

*Read the passage and answer the questions.*

### **British Fashion through the Ages**

**1** The history of costume in Britain has four periods. The first period is “Medieval Fashion”. It covers British fashion from 1050 to 1490. The basic clothing was a woolen tunic. **(1)**

**2** The second period is “Tudor and Stuart Fashion”. The most successful men and women demonstrated their wealth wearing silk, woolen and linen clothing. **(2)** Children wore the same style of clothing as their parents.

**3** In the period of “Georgian Fashion” parents made their daughters wear tightly waisted clothes. They gave them little food, because they didn’t want their daughters to have unfashionably healthy appearance.

**4** The period of “Victorian to the 1960’s Fashion” was the prosperity for Britain. **The whole nation was influenced by standards set by Queen Victoria.** Mass production of sewing machines in the 1850s as well as the invention of synthetic dyes introduced major changes in fashion. **(5)** The type of fabrics and the innumerable layers were worn as a symbol of wealth. Hats and gloves were crucial to a respectable appearance. To go bareheaded was simply not proper.

**1.** Which of the following statements are **false** according to the passage?

- A) In the second period children wore different style of clothing from their parents.
- B) In the third period parents forced their girls to eat little food to look fashionably good.
- C) In the 19<sup>th</sup> century the invention of synthetic dyes developed the fashion too.
- D) Hats and gloves were important elements of clothing for respectable men.
- E) The style and type of clothing showed the wealth of man.

**2.** What is the main idea of the passage?

- A) Periods of fashion in Britain
- B) Main elements of clothing
- C) Development of technology
- D) Invention of new technics in production
- E) Fashion as the symbol of wealth

**3.** Which of the following can be inferred about Victorian period?

- 1. Both sewing machines and synthetic dyes were produced in the 19<sup>th</sup> century.
- 2. Girls were fed on little food in order not to put on weight.
- 3. In the middle ages the history of costume in Britain had 4 periods.
- 4. Men and women had to wear hats and gloves to look respectable.
- 5. It was acceptable to leave home without wearing hats.

A) 1, 3, 4   B) 2, 3, 5   C) 1, 4, 5   D) 3, 5   E) 1, 5

**4.** Which of the following best expresses the essential information in the highlighted sentence?

- A) Standards were fixed by Queen Victoria and the whole population influenced them.
- B) The whole nation set standards which Queen Victoria influenced.
- C) Queen Victoria fixed standards which had influence on the whole population.
- D) Queen Victoria set standards on which the whole nation had influence.
- E) The whole population influenced standards fixed by Queen Victoria.

**5.** Complete the sentence according the passage using your own words.

*In Tudor Times parents dressed their children... .*

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**Cavab:** ... in the same style of clothes that they had on themselves.

6. The underlined word **crucial** in the passage is closest in meaning to

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**Cavab:** essential

7. Which word from the passage has following definition: *a popular style of clothes, hair, etc at a particular time or place*

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**Cavab:** fashion

8. Answer the following question using your own words: *Why did women wear innumerable layers of clothing and garments made of the type of fabrics?*

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**Cavab:** Women wore innumerable layers of clothing because they wanted to show their wealth.

### Qapalı (çoxseçimli) test tapşırıqları

1. Choose the sentences with the noun in the Possessive Case.

1. The Smiths' daughter is a gymnast.
2. The golf's often played in public parks.
3. This wrestler's won the European championship.
4. Sport's very important for keeping fit.
5. Yesterday's match disappointed the fans of the local team.

- A) 1, 2, 3                      B) 2, 4                      C) 1, 5  
D) 1, 3, 4                      E) 3, 5

2. Choose the correct variant.

- Which of them knows Spanish?  
– ... of them speaks Spanish, ... of them speak German.

- A) Neither, both  
B) Both, neither  
C) Both, either  
D) Neither, each  
E) All, all

3. Which pronouns are correct for the given sentence?  
Gymnastics has gained ... popularity in our country.

1. much
2. a lot
3. a few
4. a lot of
5. few

- A) 1, 3                      B) 1, 4                      C) 2, 5  
D) 2, 3                      E) 4, 5

4. Choose the correct variant.

While using energy sources people must be ....than before.

- A) more prudent              B) most prudent  
C) prudent                      D) a more prudent  
E) the most prudent

5. Choose the correct tense forms.

We suddenly ... that the guide ... .

- A) find out, has been disappeared  
B) found out, is disappearing  
C) found out, had disappeared  
D) found out, is disappeared  
E) find out, disappear

6. Choose the correct tense forms.

After the president's home ... it ... by its architect James Hoban.

- A) had burnt, was rebuilt  
B) was burnt, had been rebuilt  
C) burnt, had been rebuilt  
D) had been burnt, was rebuilt  
E) had been burnt, rebuilt

7. Choose the correct sentences in the Passive Voice.

1. What kind of cheese is used for preparing pizza?
2. The cheese used for preparing pizza is tasty.
3. They used this cheese for preparing pizza.
4. This cheese is used for preparing pizza.

- A) 1, 4                      B) 1, 3                      C) 2, 3  
D) 2, 4                      E) 3, 4

8. Choose the correct modal verbs.

Humans ... throw away things polluting the groundwater.

1. mustn't                      2. oughtn't  
3. have to                      4. shouldn't  
A) 2, 3                      B) 2, 4                      C) 1, 3  
D) 1, 4                      E) 1, 2

**9.** Choose the correct modal verb.

Fish and reptiles ... live in poisoned water.

- A) aren't able
- B) can't
- C) oughtn't
- D) haven't to
- E) should

**10.** Choose the correct variant.

Some people continue their telephone conversation, ... hundreds of people can hear them.

- A) why
- B) even though
- C) in spite of
- D) whom
- E) which

**11.** Choose the correct prepositions.

The British say "Thank you!" ... response ... a compliment.

- A) in, to
- B) with, to
- C) in, with
- D) on, for
- E) on, before

**12.** Choose the correct sentences.

1. There are a lot of charity shops in Great Britain.
2. One of the charity shops were open last week.
3. What clothes does Phil like to wear?
4. Which clothes was bought yesterday?

- A) 1, 3
- B) 2, 4
- C) 1, 2
- D) 1, 4
- E) 3, 4

**13.** Choose the correct variant.

Our parents want ... fashion and ... trendy clothes.

- A) we follow, to wear
- B) us to follow, wear
- C) us follow, wear
- D) we following, wearing
- E) us followed, wore

**14.** Complete the question.

Nurses have to be patient and kind, ...

- A) don't they?
- B) haven't they?
- C) have they?
- D) didn't they?
- E) did they?

**15.** Choose the correct variant.

... gets maximum attention from the parents in the family?

- A) Whose
- B) Which
- C) When
- D) Who
- E) How much