

Crossword puzzle

Aims

Practice using vocabulary for fashion statements and clothing styles.

Language focus

Vocabulary

Fashion statements; clothing styles

Set-up

Pair work

Lesson link

For use after Unit 3, Lesson C

Time

20 minutes

Preparation

Duplicate one Student A page and one Student B page for each pair.

- Have pairs continue reading their clues aloud and completing the puzzle. If a student can't guess a word, their partner can give them additional clues, for example, the first letter of the word (*It starts with the letter g*).
- As students are working, walk around to monitor the activity and help as needed. Make sure students are actually reading their clues aloud and not just copying the answer from the sheets.
- When pairs are finished, have them compare worksheets and correct any differences.

Answer Key

Across

- glamorous
- weird
- togas
- old-fashioned
- bracelet
- retro
- flashy
- high heels
- fashionable

Down

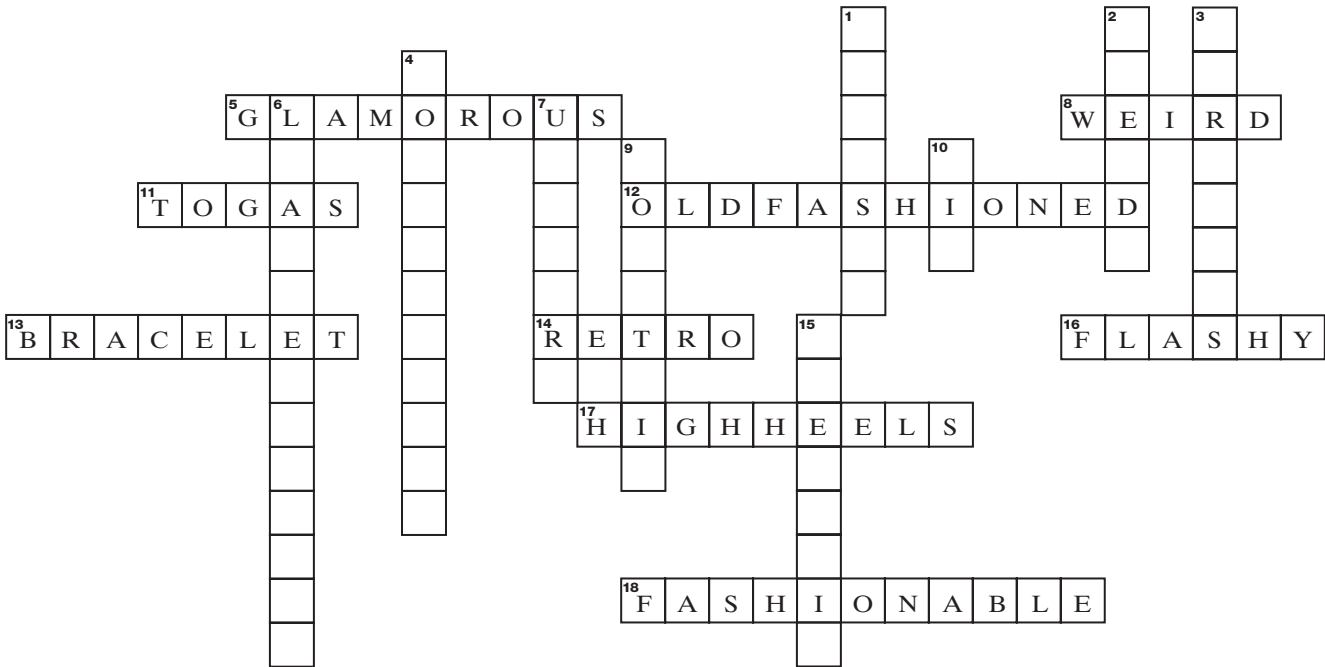
- glasses
- trendy
- earrings
- contact lens
- leather jacket
- uniform
- ponytail
- wig
- dyed hair

Procedure

- Tell students they are going to work together to complete a crossword puzzle with vocabulary terms from the unit related to clothing and style. You may want to briefly elicit some of the vocabulary items on pages 24 and 28 and write them on the board.
- Put students in pairs and distribute worksheets. In each pair, one student receives the Student A worksheet and the other the Student B worksheet. Tell students that they should not look at their partner's worksheet.
- Tell students that they each have the same puzzle. On Student A's sheet, all of the *Across* clues have been completed. On Student B's sheet, all of the *Down* clues have been completed.
- Model the activity. Have a Student A read the first *Across* clue. Elicit the answer from a Student B (*glamorous*) and have him or her write it in the puzzle. Then have Student B read the first *Down* clue aloud while Student A guesses the answer (*glasses*). Point out that some answers have two words. In a crossword puzzle, there are no spaces or dashes between words.

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Student A

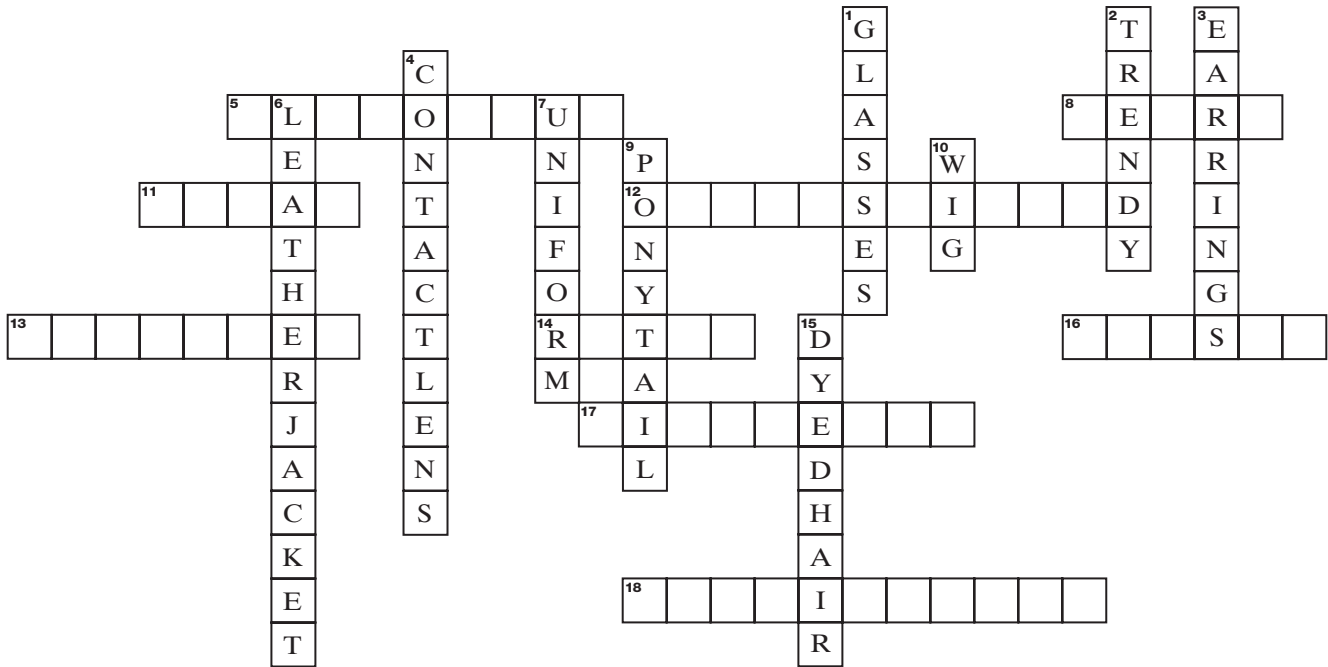


Across

5. Movie stars wear _____ dresses to awards shows.
8. John likes to wear _____ neckties with strange pictures on them.
11. Two thousand years ago, Roman men used to wear sandals and _____.
12. My grandmother wears _____ clothes. They are the same style clothes as she wore as a young woman.
13. Is that _____ on your wrist real gold?
14. Erica likes to wear _____ clothes from the 1980s.
16. Mark likes to attract attention by wearing _____ suits in bright colors.
17. How can Anna walk in those _____?
18. Toshi always looks great. Where does he find those _____ clothes?

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Student B



Down

1. Do you prefer to wear _____ or contact lenses?
2. Amelia is always wearing _____ clothes from fashion magazines.
3. At what age do most girls start to wear _____ in your country?
4. My _____ fell out of my eye. Can you help me find it?
6. My grandfather wore jeans and a black _____ in the 1950s. He was so cool!
7. Do you think students should wear a _____ to school?
9. Cindy usually wears her long hair in a _____.
10. Is that her real hair, or is it a _____?
15. Look at that woman's _____. It's pink and orange!