Topic

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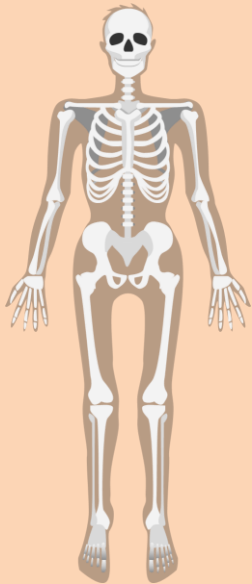### for Idioms

**Lesson 32
Appearance**

DASH

_____ a dash

look like a million _____

all skin and _____

dressed to _____

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1. Amy was **dressed to kill** in a green dress, sparkling necklace, and heels.

Q When do we use this idiom?

   a. when someone wears very fancy clothes

   b. when someone wears casual clothes

Origin

The phrase's origin is a little more dangerous: to be so well dressed that you serve as a distraction to almost everyone around you. That level of distraction can be hazardous.

2. Selena **cuts a dash** in her dress during the college ball. Everyone is looking at her.

Q What's the meaning of the idiom?

a. to look attractive in the clothes one is wearing

b. to cut an inch in the dress to make it fit

Q How can we cut a dash in all the clothes we wear?

3. Mr. Smith **looks like a million dollars** in his new tie. I guess it is quite expensive.

Q Which is **true** about the statement?

a. His tie costs a million dollars.

b. He looks extremely good in his tie.

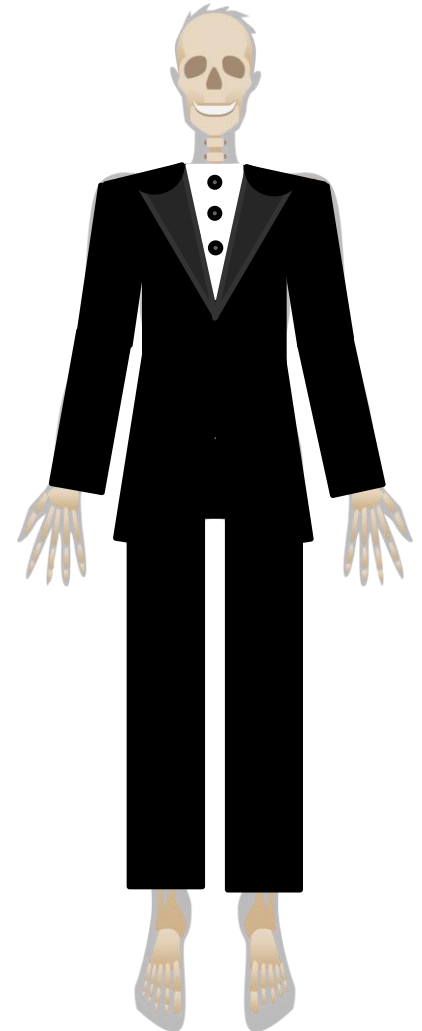**Q** Is it possible to look like a million dollars without spending too much? Why or why not?

4. He was **all skin and bones** after he got sick.

💡 Give 2 reasons how someone could become skin and bones.

1. _____.

2. _____.

Q Some people think being all skin and bones is attractive.
Do you agree or disagree?

dressed to kill
dressed in fancy
or stylish clothes
to impress people

all skin and bones
a condition or state
of extreme thinness

Appearance

cut a dash
to look attractive,
especially by wearing
fashionable clothes

look like a million dollars
look extremely good

1. dressed to kill

A look extremely good

2. look like a million dollars

B be extremely thin

3. cut a dash

C dressed in very fancy clothes to impress people

4. all skin and bones

D wear fashionable clothes to look attractive

1. Martha caught all people's attention. = dressed to kill

2. I wear simple clothes. = cut a dash

3. I had a new shirt. = look like a million dollars

4. The fashion models look gorgeous. = all skin and bones

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