

Clothes - General

anorak - If you're hiking in cold weather, you'll need an anorak.

belt - I've lost weight, so I need a new belt to hold up my trousers.

blouse - That's such a pretty blouse. I love the checked pattern.

cardigan - Put on a cardigan and turn down the heat to save money at home.

dress - Anna wore an elegant red dress to the reception.

gloves - I prefer to wear gloves to mittens because my fingers need to be free.

jacket - Let me put on a jacket and let's go for a walk.

jeans - I only wear jeans on the weekend as I have to wear a business suit during the week.

jumper - That's a cute jumper. Where did you buy it?

overalls - Overalls have been out of fashion for a very long time.

overcoat - When dressing formal, it's best to wear an overcoat.

pullover - I'm cold, so I need to put on a pullover.

raincoat - Raincoats won't keep you warm, but they will keep you dry.

scarf - A scarf is a beautiful accessory to add a touch of elegance.

shirt - You should wear a dress shirt to work today.

sweat-shirt - I put on a sweat-shirt and went to the gym to work out.

T-shirt - He usually wears a t-shirt to work.

tie - On the west coast people don't usually wear ties. However, ties are quite common on the east coast.

skirt - She wore a skirt and blouse to the job interview.

mini-skirt - Mini-skirts were introduced in the 1960s and were considered very provocative.

shorts - It's summer. Why aren't you wearing shorts?

socks - If you don't wear socks, your feet will stink!

suit - Some professions require men to wear a suit to work.

sweater - I pulled on the warm sweater and drank a cup of cocoa.

trousers - Everyone puts on their trousers one leg at a time.

Clothes - Sportswear

jogging suit - Alice got into a jogging suit and ran three miles.

tracksuit - In some countries, people like to wear tracksuits when lounging around the house.

bikini - Sports Illustrated features a bikini issue every year. Some think beautiful women in tiny bikinis don't have much to do with sports!

swimming costume / swimming-suit woman - Get your swimming-suit on and let's go to the beach.

swimming trunks man - In the USA, most men wear swimming trunks rather than speedos.

Clothes - Footwear

boots - If you're going for a hike, you'll need to wear boots.

sandals - During the summer, I usually wear sandals on the weekends.

slippers - I sometimes like to get in my pajamas, put on my slippers and spend a quiet evening at home.

shoes - The heels on my shoes have worn out. I need a new pair.

sneakers - We're just getting some groceries, put on your sneakers and let's go.

Clothes - Underwear

bra w - Victoria Secrets has made the bra into a fashion statement.

knickers w - Don't get your knickers twisted!

panties w - She bought three pairs of panties with her bra.

tights / panty hose w - My sister doesn't like to wear dresses because she hates panty hose.

boxers m - She thinks boxers look better on men than briefs.

briefs m - Briefs are also called "tidy whites" in idiomatic American English.

Clothes - Headgear

beret - Men in France seem to love wearing berets.

cap - Americans wear a lot of baseball caps.

hat - Men used to wear hats in the 1950s. Everything has changed since then!

helmet - Soldiers could be recognized during the war by the type of helmet they wore.

Clothes - Fashion

designer - Designers are often outlandish people.

fashion - The latest fashions come from Paris and London.

fashion-conscious - Fashion-conscious people spend thousands on clothes every year.

trend - I can't keep up with the latest trends.

unfashionable - That jacket is quite unfashionable.

W: woman.

M: man.