

IF Unit 5 reading comprehension questions

1. In what societies might a person find a heavier person more attractive?
 - A. In societies where people like to sunbathe to darken their skin.
 - B. Societies in which people do not have enough food to eat.
 - C. In societies where people like to consume more food.
 - D. Societies in which people do not sunbathe.
2. What does a woman's hip-to-waist ratio of 0.70:1 mean?
 - A. She is not heavy enough.
 - B. She is over 170 centimeters tall.
 - C. She can consume a lot of food.
 - D. She can give birth to children more easily.
3. What features do women across most cultures approve of in men?
 - A. Men with small features.
 - B. Men with a V-shaped body.
 - C. Men with large hips.
 - D. Men with a V-shaped head.
4. How does the fashion industry influence people's definitions of beauty?
 - A. The use of thin models to advertise their clothes.
 - B. The ideal that eating disorders are an accepted norm.
 - C. The use of heavy models in fast food restaurant ads.
 - D. The belief that obesity stems from poor living conditions.
5. Who does the author feel is to blame for how beauty is perceived in developed countries today?
 - A. Increased wealth and sports facilities.
 - B. Fashion and advertising industries.
 - C. Reduced allergies and eating disorders.
 - D. Hunters and guards in modern society.