

● Fashion and design

Topic vocabulary in contrast

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put on / wear	cloth / clothing	look / appearance
costume / suit	blouse / top	supply / produce
dye / paint	design / manufacture	glimpse / glance
fit / suit / match	current / new / modern	average / everyday

Phrasal verbs

catch on become popular or fashionable	line up get/put into lines
do away with get rid of	pop in(to) visit quickly or for a short time
draw up create (plans, etc)	show (a)round take sb on a tour of a place
dress up put on fancy or unusual clothes	take off remove (a piece of clothing)
go over repeat or think about again in order to understand completely	tear up rip into pieces
grow out of develop from; become too big for	try on put on (a piece of clothing) to see how it looks and whether it fits
hand down give something valuable to your children or grandchildren, usually when you die	wear out become old and unusable

Phrases and collocations

art	work of art; modern art; art gallery; art exhibition
clothes	put on/try on/wear/take off clothes; clothes line; clothes peg; best clothes
combination	in combination with; combination of
compliment	pay sb a compliment; compliment sb on sth
example	be/set an example; an example of; for example; follow an/sb's example
fashion	in fashion; be/go out of fashion; follow fashion; fashion model/show
hair	cut/brush sb's hair; have/get a new hairdo/hairstyle; have a haircut; let your hair down
make-up	put on/apply/wear/take off make-up
pattern	follow a pattern; a checked/striped/plain pattern
style	in style; be/go out of style; do sth/go somewhere in style; have style
taste	have/show good/bad taste (in sth); in good/bad taste
tendency	have a tendency to do
trend	a trend in sth; follow/set a trend

Word patterns

advise sb to do; advise sb that; advise sb on/about sth; advise (sb) against sth/doing	proud of sth/sb/doing; proud to do
anxious about sth/doing; anxious to do	refer to sth; refer sb to sth
criticise sb (for sth/doing)	seem to be; it seems that
insist on sth/doing; insist that	stare at sth/sb
plenty of sth; plenty more sth; plenty to do	use sth (for sth/doing); use sth to do
prepare (sb) for sth; prepare to do	useful for sth/doing; useful to sb

Word formation

advertise advertisement, ad(vert), advertising, advertiser	enthuse (un)enthusiastic(ally), enthusiasm, enthusiast	similar dissimilar(ly), similarity
attract (un)attractive(ly), attraction	expect (un)expected(ly), expectation, expectancy	style (un)stylish(ly), stylist, stylishness
beauty beautiful(ly)	fashion (un)fashionable, (un)fashionably	succeed success, (un)successful(ly)
decide decision, (in)decisive(ly), undecided	like alike, dislike, unlike, likeness, (un)likeable, liking	use usage, useful(ly), useless(ly), user, (un)usable
desire (un)desirable	produce product, producer, production, (un)productive(ly)	

