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What are the five senses?



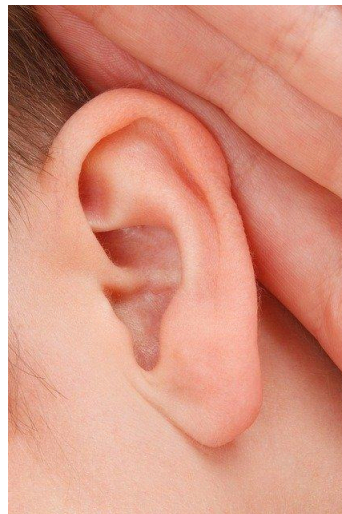
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(3) _____



(4) _____



(5) _____

(6) Which of the five senses is most important to you? Why? Discuss your answers with a partner.

(7) When we talk about senses, we typically use the following verbs and formula.

look, smell, taste, sound, feel + ADJECTIVE

- a. The dog **looks** friendly.
- b. These socks **smell** terrible.
- c. That cake **tastes** delicious.
- d. This new surround system **sounds** really loud.
- e. I **feel** miserable today.

Make a list of adjectives that you can use with each of the following verbs.

Look	Smell	Taste	Sound	Feel

(8) Another common way to talk about senses is with the following formula.

look, smell, taste, sound, feel + LIKE + NOUN

- a. The dog **looks** like a friendly dog.
- b. These socks **smell** like feet.
- c. That cake **tastes** like the cake that my sister makes.
- d. This new surround system **sounds** like the one at the movie theater.
- e. I **feel** like a zombie today.

Underline the noun in each of the previous sentences: b-e.

(9) Write two sentences about each of the following pictures using the sense verbs of **look**, **smell**, **taste**, **sound**, or **feel**.



Ex.) *It feels hot. It smells like fall.*



Sight

1. Do you have good eyesight?
 2. Would you ever consider getting contacts?
 3. Would you ever consider getting laser eye surgery?
 4. What's the best view you've ever seen? Why?
 5. When you are on vacation do you prefer to just use your eyes to enjoy the scenery or do you prefer to take a photo? Why?
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Hearing

1. What music do you like to listen to?
 2. What sound makes you cringe?
 3. Have you ever been in a completely silent place?
 4. Do you prefer working in silence or with some background noise?
 5. Do you like listening to white noise while you sleep?
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Taste

1. What is your favorite flavor? Why?
 2. Do you like sweet food? Why or why not?
 3. What flavors don't you like? Why?
 4. Are there any flavors that remind you of your childhood? What are they?
 5. Is there any food that you didn't like as a child which has grown on you and which you like now?
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Smell

1. What's your favorite smell? Why?
 2. Is there any particular smell that reminds you of the past?
 3. What does your house smell like? Why?
 4. Do you think it's important to wear perfume? Why or why not?
 5. If you had to describe your hometown by the smell, what would you say?
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Touch

1. Do you think your physical comfort can affect your mood? Why or why not?
2. What's the softest thing you can think of?
3. Are you a tactile learner? (*tactile: ADJ, connected to touch*)
4. Do you think children can learn more by touching than seeing? Why or why not?
5. What's your opinion of handshakes, kisses, and hugs in greetings?