

CONSUMERISM (Keys)

In Fashion or Behind the Times.

Look at these expressions. Make sure you understand them. If necessary use a dictionary to look them up. Then try to put them into the sentences below.

**role model/ sensible/way out/up to date/out of fashion/
fashion conscious/conservative/fashion victim**

1. Some people throw away their old clothes when they have gone _____ but I continue to wear mine until they fall apart.
2. I would like to try having a _____ hair-style and getting my ears and nose pierced but if I do, I'll probably lose my job.
3. company uniforms are always too _____. I think they should be more brightly coloured and should change with the fashions.
4. I have never looked up to a _____ and copied the clothes he/she wears. I wear what I want because I like it, so I don't need an example to follow.
5. When I was a teenager, I was a real _____, buying new clothes every time the fashion changed and spending large amounts of money on them.
6. You have to read at least one fashion magazine every week if you want to keep _____.
7. When I go on a picnic, I wear _____ shoes and leave my fashion footwear at home.
8. I wish my parents were more FASHION CONSCIOUS . They are very kind and often buy me presents, but when they buy me clothes, they are always so unfashionable.

Match the idioms & expressions similar in meaning

1. to live from hand to mouth	A. to spend a lot of money on smth you don't need, but it's very pleasant
2. it cost an arm and a leg	B. to have enough money to live
3. it cost next to nothing	C. to spend part of the saved money
4. to be in the money	D. I paid through my nose
5. to be set up for life	E. to live on the breadline
6. to lay out	F. it's dirt- cheap
7. to splash out	G. to provide a financial support
8. to deep into=break into	H. to spend a large amount of money
9. to go on a spending free	I. to put aside
10. to make a donation	J. to shop until you drop
11.to save up	K. to be rich

Proverbs and saying (Make up your own sentences in the context)

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Money can't buy love or happiness.
You should neither a borrow or a lender be.
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2. I would like to try having a **WAY-OUT** (отпадная) hair-style and getting my ears and nose pierced but if I do, I'll probably lose my job.
3. Company uniforms are always too **CONSERVATIVE**. I think they should be more brightly coloured and should change with the fashions.
4. I have never looked up to a **ROLE MODEL** and copied the clothes he/she wears. I wear what I want because I like it, so I don't need an example to follow.
5. When I was a teenager, I was a real **FASHION VICTIM**, buying new clothes every time the fashion changed and spending large amounts of money on them.
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