

UNIT TEST 8 OPTIMISE B1

LISTENING

1  **UT Track 8** Listen to someone talking about sweatshirts. Read the phrases below and, as you listen, underline the word that is wrong and write the correct word.

- 1 ... sweatshirts could absorb the sweat produced by the body after exercise. _____
- 2 ... in the 1930s, the sweatshirt was thought to be fashionable ... _____
- 3 In the 1970s, the hoodie became popular in pop culture. _____
- 4 Skateboarders thought sweatshirts were cool and comfortable. _____
- 5 The film *E.T.* increased the sales of sweatshirts outside the United States. _____

2  **UT Track 8** Listen again and write the missing information in each gap.

The History of the Sweatshirt

1930s: Used by workers because sweatshirts had (1) _____ which were deep.

Popular with athletes to keep them (2) _____ during training sessions.

1960s: Students liked this item of clothing because it was (3) _____.

1980s: Skateboarders wore them because they offered (4) _____ from injury.

Today: It is possible to have your own (5) _____ on your sweatshirt.

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3  **Track 8** For each question, write the correct answer in the gap. Write one or two words or a number or a date or a time.

You will hear part of a training session for people who are going to work as sales assistants in a large shop.

Training session for new sales assistants

The training manager is called Mandy (1)

New assistants will work on the (2) floor.

Part-time workers have a rest day on (3) every week.

Workers who live in the town can use the store's (4) service for free.

The staff discount cannot be used to buy (5)

Assistants need to collect their (6) on their first day.