

PAYING COMPLIMENTS

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Preparation task

Match the definitions (a–h) with the vocabulary (1–8).

Vocabulary

1. by the way
2. I appreciate that
3. to clinch
4. a deal
5. flattered
6. modest
7. the high street
8. an outfit

Definitions

- a. (we say this when we want to introduce a new subject)
- b. to win; to get
- c. a business agreement
- d. not talking much about your achievements or abilities
- e. (another way of saying 'thank you' or showing you are grateful)
- f. the main street of a town where most shops are
- g. a set of clothes
- h. feeling pleased because someone has said something good about you

Task 1

Put the words and phrases in order to make sentences.

1. to say well done wanted on I just By the way, clinching that deal.

2. thanks. wasn't too difficult. Oh, It

3. really well. You did modest! You're being

4. Do so? you think

5. that. appreciate I

6. Have hair? cut your you

7. for noticing! Thanks

8. a great They great. job and it looks did