

**SOLUTIONS ELEMENTARY 5**  
**CULTURE 3:**  
**TEENS AND THEIR**  
**MONEY**

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# 2

## Cumulative Review 2 (Units I–3)

### Listening

1  2.24 Listen to a radio programme and complete the notes below.

#### What to wear to a wedding

##### Winter wedding

Women: a warm dress in red, blue or green; change <sup>1</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ before the ceremony

Men: a dark suit with a <sup>2</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ under the jacket

##### Summer wedding

Women: a dress in <sup>3</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ colours

Men: a shirt and jacket; a <sup>4</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ isn't necessary

##### A casual wedding

Don't wear jeans or <sup>5</sup> \_\_\_\_\_; wear clothes you're happy to wear to <sup>6</sup> \_\_\_\_\_

##### A formal wedding

Women: a long dress and high-heeled shoes with a <sup>7</sup> \_\_\_\_\_

Men: a black suit and tie with black <sup>8</sup> \_\_\_\_\_

Never wear the colour <sup>9</sup> \_\_\_\_\_; <sup>10</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ on your feet

## Speaking

- 2 Work in pairs. Student A has a job interview and needs some help. Prepare a dialogue following the prompts below.

**A** Greet B. Tell B about your job interview. Say that you need some advice.

**B** Ask A what the problem is.

**A** Ask for some advice about what to wear.

**B** Give one or two pieces of advice.

**A** Thank B for the advice.

**B** Suggest buying the new outfit together.

**A** Agree to B's suggestion. Suggest a particular day.

**B** Agree to the suggestion. Ask about the time.

**A** Suggest a time and a place to meet.

**B** Agree.

## Reading

**3** Read the article about police uniforms. Match headings A–G with paragraphs 1–5 in the article. There are two headings that you do not need.

A Designer uniform

B New country, new clothes

C Spell it out

D Changing hats with the seasons

E Different coats for men and women

F A casual look

G Wearing a country's colours

**4** Look at the extra headings in exercise 3. Explain why they do not match any of the paragraphs.

# Same job, different uniform

Find out what the police wear in five European countries

**1** \_\_\_\_\_

For eight months a year, the police in Sweden wear a dark blue cap to go with their dark blue jacket and trousers. But from the end of May to the end of September, they wear their white summer caps. Both caps are easy to carry, so the officers often take them off, especially when they're driving. This makes the uniform more comfortable.

**2** \_\_\_\_\_

In Italy, the police (*Polizia*) wear a blue jacket and grey trousers with a purple stripe, but the military police (*Carabinieri*) have a different uniform. Their uniform, designed by Valentino, is black with a red stripe on the trousers. The *Carabinieri* wear a short-sleeved shirt in summer and they don't wear a coat. They always look very smart.

**3** \_\_\_\_\_

In the UK, the police no longer wear formal jackets with silver buttons. Today, their uniform is more casual and sporty. Both male and female officers wear a dark blue jacket and trousers with either a white or blue shirt and a black tie or scarf. They both wear hats with a black and white pattern, but the men's hats are different from the women's hats.

**4** \_\_\_\_\_

In Portugal, both the police (*polícia*) and the military police (*Guardia Nacional Republicana*) wear blue. The uniform of the ordinary police is quite casual, and officers wear their trousers inside their boots. They wear the red and green national flag on the left shoulder of their uniforms and the symbol of the police, a star, on their caps.

**5** \_\_\_\_\_

The dark blue jacket of the Latvian police has two letters on the collar: LV. The letters stand for the name of the country. Police officers also wear a dark blue cap with the national symbol of Latvia on it. The symbol is a picture of a sun, and it's by the artist Rihards Zarins. The design is from 1918, but the police only started using it in 1991.

## Grammar and vocabulary

### 5 Choose the correct answers.



**APPEARANCE** is important for famous people, so they always have <sup>1</sup> \_\_\_\_ good. When they're in front of a camera, they can't be natural, even if it's late <sup>2</sup> \_\_\_\_ night and they're tired and they want to <sup>3</sup> \_\_\_\_\_. When celebrities get old, internet

websites and magazines <sup>4</sup> \_\_\_\_ their photos to make them look young. But there's one Hollywood actress who is angry <sup>5</sup> \_\_\_\_ this. Kate Winslet, star of *Titanic*, *The Reader* and *The Dressmaker*, is now in her forties. As well as acting, she sometimes models for beauty companies, such as L'Oréal. Kate isn't embarrassed about her age, so when she's a model, she <sup>6</sup> \_\_\_\_ companies to change her photograph. Right now, Kate <sup>7</sup> \_\_\_\_ a new perfume for Lancôme. In her contract it <sup>8</sup> \_\_\_\_\_, 'No photoshopping!' <sup>9</sup> \_\_\_\_ isn't Kate happy about photoshopping? Because she believes that young people see too many <sup>10</sup> \_\_\_\_ photos today and this can be dangerous for them.

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|------------------|-----------------|------------------|
| 1 a look         | b to look       | c looking        |
| 2 a at           | b in            | c on             |
| 3 a wake up      | b get dressed   | c go to bed      |
| 4 a change often | b often change  | c often changes  |
| 5 a about        | b for           | c with           |
| 6 a doesn't want | b isn't wanting | c not want       |
| 7 a advertises   | b advertising   | c is advertising |
| 8 a is saying    | b say           | c says           |
| 9 a What         | b When          | c Why            |
| 10 a natural     | b fake          | c real           |

## Writing

**6** You are organising a competition to design a new uniform for your school. Write an announcement to publicise the competition and encourage people to take part. Include information about:

- what people have to do.
- when the closing date is.
- where people have to hand in their ideas.
- what the prize is.





A person is holding a large bundle of colorful shopping bags in a mall. The bags are in various colors including white, light green, red, yellow, orange, pink, and maroon. The background is a blurred shopping mall with bright lights and glass railings. A dark grey wavy shape is on the left side of the image, and a pink vertical bar is on the right side.

**DO YOU ENJOY SHOPPING?  
WHAT ARE YOUR FAVORITE SHOPS?**



# DVD SHOP





# CLOTHES SHOP





# MAKEUP SHOP







# FOOD AND DRINK SHOP





# JEWELRY SHOP



1 **SPEAKING** Work in pairs. How much money do you spend on the things below?

apps and games clothes films and music food and drink  
jewellery make-up and accessories shoes

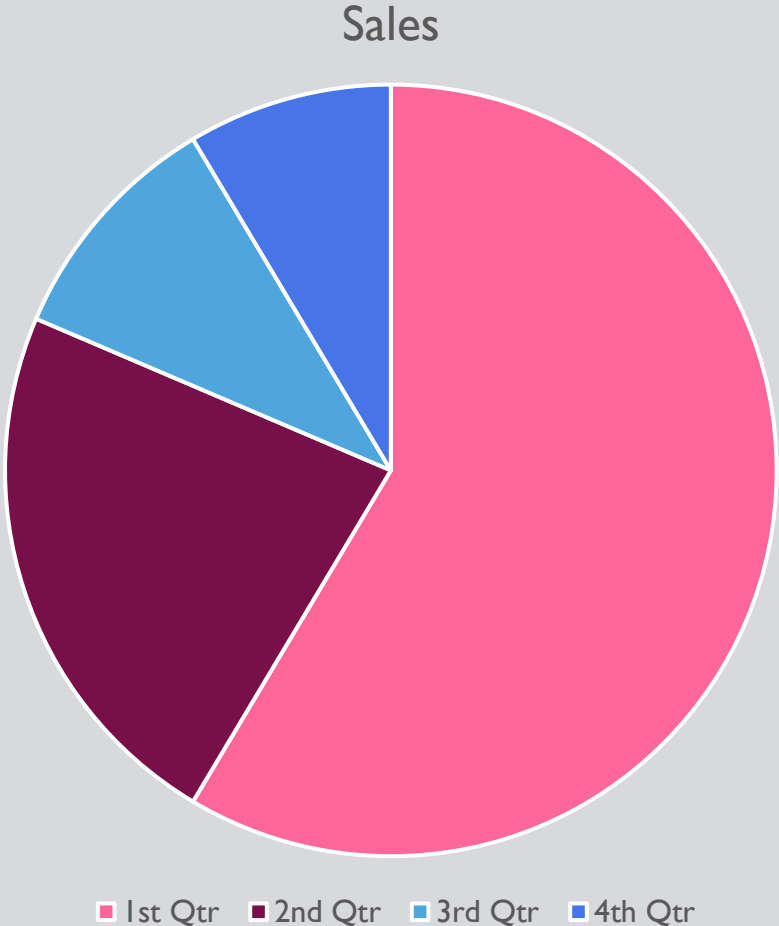
I spend a lot of my money on ...

I spend some money on ...

I don't spend much on ...

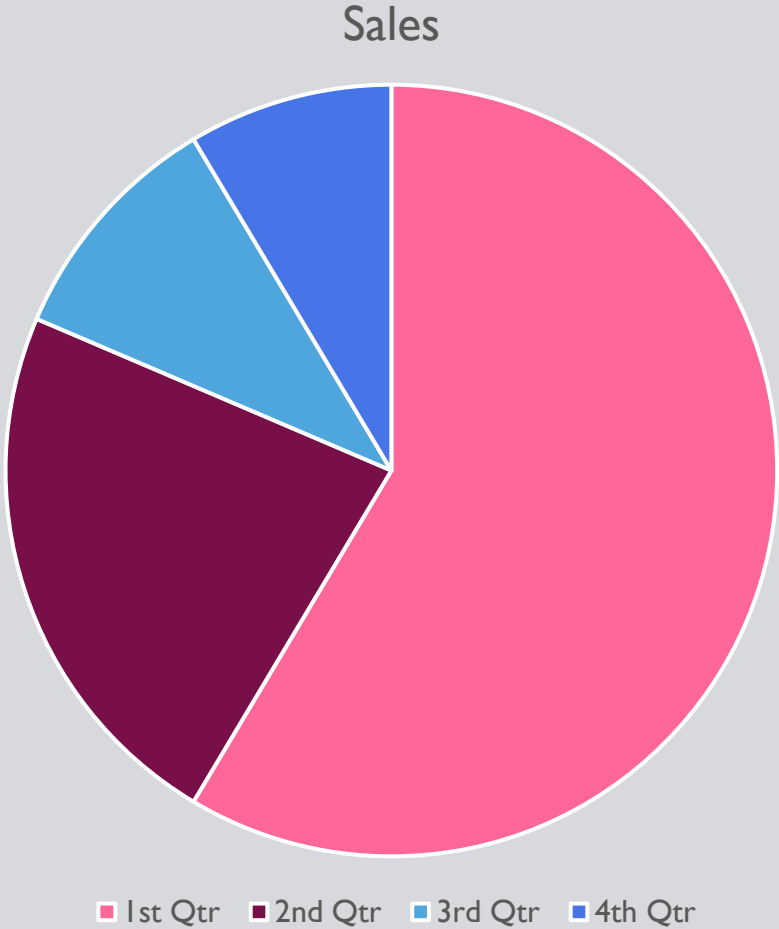
I spend nothing on ...

# WHAT IS IT?



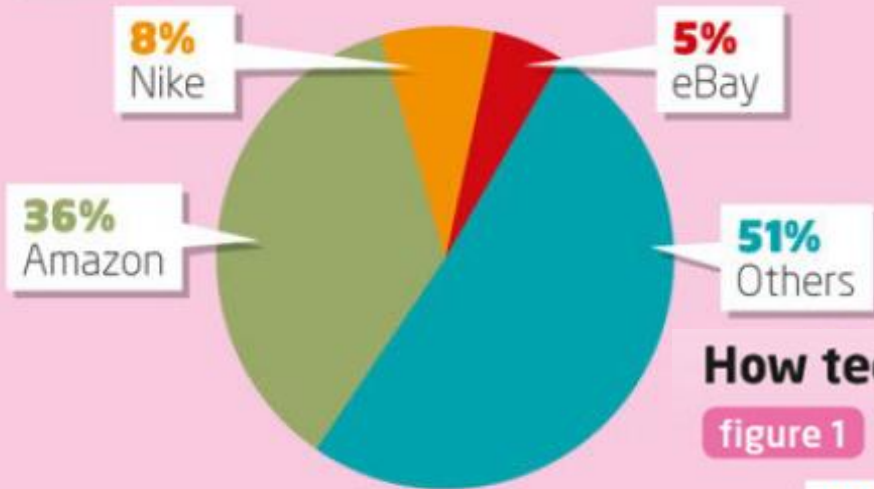
# WHAT IS IT?

## PIE CHART



## Favourite shopping websites

figure 2

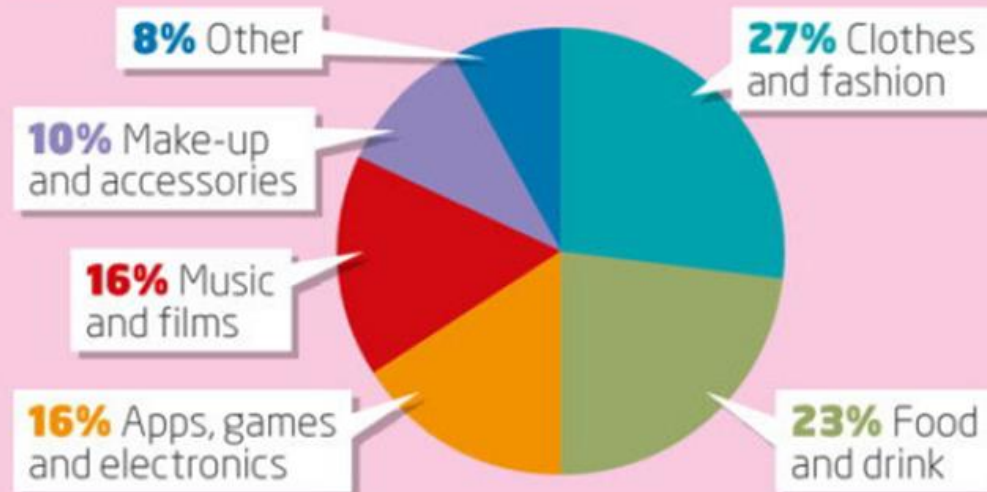


2 Look at the pie charts. Are the sentences true or false?  
Write T or F.

- 1 In the USA, young people spend more money on apps, games and electronics than on food and drink. \_\_\_
- 2 They spend more money on music and films than on make-up and accessories. \_\_\_
- 3 Amazon is the most popular shopping website. \_\_\_

## How teenagers spend their money

figure 1



3 **USE OF ENGLISH** Read and complete the text. Write one word in each gap.

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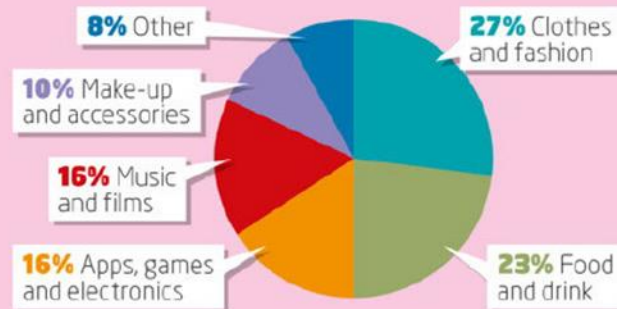
# \$PENDING HABITS



How <sup>1</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ American teenagers spend their money: on clothes, or food, or apps? Let's find out.

## How teenagers spend their money

figure 1



Style is important for American teenagers, so <sup>2</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ isn't surprising that they spend nearly 40% of their money <sup>3</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ clothes and make-up (see figure 1).

However, teenagers don't just buy clothes in shops. Over 80% <sup>4</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ teenagers shop online for fashionable clothes. Amazon is their favourite shopping site, but Nike and eBay are also popular (see figure 2). Teens particularly like to buy shoes on the internet. That's because there <sup>5</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ many fashionable shoe shops in town centres. There is more choice on shopping websites – and

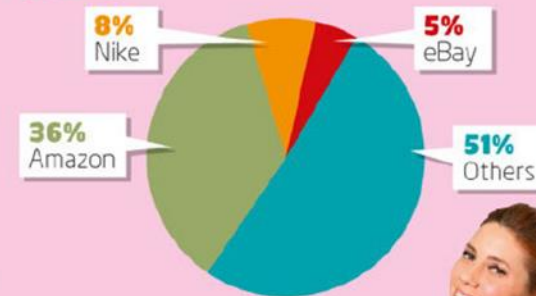
for many teenagers, it is very important to wear the 'right' brand!

But young people aren't only interested <sup>6</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ clothes and fashion. A lot <sup>7</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ teenagers meet in coffee shops and restaurants, and they spend 23% of their money there on food and drink.


When you add together the percentages for apps, games, electronics, films and music, you <sup>8</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ see that American teenagers spend a lot of their money on entertainment too.

## Favourite shopping websites

figure 2







**1. HOW MUCH DO AMERICAN  
TEENAGERS SPEND ON CLOTHES  
AND MAKE-UP?**

**2. DOES 'NEARLY 40%' MEAN  
MORE THAN 40% OR LESS THAN  
40%?**

**3. HOW CAN WE FIND THE  
EXACT AMOUNT?**

**4. WHAT IS THE EXACT  
AMOUNT?**

**4 Read the text again and choose the best summary, a, b or c.**


- a American teenagers spend most of their money online, not in high street shops.
- b Spending money on clothes is more important for American teenagers than spending money on entertainment.
- c American teenagers spend more on clothes than on anything else, but food and entertainment are also important.




# DO YOU GET POCKET MONEY FROM YOUR PARENTS?



- More than 75% of British teenagers receive pocket money. The amount varies between families, but the average amount for ten to fifteen year old is around £6 a week.

- 5  4.18 Listen to four British teenagers talking about how they spend their money. How many of them mention spending money on video games?

- 6**  **4.18** Listen again. Match the speakers to the activities. There is one sentence that doesn't match any of the speakers.

Which speaker ...

- a** spends a lot of time with friends? \_\_\_\_\_
- b** only buys clothes that aren't expensive? \_\_\_\_\_
- c** isn't interested in fashion? \_\_\_\_\_
- d** likes buying smart clothes? \_\_\_\_\_
- e** buys most things online? \_\_\_\_\_

**7 SPEAKING** Work in pairs. Discuss the questions.

- How is the way you spend money different from the way American teenagers spend money?
- Do you often shop online? Why? / Why not? If you shop online, what do you buy?



# DO YOU REMEMBER TRAIID SHOP?





**ASSIGNMENT:  
WORKBOOK PAGES 112 & 113  
SUMMARY OF READING**

**DEADLINE: SUNDAY**