

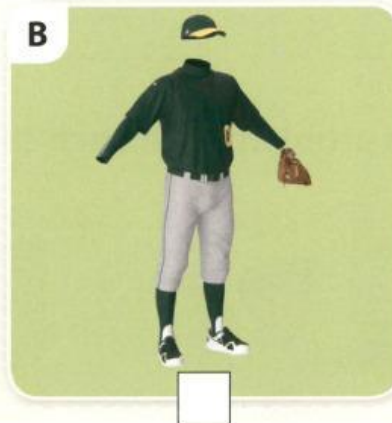
Listening Check

Remember!

Listen for **preferences**. What does someone *like* or *prefer*? Listen for **reasons**. What reason does someone give after the word *because*?



- A** Listen to the article **What Clothes Do They Wear?** What is it about? Choose the correct picture. 61



- B** What do baseball players prefer? Choose ✓ or ✗.

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| 1. shorts | ☒ | ☐ |
| 2. long pants | ☒ | ☐ |
| 3. cleats | ☒ | ☐ |
| 4. heavy clothes | ☒ | ☐ |

- C** Why do baseball players wear special clothes? Choose ✓ or ✗.

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| 1. because they are heavy | ☒ | ☐ |
| 2. because they are light | ☒ | ☐ |
| 3. because they are easy to run in | ☒ | ☐ |
| 4. because they are warm | ☒ | ☐ |

D Listen to **What Clothes Do They Wear?** again.
Choose the correct answer.  62

1. Why do baseball players wear special clothes?
☐ a. to get dirty ☐ b. to play well ☐ c. to look good
2. What are baseball sneakers called?
☐ a. boots ☐ b. cleats ☐ c. shoes
3. Why do baseball players wear cleats?
☐ a. to look good ☐ b. to hit the ball ☐ c. to help them run
4. Baseball clothes are
☐ a. light. ☐ b. heavy. ☐ c. blue.
5. What don't baseball players wear?
☐ a. a shirt ☐ b. pants ☐ c. shorts

E Listen to **What Clothes Do They Wear?** again.
Complete the sentences.  63



Baseball players wear special hats, shoes, and clothes. The players wear these things because they help them play well. They wear (1) _____ because these hats keep the sun out of their eyes. They wear special kinds of (2) _____ called cleats. They prefer cleats because cleats help them run. They also help them not fall down. Players wear special pants and a shirt. These clothes are not (3) _____. They are very (4) _____. This helps them play and run. Baseball players do not wear (5) _____. Why not? Because their legs get very (6) _____ when they play!