

## Word on the Street Working in Fashion

### Exercises

Answers are at the end of this support pack.

#### Activity 1

Watch Wendy's documentary about the fashion business. Who does she talk to? Choose three jobs.

- a fashion designer
- a fashion journalist
- a hairdresser
- a make-up artist
- a model
- a photographer

#### Activity 2

Watch the documentary again. Match the information with the correct people.

wouldn't like to work in an office / studied at the London College of Communication / works in her family's business / says you need to be a good communicator / says she's still learning every day / studied at the Royal College of Art

#### The photographer

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#### The make-up artist

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#### The designer

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#### Activity 3

What does it take to be successful in the fashion industry? Put the expressions in the correct groups.

enjoy your work / hard work / keep learning / passion / a good communicator / dedication / tough-skinned / keep going / creative

It takes ...

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You need to be ...

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You have to ...

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#### Discussion

- Are you interested in fashion? Why or why not?

- What skills might you need to succeed in the fashion world?

Discuss these questions with another student or post a comment on the LearnEnglish website.

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## Answers

### Activity 1

a fashion designer, a make-up artist, a photographer

### Activity 2

#### The photographer

studied at the London College of Communication

wouldn't like to work in an office

#### The make-up artist

says she's still learning every day

says you need to be a good communicator

#### The designer

studied at the Royal College of Art

works in her family's business

### Activity 3

It takes ...

hard work

dedication

passion

You need to be ...

a good communicator

creative

tough-skinned

You have to ...

keep going

keep learning

enjoy your work