

Fashion History Explorers

Fashion History · Answer Key · 12 Questions

1. Long ago in Ancient Egypt, what did people mostly wear to stay cool in the hot sun?

- A) Heavy wool coats
- B) Light linen cloth**
- C) Leather boots
- D) Thick velvet capes

2. What accessory did people in the 1700s use to help them keep cool on warm days?

- A) A fan**
- B) An umbrella
- C) A winter hat
- D) A scarf

3. Which of these did people use to keep their hair in place or add height to their wigs in the 18th century?

- A) Glue
- B) Powder**
- C) Paint
- D) Butter

4. Before zippers were invented, what did people use most often to fasten their clothes?

- A) Velcro
- B) Buttons**
- C) Super glue
- D) Staples

5. What natural material have humans used for thousands of years to make warm clothes from sheep?

- A) Silk
- B) Cotton
- C) Wool**
- D) Nylon

6. In the middle ages, which plant was commonly used to create a bright blue dye for fabric?

- A) Woad**
- B) Tomato
- C) Grass
- D) Corn

7. What did Roman people wear that looked like a long, draped sheet wrapped around their bodies?

- A) A T-shirt
- B) A toga**
- C) A raincoat
- D) A puffer jacket

8. What was the first type of shoe made by humans thousands of years ago to protect their feet?

- A) Sneakers
- B) Sandals**
- C) High heels
- D) Rain boots

9. In the past, what did children often wear as protective coverings over their clothes while playing?

- A) Aprons**
- B) Sunglasses
- C) Gloves
- D) Scarves

10. What shiny, soft fabric was first discovered in ancient China and made by silkworms?

- A) Cotton
- B) Linen
- C) Silk**
- D) Wool

11. Which headgear was commonly worn by men in the 1920s to look formal?

- A) Baseball cap
- B) Fedora**
- C) Beanie
- D) Sun visor

12. What did people use to hold their socks up before elastic was invented?

- A) Tape
- B) Garters**
- C) Stickers
- D) Rope