



Lesson 174

sew/ sewed / sewed or sewn	[səʊ / səʊd / səʊn]
needle	['ni:dl]
thread	[θred]
tailor	['teɪlə]

What do you need if you want to sew two pieces of cloth together?	You need a needle and thread if you want to sew two pieces of cloth together.
Is it easy to thread cotton thread through the eye of a needle?	No, it's not easy to thread cotton thread through the eye of a needle .
Do you buy ready-made clothes or have them sewn by a tailor?	<i>I usually buy ready-made clothes but sometimes I have them sewn by a tailor.</i>
Where on clothes is a label usually sewn?	A label's usually sewn inside clothes.
What's the difference between a sewing needle and a needle for giving injections?	A sewing needle has a hole at one end through which you can thread something.
Can you sew a button on a shirt?	Yes, I can sew a button on a shirt. <i>or:</i> No, I can't sew a button on a shirt.

excited	[ɪk'saɪtɪd]
exciting	[ɪk'saɪtɪŋ]
wag	[wæg]

What do dogs do when they're excited?	Dogs wag their tails when they're excited .
What do you do when you're excited?	<i>I jump / laugh / scream when I'm excited.</i>
Are children usually excited about Christmas, Santa Claus, and opening presents?	Yes, children are usually excited about Christmas, Santa Claus, and opening presents.
What does it mean when a parent wags his finger at a child?	When a parent wags his finger at a child, it usually means that <i>the child has done something wrong and the parent disapproves of it.</i>