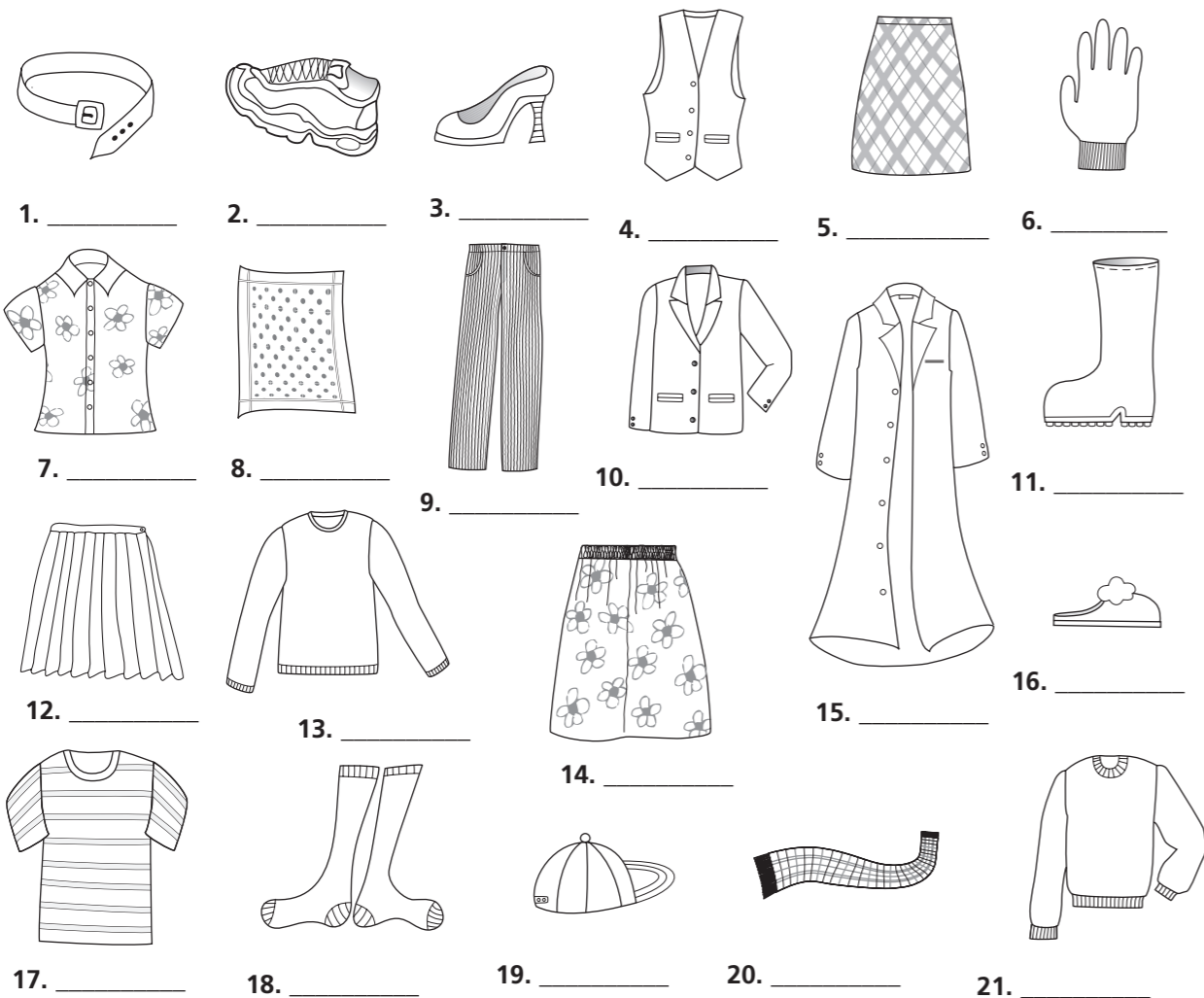


# Clothes

Read the texts on the previous page and write the names of the people next to the appropriate items of clothing.



### Task 3. IDIOMS, COLLOQUIALISMS AND OTHER EXPRESSIONS

The following story uses expressions involving items of clothing. Replace them using an entry from the box.

secretly • sacked him • had a plan which he was keeping secret  
 try to do better • place • on a small amount of money  
 be quiet • wearing his very best clothes • secret  
 hit her hard • worked closely • nonsense • admire

Bert had never **been hand in glove** with Mrs Jameson, our boss. One day, Mrs Jameson told him he had to **pull his socks up**. Bert told her to **belt up** and threatened to **give her a sock** in the jaw. She **gave him the boot** and I had to **step into his shoes**. The next day, Bert came to the office **dressed up to the nines**. He told Mrs Jameson he didn't want to be without a job and live **on a shoestring**. He said he was keeping **something up his sleeve** which he could use against the company, but would keep it **under his hat** if she gave him his job back. Mrs Jameson laughed **up her sleeve** at this and told Bert he was **talking through his hat**. I had to **take my hat off** to her.

# Crime

### Task 1.

Look at this student's essay, and complete it with a word or expression from the box. In some cases, more than one answer may be possible.

attacked • protect • property • defend • locks • lights  
 victims • self-defence • burgled • security • possessions • violence  
 criminals • problem • drugs • break in • be aware • police • prevent

There is a lot of crime in our towns and cities. What do you think we could all do to reduce the risk to ourselves and our homes?

Crime is a big 1. \_\_\_\_\_ in some cities. There is a lot of 2. \_\_\_\_\_ on the streets at night, people buy and sell 3. \_\_\_\_\_ illegally, and a lot of houses are 4. \_\_\_\_\_ on a regular basis. The 5. \_\_\_\_\_ do their best to 6. \_\_\_\_\_ these things happening, but they are not always successful.

However, there are some things that people can do to make their lives safer, to 7. \_\_\_\_\_ themselves and their 8. \_\_\_\_\_ from crime. For example, they can improve 9. \_\_\_\_\_ by fixing good, strong 10. \_\_\_\_\_ so that thieves cannot 11. \_\_\_\_\_ and steal their 12. \_\_\_\_\_. When they go out at night, they should leave 13. \_\_\_\_\_ on so that thieves think there are people at home. When they are on the streets, they should 14. \_\_\_\_\_ of what is happening around them. They could even consider doing a 15. \_\_\_\_\_ course such as judo or jujitsu so that they can 16. \_\_\_\_\_ themselves if they are 17. \_\_\_\_\_ by muggers.

There will always be 18. \_\_\_\_\_ on our streets, but that doesn't mean we all need to be 19. \_\_\_\_\_ of crime, especially if we take the right preventative measures.

### Task 2.

Complete the sentences below with a word or expression from the box.

guilty • falsified • smuggled • sentenced • tried • innocent • arrested  
 mugged • break • vandalized • stole • robbed • trafficking • charged

Richard Mann has been committing crimes since he was a boy.

- When he was only 15 he \_\_\_\_\_ telephone boxes and public toilets.
- As he grew older, he \_\_\_\_\_ old ladies in the street and stole their money.