

# Year 1, TEST 1

odl 5

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1. **READING COMPREHENSION:** The people below are all interested in one aspect of fashion. On a separate paper, you will find descriptions of seven places associated with fashion. Read the texts and match the people with the most suitable place in the table below. There are two extra places.

PERSON	PLACE
<b>Chloe</b> is a design student; she is researching different kinds of old-fashioned shoes for a project about clothes people wore in the past. She works part-time in a clothes shop at the weekend, but is free most evenings.	Alexander's ✗
<b>Tom</b> is middle-aged and has just become interested in making his own clothes. He would like to take a course once a week. He doesn't have any of his own equipment, but wants to learn to sew using a machine.	<del>Threads</del> Threads ✓
<b>Anja</b> is a high-school student who is interested in fashion, design and clothes which don't have a harmful impact on the environment. She wants to learn how to make her own clothes, without spending a lot of money. She is busy on Friday nights, and at the weekend.	The design factory ✓
<b>Ben</b> is a drama student. He wants to find some old-fashioned clothes for a play. He needs some advice on costume design. He doesn't have much money, but wants good quality clothes.	Needles ✗
<b>Celine</b> is a high-school student who is preparing for her prom. She wants to wear something unusual, but elegant and trendy. She's already chosen a pair of high-heels, but needs a stylish dress to go with them. She doesn't have much time or money though.	Freestyle ✓

3 / 5 pts

2. Explain the vocabulary either by providing a definition or an example clearly illustrating the meaning.

Assume, v.	to think something based on incomplete evidence/information, ✓ example: Oh, you wanted to eat the pizza? I assumed you were full.
Baggy, adj.	not tight, there is space between the clothing and your skin, ✓ example: I like baggy jeans. They are so comfortable!
Boutique, n.	a shop where they sell the <del>latest</del> clothes of the latest fashion, ✓ <del>example: the boutique always sells only clothes that are</del>
Disguised, adj.	to visually pretend to be sth else, 2.5 example: They were all disguised as staff and waiters
Feminine, adj.	woman-ish, like a woman, 2.5 example: Women usually dress in a feminine fashion ✓
Fur, n.	the hair on the surface of (some) animal skin, ✓ example: Wolf fur is very comfortable to sleep on.
Irresponsible, adj.	to not be responsible, people can't count on you, ✓ example: Small kids tend to be quite irresponsible.
Stunning, adj.	extremely good looking, ✓ example: a stunning and handsome young man was walking down the street. 7.5 / 8 pts

3. Circle the correct option to complete the sentences.

- I like wearing plain | designer | casual clothes at the weekend, like jeans and a T-shirt. It's important for me to feel relaxed. ✓
- A checked | striped | designer pattern has small squares of different colours. ✓
- You should put on gloves | wellies | slippers so the floor of my house doesn't get dirty. ✓
- If you wear a hoodie and slides to prom, you are underdressed | overdressed | well-dressed. ✓
- I don't like those shoes much, but everyone is wearing them. They're so elegant | stylish | fashionable. ✓

5 / 5 pts

4. Complete the sentences with one suitable vocabulary item in the correct form.

- I'm going to dress up as Superman for the fancy dress party. ✓
- What a beautiful, modern car – it must have cost a fortune. ✓
- She's 85 now, but she insists on doing all her own housework on her own. ✓
- I've always looked up to my older brother because he is both kind and smart. ✓
- It's worth remembering your friends' birthdays and surprising them with a party. You are all going to make them very happy! ✓



- 6) We only need one more player for this game – can you persuade your sister to join in ✓?
- 7) The teacher told the student to stop chatting and pay ✓ attention to what she was saying.
- 8) You look tired! You've got bags ✓ under your eyes. 8 / 8 pts ★

5. Complete the sentences with the correct form of the verbs in brackets. Use Present Simple or Present Continuous.

- 1) Does Tony live ✓ (Tony / live) near the park?
- 2) Please keep quiet, I 'm listening ✓ (listen) to the radio. You know I listen ✓ (listen) to the news in the mornings.
- 3) What time does the first train leave ✓ (the first train / leave)?
- 4) Do you see ✓ (you / see) the men in black suits over there? – They are looking ✓ (look) at us in a strange way.
- 5) I can't listen to what you 're trying ✓ (try) to tell me because I'm so nervous at the moment.
- 6) The air smells ✓ (smell) strange. There must be something going on in the factory.
- 7) They normally have ✓ (have) a coffee break at ten, but today there's a lot of work to do so they aren't having one ✓ (not have) one. 10 / 10 pts ★

6. Change the verbs into the correct present simple and present continuous forms.

Verb + -s:

- 1) obey → obeys ✓
- 2) search → searches ✓
- 3) magnify → magnifies ✓

Verb + -ing:

- 4) graduate → graduating ✓
- 5) magnify → magnifying ✓
- 6) forget → forgetting ✓ 6 / 6 pts ★

7. Name the tenses in bold and explain the difference in meaning between the two sentences.

A) (1) She **is shopping** with her sister.

VS

(2) She **shops** with her sister.

Tense: present continuous ✓

it's

Tense: present simple ✓

(1): She is shopping **RIGHT NOW**, ~~that's~~ happening at the moment ✓

(2): ~~she~~ Whenever she goes shopping, it's with her sister - not necessarily ✓  
- it's not necessarily happening now.

B) (1) I **look** amazing.

VS

(2) I'm **looking** at the sky.

Tense: present simple ✓

Tense: present continuous ✓

(1): ~~an expression with an adjective~~ you appear amazing. ✓

(2): your retinas are physically turned towards the sky, you ~~do~~ see the sky ✓

3,5 / 4pts

8. Explain what happens when you add the present continuous suffix (končnica) to verbs ending in -ie and give an example.

Die - dying, lie - lying - "ie" gets replaced with "ying" ✓

2 / 2 pts

9. Complete the sentences with articles a, an, the or ∅.

I like wearing (1) ∅ ties, but (2) the tie my grandmother bought is too yellow and it doesn't go with any of my shirts.

My mother drinks (3) a coffee and eats (4) ∅ biscuits every day after (5) ∅ lunch.

Jake took out (6) a bottle of milk from (7) the fridge.

We are planning on having our wedding in (8) ∅ early autumn, probably in (9) ∅ September.

(10) the Prime Minister of (11) the Netherlands will arrive on (12) ∅ Monday.

11 / 12 pts

10. Complete the sentences with one word.

Members of the Smiths family are very energetic and hardworking people. (1) On weekdays, they get up very early and (2) eat breakfast. Then, they go (3) to work (4) by bus.

(5) After work, they go home and relax. They have dinner (6) at 7 p.m., and then they go for a walk around their neighbourhood. On Sundays, Mrs Smith usually goes swimming and her children sometimes join (7) in while Mr Smith (8) is out at the gym.

8 / 8 pts

11. Explain the expression "Fashion is like a wheel" and give practical examples of what it means. Write at least 50 words.

The expression is a name for the phenomenon of ~~popular~~ ~~styles~~ ~~changing~~ circulation of modern styles - for example, if something was popular eg. 30 years ago, it's likely it will enter fashion <sup>(again)</sup> sometime soon. We can see this pattern pretty clearly throughout the decades. I don't know anything about modern fashion, so I can't really give a good example.

C: 1/2 ✓ 1/1 ✓ 1/1 ✓

3 / 4 pts

12. BONUS QUESTION: Who is the King of the United Kingdom? King Charles ✓ 0.15 / + 1 pt

## READING: DESCRIPTIONS OF PLACES

### Place: Alexander's

Used clothing from the 20th and 21st century. Quality guaranteed for shoppers on any income. Please feel free to come and talk to our friendly shop assistants who can help you choose the right outfit. Discounts for students. Opening hours Monday–Friday, 11 a.m.–5 p.m., Saturday 10 a.m.–7 p.m.

### Place: The Broadburn

Visit our award-winning fashion museum with its displays of clothing, footwear and accessories from throughout the ages. Come and see clothes worn by both style icons and ordinary people. Monday–Friday, 11 a.m.–7 p.m.

### Place: Needles

A course for able fashion designers. We specialize in machine sewing and can teach you advanced skills. We guarantee that after a few sessions with us your clothes will be catwalk ready. Every Friday night, Langley Community Centre.

### Place: The Design Factory

Whether it's sewing or T-shirt design, we've got a clothes making course for you. All ages and levels of experience welcome. Learn to make clothes the traditional, eco-friendly way, by hand. Wednesday 7 p.m. (Free for under 18s)

### Place: Threads

Have you got a sense of style? Do you want to make an outfit for an important occasion? Or are you just interested in learning a new set of skills? We can teach you how to use our machines to make simple items. Beginners welcome. Come and try! Adults only. Saturday 1 p.m.–3 p.m.

### Place: Laces

From high-heeled shoes to trendy trainers – we sell everything. Come and meet our team of experts who will find the right kind of shoe for you. We can even tell you quite a lot about how shoes are put together. Just come in for a chat. You never know, you might find a bargain. Open Tuesday–Saturday 10 a.m.–5 p.m.

### Place: FreeStyle

Going somewhere special? Visit our clothing store for a design piece to make a powerful effect. Quality clothing at good prices. Be smart – don't be a fashion victim. Clothing and accessories for all budgets. Open Monday–Saturday 10 a.m.–5 p.m.