

Less common words Paraphrase Idiomatic expressions Collocations

Appropriacy of the words used

### General Description

Less common words: **11** less common words are identified (connotation, gender roles and norms, spectrum, masculinity, femininity, adhere, resonate, androgynous, dictate, frustrated, hindrance).

Paraphrase: 4 paraphrases are coded.

the type of clothing you like to wear → love hate relationship with the entire concept of clothes  
a very strict spectrum of masculinity and femininity → these type of extremes

woman → female

androgynous → the concept of modesty

Idiomatic expressions: **1** idiomatic expression is identified (prim and proper).

Collocations: **5** collocations are identified (love/hate relationship, run a little bit more androgynous, lean towards, follow me through, catches me unawares).

Appropriacy of the words used: No inappropriate use of words is coded.

E-Examiner S-Student

E: Right now I'm going to give you a topic. And I'd like you to talk about it for one to two minutes. Before you talk, you'll have one minute to think about what you're going to say. And you can make some notes if you wish. You understand?

S: Yes.

E: The topic I'd like you to talk about is the type of clothing you like to wear. Right. So first of all, you got one minute to prepare. All right. Now remember, you've got one to two minutes for this. So don't worry if I stop you. I'll tell you when the time is up. Can you start speaking now please?

S: So I found it very interesting that you chose this specific topic because I really do have a love/hate relationship with the entire concept of clothes. My problem comes from the fact that I grew up in Pakistan and so your performance and your ... how you presented yourself in society held a very different type of connotation. So there was gender roles and norms surrounding your clothing and how you presented yourself on a very strict spectrum of masculinity and femininity. And me as a person, I do not like to adhere to these type of extremes. And while I do identify as a woman, and I'm a female, I ... the way I dress and the way I prefer to dress in my country don't really resonate with the id ... the typical ideals of femininity. And so my preference and clothing does run a little bit more androgynous than society would dictate how it should. A bit of it has been influenced by social media. I tend to lean towards comfort wear or fashion wear and I do like to still adhere to the concept of mo, modesty when I'm thinking about how to dress myself. Growing up, I never liked to wear dresses or anything high above my knee and my mum would be frustrated as to why this little girl doesn't want to wear dress and I'd say, oh, because I feel

cold and the truth was, I just wanted to run around in a pair of shorts without having to think about, oh, I have to keep **prim and proper** and make sure nobody **catches me unawares**, you know. That did **follow me through**. And now I'm in my 20s and I still like to tell my mum I don't like to wear dresses and while it's gotten better in terms of the relationship dealing with that. I do still see it as a big **hindrance** to our progress and society because once you present ...

E: Thank you. Sorry to interrupt.

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