

cardigan (n)	fasten (v)	sporty (adj)
casual (adj)	glamorous (adj)	stylish (adj)
comfort (n)	leggings (n)	stylishly (adv)
cotton (n)	loose (adj)	sweat (v)
denim (n)	outfit (n)	tracksuit (n)
dress up (phrv)	piercing (n)	wardrobe (n)
earrings (n)	sandals (n)	waterproof (adj)
elegant (adj)	silk (n)	woolly (adj)
fabric (n)	sleeve (n)	zip (n)
fashionable (adj)		

### A Complete the text using words and phrases from the box.

dressing up elegant suit fabric fastened to glamorous looks stylish outfit  
silk shirt sporty sweat tracksuit wardrobe waterproof jacket woolly hat zip

Helen loves clothes, and she especially loves <sup>1</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ for a special occasion. She's got a huge <sup>2</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ of clothes to choose from. She loves to wear a <sup>3</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ evening dress at a party, and for work she usually wears an <sup>4</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ and a smart <sup>5</sup>\_\_\_\_\_. Whatever she's doing, she always chooses her <sup>6</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ carefully and she always <sup>7</sup>\_\_\_\_\_.

Steve's quite <sup>8</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ and he has a lot of outdoor clothing. For his early morning runs, he wears a <sup>9</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ to keep warm, with a <sup>10</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ on really cold days. He cares about the details, so he has a <sup>11</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ for rainy days, but it's made of <sup>12</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ that breathes: it allows air through so he doesn't <sup>13</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ too much. His running shorts have a pocket for his keys with a <sup>14</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ to stop them falling out. He often runs with music and has his phone <sup>15</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ his arm with a strap.

**Wardrobe** can refer to the piece of furniture where you keep clothes:  
*a large wooden **wardrobe***

It can also be used to talk about the clothes that a person owns:  
*your summer/winter **wardrobe**; I had to buy a whole new **wardrobe**.*

### B Match the first part of the sentences (1–8) to the second part (a–h).

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|---|---|
| 1 I arrived in my jeans and everyone else       | a fastening the buttons on her coat.            |
| 2 The twins often wear the same                 | b outfit, so it's difficult to tell them apart. |
| 3 It was a hot day and I                        | c the zip of his jacket.                        |
| 4 She hurried out of the door,                  | d such as wool or cotton.                       |
| 5 His hands were so cold he couldn't undo       | e had dressed up for the occasion.              |
| 6 When I started work I had to buy a whole new  | f bottoms and trainers.                         |
| 7 All our clothes are made from natural fabrics | g was sweating slightly when I arrived.         |
| 8 He's dressed casually in a T-shirt, tracksuit | h wardrobe of smart clothes.                    |

**Elegant** and **stylish** are used in similar ways:

*a(n) **elegant/stylish** woman/man/dress/suit/outfit*

*a(n) **elegant/stylish** design/home/building/restaurant*

If you describe a person or a thing as **glamorous**, they are attractive in a way that is different from ordinary people or things. It is often linked to the idea of wealth or fame.

*a **glamorous** woman/star/actress/model*

*a **glamorous** life/lifestyle/job/party*

**C Complete the sentences using adjectives from the box. Sometimes more than one option is possible.**

elegant glamorous sporty stylish waterproof

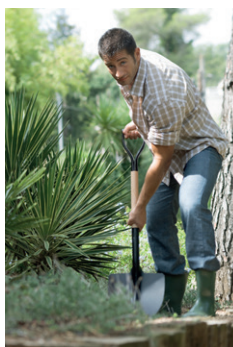
- 1 She looked very \_\_\_\_\_ in a stunning designer dress and expensive jewellery.
- 2 Lots of the guys go for a \_\_\_\_\_ look in outdoor clothing and trainers.
- 3 She wore a simple but \_\_\_\_\_ black dress and had her hair tied up.
- 4 Bring comfortable walking shoes and a warm \_\_\_\_\_ jacket.
- 5 He arrived for the meeting wearing a \_\_\_\_\_ grey suit and a crisp white shirt.

**D Complete the descriptions using words and phrases from the box.**

comfort cotton dress denim jacket earrings fashionable leggings  
loose shirt piercing pretty casual sandals sleeves stylishly warm cardigan



Zoe's style is <sup>1</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ and relaxed, but she still likes to be <sup>2</sup> \_\_\_\_\_. On a typical day at college, she might wear tight jeans or <sup>3</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ with a T-shirt and a <sup>4</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ over the top, or maybe a <sup>5</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ if it's cold. In the summer, she might go for a cool <sup>6</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ and <sup>7</sup> \_\_\_\_\_. She likes jewellery too; she's got a small <sup>8</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ in her nose and she loves big <sup>9</sup> \_\_\_\_\_.



You couldn't say that Dave dresses <sup>10</sup> \_\_\_\_\_. He admits that he doesn't really care what he looks like. For him, it's all about <sup>11</sup> \_\_\_\_\_. You'll usually find him working in the garden in jeans and an old <sup>12</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ with the <sup>13</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ rolled up.

style + colour + fabric + item of clothing: *a simple blue cotton dress*

style + fabric + item of clothing: *a smart silk shirt*

**E Complete the sentences using the words in brackets in the best order.**

- 1 It was an incredibly hot day and she was wearing a \_\_\_\_\_. (cotton / dress / loose)
- 2 He had a(n) \_\_\_\_\_ on over an old grey T-shirt. (denim / jacket / old)
- 3 The girl was wearing a \_\_\_\_\_ with black leggings. (grey / jumper / woolly)
- 4 He'd rolled up the sleeves of his \_\_\_\_\_. (blue / casual / shirt)
- 5 The woman had untidy black hair and \_\_\_\_\_. (earrings / gold / huge).
- 6 She arrives at the gym in \_\_\_\_\_, a grey sweatshirt and trainers. (pink / leggings / tight)
- 7 I noticed she was wearing a \_\_\_\_\_. (grey / leather / pair of / sandals / very stylish)

**F In each sentence, two of the words in *italics* are correct and one is incorrect. Cross out the incorrect word.**

- 1 A young man in a(n) *elegant* / *glamorous* / *stylish* black suit met us in reception.
- 2 For the yoga class, participants are advised to wear *baggy* / *woolly* / *loose* clothing.
- 3 A *fashionably* / *stylish* / *stylishly* dressed young woman answered the door.
- 4 The man was wearing a dark *legging* / *outfit* / *tracksuit* with a white baseball cap.
- 5 Staff must remove any *earrings* / *piercings* / *zips* before using this equipment.
- 6 She was dressed smartly in black trousers and a grey *cotton* / *fabric* / *silk* shirt.

