* / *jumper* / *sunglasses*? It's wet today.
- 2 I want to buy a new *suit* / *swimming costume* / *scarf* so I can swim when we get to the beach.
- 3 These aren't my *socks* / *sunglasses* / *swimming shorts*. My feet are big.
- 4 I like your *gloves* / *socks* / *scarf*. Is it made of wool?
- 5 It's very hot in the summer here. We don't wear a *jumper* / *a tie* / *a swimming costume* at all.
- 6 When you go for an interview, it's a good idea to wear a *cap* / *scarf* / *suit*.
- 7 It's cold outside. Take your *gloves* / *shoes* / *tie*.
- 8 He played baseball yesterday and used his new *cap* / *socks* / *swimming costume*.