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*You are interested in fashion. You have found an interesting vox pop about people's favourite fashion icon. Read the vox pop.*

### Text 1 Vox pop

#### Who's your *fashion* icon?



Annie, student

5 ① I sincerely admire Kate Middleton, who is Prince William's wife and the Duchess of Cambridge. Her style, which is classic and elegant, is wholly her own. At the numerous charity events she attends, as a member of royalty, she always dresses appropriately. Her dresses are often simple yet tasteful, without too much adornment.



Eric, photographer

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② I think Song Joong-ki, who is a popular Korean model and actor, has impeccable style. I'd describe his sense of style as neat and urban, as he often wears dark clothes, like a black jacket and a pair of dark jeans or a well-tailored suit. He also makes an effort to dress with the seasons. During winter, he is fond of wearing cozy sweaters in warm colours that perfectly complement the subdued hues of the season.



Karen, student

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③ Charlene Choi always looks fashionable because she loves experimenting with new designs. She's the chameleon of the fashion world and a trendsetter! Her clothes, though simple, often incorporate eye-catching shapes and lines. They set her apart from other female stars, who dress to fit the trend instead of creating it!



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**Comprehension 1** *Your sister wants to know more about the vox pop. Read the vox pop and answer her questions. For multiple-choice questions, choose the best answer and blacken ONE circle only.*

1 Who is Kate Middleton?

\_\_\_\_\_

2 What does the word 'which' (line 3) refer to?

\_\_\_\_\_

3 Use ONE word to complete each blank.

Annie has a sincere \_\_\_\_\_ for Kate Middleton, who is a member of the British \_\_\_\_\_ family.



4 What is the main idea of paragraph 1?

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

5 Name THREE items of clothing mentioned in paragraph 2.

i) \_\_\_\_\_

ii) \_\_\_\_\_

iii) \_\_\_\_\_

6 What does 'the season' refer to in line 18?

\_\_\_\_\_

7 Find words in paragraphs 1–2 that mean the same as the following:

i) suitably \_\_\_\_\_

ii) decoration \_\_\_\_\_

iii) perfect \_\_\_\_\_

iv) match \_\_\_\_\_



8 What does Eric like about Song Joong-ki's style? Use your own words.

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- 9 A chameleon is a type of lizard that changes colours according to its environment. Why do you think Karen says Charlene Choi is 'the chameleon of the fashion world' (lines 21–22)?

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Complete the table

| Word           | What it refers to |
|----------------|-------------------|
| she (line 20)  | (10)              |
| They (line 24) | (11)              |
| who (line 25)  | (12)              |
| it (line 26)   | (13)              |

- 14 Use information given in the vox pop and match each person with the correct speech bubble. Write the letter of the speech bubble on the line next to the person given.

A

My ideal fashion icon looks like they belong on the streets of a stylish city.

B

A true fashion icon should adapt their clothing to suit the event they're attending.

C

I believe uniqueness is what counts the most for a fashion icon.

Annie: \_\_\_\_\_ Eric: \_\_\_\_\_ Karen: \_\_\_\_\_



- 15 Whose fashion style from the vox pop do you most identify with? Explain your answer.

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