



Module C Unit 6

Training 1.1 (p.43)

Announcer : You are William Chu, a fashion designer. You are discussing some clothes for teenagers with your assistants. Listen to the conversation and label the fashion items.

William : All right, people. Let's get this done. I'm very busy.

Fiona : Yes, Mr Chu. Shall we start with the boy's clothes first?

William : Yes. Good. This year for boys, we're going to use dark natural colours. ^① For the shirt, let's make it a nice green shirt. And for the material, let's use linen.

Sam : Nice choice, Mr Chu. Green is a popular colour this year and linen is always stylish and comfortable.

William : Of course. ^② Now, for the trousers, let's make the trousers blue denim trousers. No wait, let's change the colour to brown. Brown trousers will stay looking clean for a long time. And denim is strong.

Fiona : That sounds very nice, Mr Chu.

William : Now let's focus on the shoes. ^③ I'm thinking black shoes, made of very soft leather. They will look good and will also be comfortable.

Sam : I like that, Mr Chu. Black leather shoes are always stylish.

William : Exactly. For girls, now, I'm thinking something brighter, livelier. ^④ Let's have a red and white striped silk shirt. ^⑤ And for the skirt, I want a blue polyester skirt. ^⑥

Fiona : That's a nice combination, Mr Chu. A blue polyester skirt with a red and white

striped silk shirt. The outfit looks great.

William : Now I want to give the girl a jacket, a purple cotton jacket. Then the girl's outfit will be colourful and bright.

Sam : Every girl will look full of energy in this outfit.

William : And the finishing touch for the girl is a pair of sandals. ^⑦ Nice plastic sandals, with a little flower on the top. And let's make the sandals orange.

Fiona : A good choice, Mr Chu. It looks fabulous. *

Training 2.1 (p.45)

Announcer : You are Betty Chan. Your uncle is telling you what happened when he went shopping yesterday. Listen to the conversation and complete the note sheet below.

Uncle : Hi Betty. Here's a gift for you.

Betty : Oh thanks, Uncle Bobby. Can I open it now?

Uncle : Sure you can.

Betty : Wow, a pair of high heels! I love them!

Uncle : I'm glad to hear that. Try them on and see if they fit.

Betty : Sorry Uncle Bobby...but they aren't very comfortable. ^{T⑤} My feet hurt because the edge of the shoes is too hard. ^{T⑥} And the bows on the shoes keep falling out.

Uncle : That's too bad, Betty. Maybe we can go and exchange them within a week. But the shop assistants weren't friendly. ^{T⑦} They didn't want to serve me or other customers at all.

Betty : Really? Let's write a letter to complain to their manager.

Uncle : Sure. Can you do that for me?

Betty : Sure, I'll write it and you can sign your name. ^{T⑬} Is your full name Bobby Tian, T-I-A-N?

Uncle : ^{T⑭} Yes. Actually I heard one of them calling me 'fatso' as I left the shop.

Betty : 'Fatso'?

Uncle : That means a fat man.

Betty : That's really rude. Let me write that down. How do you spell 'fatso'?

Uncle : It's F-A-T-S-O. ^{T⑯} I remember the salesperson's name. She's Katie Chung, K-A-T-I-E C-H-U-N-G. It was on her staff badge.

Betty : ^{T⑰} OK. What's your telephone number, uncle?

Uncle : 9102 3327.

Betty : ^{T⑱} And you want them to exchange the shoes?

Uncle : ^{T⑲} Yes, and I'd like a formal apology.

Betty : OK. I'll finish the letter and let you take a look soon. *

Jenny : Oh, Mum! Look at these clothes I just bought. I'm looking forward to wearing them this weekend.

Mum : Let me have a look at the dress. ^{T⑺} Oh, this big black spot on the back is terrible.

Jenny : Really? Let me see...oh, the black spot is really noticeable. Why didn't I notice it before?

Mum : Did you try the dress on?

Jenny : ^{T⑽} No, they said no fitting was allowed but all items could be exchanged within five days.

Mum : You'd better try it on now.

Jenny : Oh gosh! ^{T⑾} This dress is too short! ^{T⑿} The salesgirl said it would be 3 inches below my knees ^{T⑿} but now it is above my knees.

Mum : It's too short for a dress.

Jenny : Hmm, I'll have to return it.

Mum : Take a look at this coat. ^{T⑿} The pocket has a hole in it.

Jenny : ^{T⑿} Let me see...oh, one of the buttons is also missing. I'm so angry.

Mum : Don't be angry. Just take them back to the shop and ask for an exchange.

Jenny : Yes, that's what I should do, I guess.

Mum : You most certainly should. Get over to the shop and exchange those clothes before it's too late. *

Training 2.2 (pp.46-47)

Announcer : You are Jenny Leung, a Secondary 2 student. You are going to write a letter of complaint to Modern Fashions.

You are talking to your mother about the clothes you bought from the shop. As you listen, take notes on the note sheet below. Then read the Data File and complete the task on the next page.

You now have two minutes to read the note sheet and the Data File.