

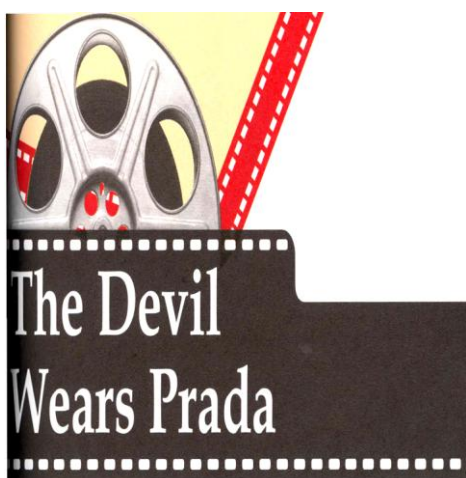
Lai Chack Middle School
S1-S3 English Language
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THE DEVIL WEARS PRADA

Theme: “The World of Fashion”



Part A: Introduction

In English Week 2010, we are going to watch the movie *The Devil Wears Prada*. Before you watch the movie, let's see some basic information about it.

Directed by David Frankel

Written by Aline Brosh McKenna based on Lauren Weisberger's novel

Starring
Meryl Streep as Miranda Priestly
Anne Hathaway as Andrea Sachs
Emily Blunt as Emily
Stanley Tucci as Nigel
Adrian Grenier as Nate

Release Year: 2006

Awards: 2007 - Nominated for **Oscar Academy Award** for **Best Achievement in Costume Design** and **Best Performance by an Actress in a Leading Role** (Meryl Streep)

2007 - Won **Golden Globe** for **Best Performance by an Actress in a Motion Picture - Musical or Comedy** (Meryl Streep)

2007 - Won **ALFS Award** for **Actress of the Year** (Meryl Streep) and **British Supporting Actress of the Year** (Emily Blunt)

Now give short answers to the questions below.

1. Who is the director of the movie?

2. Name the leading actresses.

3. When did people first see the movie in cinemas?

4. Did any stars win awards for acting in the movie? If yes, give ONE example.

Part B: About the Characters

The pictures below are characters in the movie. Write the names of the characters and fill in the other blanks with the correct words while you are watching the movie.



Name: _____
She is his _____ .
She works as the second
_____ to the editor-in-chief
at _____ *Magazine*.

Name: _____
He is her _____ .
He is a _____ .



Name: _____
She is the _____
at the magazine.



Name: _____
 She is the _____
 _____ to the editor-in-chief
 at the magazine.

Name: _____
 He is _____
 at the magazine. He helps
 _____ to change her
 dress style.

Who is 'The Devil' in the movie? _____

Part C: Movie Story

The following sentences tell the story of the movie. However, SIX of them are wrong. If a sentence is right, just put a tick (✓) in the blank. If a sentence is wrong, put a cross (✗) in the blank, underline the wrong part and write the correct information on the line. Two have been done as examples.

1. Andrea has just graduated from university. ✓

2. She gets a job at Catwalk Magazine. ✗
Runway

3. She knows nothing and doesn't care about fashion so her beautiful and stylish
 co-workers always laugh at her. _____

4. She feels sad because her boss isn't nice to her. _____

5. Her boyfriend helps her and makes her look stylish. _____

6. She has dinner with her boyfriend on his birthday. _____

7. She does a few hard and demanding jobs for her boss so she can go to a fashion show
 in London with her boss. _____

8. A charming young writer Christian Thompson says he will help her with her writing career. _____
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9. She decides to stay at the magazine. _____
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10. She and her boyfriend break up. _____
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Part D: Drawing

You have watched the movie and must have some ideas about fashion. Now design your dream school uniform and draw it. You may colour it to make it look more beautiful if you like. Be realistic about style, material, cost and suitability.

My dream school uniform for Lai Chack boys / girls* for summer / winter*
(*delete whichever is inapplicable)

Part E: Writing Task

Nowadays, many young people are crazy about fashion and brand-name products like Prada, Gucci and Calvin Klein. You may also have some brand-name products. Write about ONE brand-name product that you like most.

You may use the following questions to help you.

1. What is the brand-name product that you like most?
(a T-shirt / a bag / a watch / a pair of sports shoes/jeans/trousers)
2. What brand is it? (Gucci / Calvin Klein)
3. Describe it. (colour / size)
4. How did you get it?
(father/mother/best friend(s)/classmate(s) gave me / I myself bought it)
5. When did you get it?
6. Why did he / she / they give it to you?
(passed a test/an exam / got high marks on dictation / birthday / Christmas / Chinese New Year)
7. How much was it?
8. What do you think of brand-name products?
(better quality / worth the money / just same as ordinary brands)
9. Do you want more brand-name products? Why (not)?

You may start like this:

I have some brand-name products. The one that I like most is ...

***If you do not have a brand-name product, write what brand-name product you would like to have.

You may use the following questions to help you.

1. What is the brand-name product that you would like to have?
(a T-shirt / a bag / a watch / a pair of sports shoes/jeans/trousers)
2. What brand is it? (Gucci / Calvin Klein)
3. Describe the product you would like to have. (colour / size)
4. How do you think you can get it?
(father/mother/best friend(s)/classmate(s) give me / I myself buy it)
5. Why can you get it?
(pass a test/an exam / get high marks on dictation / birthday / Christmas / Chinese New Year)
6. Do you know how much it is?
7. What do you think of brand-name products?
(better quality / worth the money / just same as ordinary brands)
8. Why do you want brand-name products?
(can talk to friends/classmates / show off)

You may start like this:

I do not have brand-name products. The one that I would like to have is ...

******* Wish you enjoy English Week 2010! *******