

Word on the Street Notting Hill Scene 1

Exercises

Answers are at the end of this support pack.

Activity 1

Stephen and Ashlie are preparing for the Notting Hill Carnival. Read the questions and decide whether they are about Stephen or Ashlie.

1. Who finds out about Notting Hill Carnival costumes?
 - a) Stephen
 - b) Ashlie
2. Who learns some new dance moves?
 - a) Stephen
 - b) Ashlie
3. Who chooses the most glamorous costume?
 - a) Stephen
 - b) Ashlie

Activity 2

Read the questions and select the correct answers.

1. Ashlie meets a girl making a

costume. What is she making?

- a) a spider's web
 - b) a butterfly on a flower
 - c) a sunflower
2. When did the girl start work on her costume?
 - a) three days ago
 - b) three weeks ago
 - c) three months ago
 3. Later on, what is Ashlie preparing?
 - a) her dress
 - b) her headpiece
 - c) her cape
 4. After Stephen's dance lesson, how does he feel?
 - a) very excited
 - b) very tired
 - c) very confused

Discussion

- Are there any carnivals in your country?
- When do you have to prepare special clothes and/or learn a new dance?

Discuss these questions with another student or post a comment on the LearnEnglish website.

Answers

Activity 1

1. b) Ashlie
2. a) Stephen
3. b) Ashlie

Activity 2

1. b) a butterfly on a flower
2. c) three months ago
3. b) her headpiece
4. b) very tired