

1 DESCRIBING CLOTHES

a Match the adjectives and pictures.

Fit

- loose /lu:s/
- 1 tight /taɪt/

Style

- hooded /'hʊdɪd/
- long sleeved /lɒŋ sli:vɪd/ (also short sleeved)
- sleeveless /'sli:vləs/
- V-neck /'vi: nek/

Pattern

- checked /tʃekt/
- patterned /'pætənd/
- plain /pleɪn/
- spotted /'spɒtɪd/
- striped /straɪpt/



b **1 46**) Listen and check.

c Match the phrases and pictures.

Materials

- a cotton vest /ə 'kɒtn vest/
- a denim waistcoat /ə 'denɪm 'weɪskəʊt/
- a fur collar /ə fɜ: 'kɒlə/
- a lace top /ə leɪs tɒp/
- 1 a linen suit /ə 'lɪnɪn su:t/
- a lycra swimsuit /ə 'laɪkrə 'swɪmsu:t/
- a silk scarf /ə sɪlk skɑ:f/
- a velvet bow tie /ə 'velvɪt bəʊ 'taɪ/
- a wool(len) cardigan /ə 'wʊl(ə)n 'kɑ:dɪgən/
- leather sandals /'leðə 'sændlɪz/
- suede boots /sweɪd bu:tɪz/



d **1 47**) Listen and check.

2 ADJECTIVES TO DESCRIBE THE WAY PEOPLE DRESS

trendy, stylish, and fashionable

Fashionable is a general adjective, and means following a style that is popular at a particular time. *Trendy* is very similar, but is more informal. *Stylish* means fashionable and attractive.

a Complete the sentences with an adjective.

fashionable /'fæʃnəbl/ old-fashioned /əʊld 'fæʃənd/
scruffy /'skrʌfi/ smart /smɑ:t/ stylish /'stɑɪlɪʃ/
trendy /'trendi/

- 1 Long skirts are really *fashionable* now.
- 2 She's very _____. She always wears the latest fashions.
- 3 The Italians have a reputation for being very _____ – they wear fashionable and attractive clothes.
- 4 He looks really _____. His clothes are old and a bit dirty.
- 5 Jane looked very _____ in her new suit. She wanted to make a good impression.
- 6 That tie's a bit _____! Is it your dad's?

b **1 48**) Listen and check.

3 VERB PHRASES

a Match the sentences.

- 1 C I'm going to **dress up** tonight.
 - 2 Please **hang up** your coat.
 - 3 These jeans don't **fit** me.
 - 4 That skirt really **suits** you.
 - 5 Your bag **matches** your shoes.
 - 6 I need to **get changed**.
 - 7 Hurry up and **get undressed**.
 - 8 Get up and **get dressed**.
 - 9 That tie doesn't really **go with** your shirt.
- A Don't leave it on the chair.
B I've just spilt coffee on my shirt.
C I'm going to a party.
D They don't look good together.
E It's bath time.
F They're too small.
G They're almost the same colour.
H You look great in it.
I Breakfast is on the table.

b **1 49**) Listen and check.

wear and dress

Be careful with the difference between *wear* and *dress*. Compare:
The English don't dress very stylishly. She usually dresses in black.
I usually wear a skirt and jacket to work. She always wears black clothes.