

## **Fashion**

I love clothes. I also like shopping for clothes. I usually do my shopping for clothes in plazas or department stores because they have a big variety, their prices are reasonable and the quality is good.

In summer we usually wear shorts, a T-shirt, a mini-skirt, a top, a light dress, flip-flops, sandals, slippers. We put a straw hat or a cap on the head against the sun. We can also wear sunglasses.

In winter we wear a thick coat or a fur coat, a scarf, a cap, gloves or mittens on our hands. We wear boots on our feet. We put on a knitted pullover, a jumper, a sweater or a cardigan, a shirt, a vest, a sweatshirt, a blouse, trousers or jeans, a skirt. We also wear tights or socks.

In spring and autumn, when it often rains, you shouldn't forget your umbrella or your raincoat at home. You can also wear wellington boots on rainy days.

When you go to the theatre you should dress elegantly. Ladies wear an evening dress or a costume with a silk blouse and, of course, high-heeled shoes. Gentlemen wear a dark suit with a tie, a shirt, a leather belt and shoes.

When we are at home we wear casual clothes: a T-shirt, a tracksuit, jeans and probably a pullover. In the evening after having a bath or a shower we can wear a bathrobe or a dressing gown. Before going to bed we put on our night dress or pyjamas. We also wear underwear including a bra, underpants or knickers.

Our school uniform for girls consists of a white blouse, a black skirt, a black suit and black low-heeled shoes. Boys wear a black suit and a white shirt on school ceremonies. Everybody has a black tie going with the uniform. On the tie you can see the emblem of our school: a book under a palm tree. You also can read the motto of our school in Latin: *Sub pondere crescit palma*. In English it means: „Under heavy burden grows the palm tree”. We are very proud of this sentence.

Fashion always changes. Nowadays dark colours –black, brown, purple- are fashionable. Jeans never goes out of fashion. I think you should wear what you like and what makes you feel comfortable.

Questions:

1. What are you wearing now?
2. What is your favourite piece of clothing? Why?

