CLOTHES DEFINITIONS

Apron / eiprən/ A piece of clothing you wear when cooking to keep your clothes clean.

Bathrobe /ˈbɑːθrəʊb/ A soft coat that you wear before or after a bath.

Belt /belt/ A long, thin piece of leather, cloth, or plastic that you wear around your waist.

Beret /'berei/ A round, flat hat made of soft material.

Blouse /blauz/ A piece of clothing like a shirt that women wear.

Boots /bu:ts/ Strong shoes that cover your feet and part of your legs.

Bow tie /bao tai / A special type of tie in the shape of a bow, worn especially by men on formal occasions.

Bra /bra:/ A piece of woman's underwear that supports the breasts.

Braces /'breisiz/ Two straps fixed to a pair of trousers that go over your shoulders and stop the trousers from falling down.

Brooch /brouts/ A piece of jewellery for women which is fastened onto clothes with a pin.

Cap /kæp/ A hat with a flat, curved part at the front.

Cardigan / ka:drgən/ A piece of clothing, often made of wool, that covers the top part of your body and fastens at the front.

Clogs /klpgz/ Shoes made from wood, or shoes with a wooden sole.

Coat /kəut/ A piece of clothing with sleeves that you wear over your other clothes, especially when you go outside.

Denim jacket /'denim 'dʒækit / A short coat made from denim(a thick, strong, cotton cloth, usually blue).

Dress /dres/ A piece of clothing for women or girls which covers the top of the body and hangs down over the legs.

Dressing gown /dresin gaun / A piece of clothing, like a long coat, that you wear at home when you are not dressed.

Gloves /glavz/ A piece of clothing which covers your fingers and hand.

Handbag / hændbæg/ A bag carried by a woman with her money, keys, etc inside.

Handkerchief / hænkət[i:f/ A small piece of cloth or soft paper that you use to dry your eyes or nose.

Hat /hæt/ Something you wear to cover your head, for fashion or protection.

Helmet /'helmət/ A hard hat that protects your head.

Hood /hod/ A part of a coat or jacket that covers your head and neck.

Jacket / dzækit/ A short coat.

Jeans /dʒi:nz/ Trousers made from denim (= a strong, usually blue, material).

Jersey /'dʒ3:zi/ A piece of clothing which covers the top of your body and is pulled on over your head.

Jewellery /'dʒu:əlri/ Objects made from gold, silver, and valuable stones that you wear for decoration.

Jumper /'dʒʌmpər/ A loose dress with no sleeves that is worn over other clothes such as a shirt.

Kilt /kilt/ A traditional Scottish skirt for men, made of heavy material with close vertical folds at the back.

Knickers /'nɪkəz/ Women's underwear that covers the bottom.

Laces /leisiz/ Strings used to tie shoes.

Mac /mæk/ A coat that you wear in the rain.

Necklace /'nekləs/ A piece of jewellery that you wear around your neck.

Nightdress /'nartdres/ A loose dress that women wear in bed.

Pocket /'ppkit/ A small bag that is fixed on a piece of clothing.

Pyjamas /pɪˈdʒɑːməz/ Shirt and trousers that you wear in bed.

Raincoat /'reinkout/ A coat that you wear when it is raining.

Ribbon /'rɪbən/ A long, narrow piece of cloth that is used for tying things or used for decoration.

Sandals /'sændəls/ Light shoes with straps that you wear in warm weather.

Scarf /ska:f/ A piece of cloth that you wear around your neck, head, or shoulders to keep warm or for decoration.

Shirt /ʃ3:t/ A piece of clothing worn on the top part of the body, often made of thin material like cotton and fastened with buttons down the front.

Shoes /ʃuːz/ A strong covering for the foot, often made of leather.

Shorts /fo:ts/ A very short pair of trousers that stop above the knees.

Skirt /sk3:t/ A piece of women's clothing that hangs from the waist and has no legs.

Slippers /'slippers/ Soft, comfortable shoes that you wear in the house.

Socks /spks/ Something that you wear on your foot inside your shoe.

Stockings /'stpkins/ Very thin pieces of clothing that cover a woman's foot and leg.

Suit /su:t/ A jacket and trousers or a jacket and skirt that are made from the same material.

Sweater / sweter/ A warm piece of clothing which covers the top of your body and is pulled on over your head.

Sweatshirt /'swetʃ3:t/ A piece of clothing made of soft cotton which covers the top of your body and is pulled on over your head.

Swimming costume /swimin 'kpstju:m / A piece of clothing that woman wear to go swimming.

Swimming trunks /swimin tranks / A piece of clothing that boys and men wear when they swim.

Tie /tai/ A long, thin piece of cloth that a man wears around his neck with a shirt.

Tights /tarts/ A piece of women's clothing made of very thin material that covers the legs and bottom.

Tracksuit / træksuit / Loose, comfortable clothes, usually trousers and a top, especially worn for exercising.

Trainers / treiners/ Sneakers / sni:kers/ Soft sports shoes.

Trousers / trauzez/ A piece of clothing that covers the legs and has a separate part for each leg.

T-shirt /'ti: 3:t/ A piece of cotton clothing for the top part of the body with short sleeves and no collar.

Underpants / 'Andəpænts/ A piece of underwear that covers the area between your waist and the top of your legs.

Underwear /'Andawear/ The clothes that you wear next to your skin, under your other clothes.

Uniform / ju:nifo:m/ A special set of clothes that are worn by people who do a particular job or people who go to a particular school.

Waistcoat /'weistkout/ A piece of clothing with buttons at the front and no sleeves, that you wear over a shirt.

Wallet /'wplit/ A small, flat container for paper money and credit cards, usually used by a man.

Zip /zip/ A thing for fastening clothes, bags, etc consisting of two rows of very small parts that connect together.