



COLLOCATIONS

There are many collocations in English with the words *catch*, *fall* and *lose*.

Sam's news **caught me by surprise**; I wasn't expecting to hear that he was leaving.

I have **lost count** of the number of times I've asked him to stop shouting.

Wearing genuine animal furs has **fallen out of favour** in recent years.

1 Complete the diagrams with the expressions below. Use the glossary to help you.

my patience | **ill** | **my eye** | **sight of (x2)** | **in love**
sleep over | **asleep** | **a cold**



2 Complete the sentences with some of the collocations you formed in Exercise 1.

- I'm trying not to ... , but I've explained it three times.
- If you are exposed to the virus, you might
- You'll ... if you don't put on a coat.
- You made a mistake, but you shouldn't ... it.
- Do you believe that people can ... at first sight?

3 Choose the correct answer to show that you understand the meaning of the collocations in bold.

- I **lost sight of** him *in the crowd* / *many years ago*.
- I tried to **catch his eye**, but he was too *busy* / *tall*.
- Try not to **fall asleep** until the meeting *begins* / *ends*.
- You'll be able to **catch sight of** him when *he arrives* / *he's gone*.



Chinese qipao dresses

LISTENING A Podcast

4 What are some examples of things we enjoy today that have been borrowed from other cultures? Think of things like food, fashion and music.

1/14 **5** You are going to hear a podcast about today's trends. Listen to the first part of the podcast and choose the correct answer.

- Keziah Daum was ... the response she got.
 - surprised by
 - furious because of
 - proud of
- Cultural appropriation means using something
 - incorrectly from your own culture
 - correctly from another culture
 - incorrectly from another culture
- The speaker mentions restaurants that have closed down because
 - the service was bad
 - the food was not authentic
 - of the owners' cultural background



YOUR OUTLOOK CRITICAL THINKING

Do you think cultural appropriation is disrespectful, or is it a natural process?

1/15 **6** Listen to the second part of the podcast and decide if the sentences are true or false.

- The speaker feels that jazz is an example of cultural appropriation.
- For Native Americans, a feather headdress should be worn to music festivals.
- The speaker doesn't think Keziah Daum did anything wrong.



LOOKING AT PRONUNCIATION

- 1/16** Listen and repeat the words below from the podcast.
 listeners /'lɪsənəz/ appropriation /ə'prəʊpri'eɪʃn/
- 1/17** Listen to how the words below are pronounced. In which words are the bolded letters pronounced /ə/?
 negative | isolates | classical | feather
 festival | about