

# GRADE 3

# TEST FOLK COSTUME



**TASK.1 Look at the photos.**





- a. Try to guess where is:  
“peremitka”, ”yupka”, ”svyta”, ”serdak”, ”leybyk’,  
kozhukh.’.
  
- b. Try to explain what is:  
“peremitka”, ”yupka”, ”svyta”, ”serdak”, ”leybyk’”,  
kozhukh.

## **Embroidery in Ukrainian National Clothes**

### **TASK 2.**

**Read and translate the text.**

**Fill in the proper words.**

(protective items ,modest and darker , sleeve , old,  
magical, married)

The protection of body is not the only function of the clothes . It can be used to mark a person's social status, age, gender, marital status and so forth.

In Ukraine, the clothing of the young differed from the clothing of the ...1 ..

There was special holiday clothing and clothing to mark the major events in a life such as weddings and funerals. Clothing differed by gender. This not only means that women wore skirts while men wore pants. It means that the clothing of little girl was different from the clothing worn by a girl old enough to marry. When a woman ...2....., her clothing, and especially her head wear, would change again.

Thus, little girls wore unbelted shifts, sorochky, and could wear their hair loose. Young women wore single braids. They had to wear a belt over their sorochky and most often wore a skirt as well. At marriage, a woman's hair was braided in two braids as part of the wedding ceremony. From then on, the woman was supposed to wear two braids, wear her hair up, and keep her head covered. Her clothing became more ... 3.... as she aged. The man, by contrast, wore the same hairdo and pretty much the same clothing throughout his life, though his clothing, too, became darker with age.

Clothing has magical .... 4.... . The act of embroidery is powerful and clothing protects an individual, not just from the elements, but from the devil eye . Embroidery around all clothing edges served a protective function and, since individuals in transition, such as the couple getting married, were especially vulnerable, their clothing was richly embroidered and

they were decorated with wreaths, flowers, pins, and other  
.....**5** .....

The greatest number of embroidered adornments are used in clothing. Different components of clothing are adorned with embroidery, first of all, shirts. The most decorative part of the shirt is the sleeve, less decorative - neck, bosom, cuffs, skirt. Motifs on these parts are dependent on the basic motive on the ...**6**..... In addition to the shirt, which is beautifully adorned with embroidery everywhere on the territory of Ukraine, in different regions other elements of clothing are also embroidered - peremitkas, caps, scarves, ribbons, skirts, aprons, men's caps and trousers, yupkas (coats), svytas, serdaks, leybyks, sleeveless jackets, sheepskin .

### **Task 3**

**Finish the sentences using the text as a guide.**

1. Clothing differed by....
2. The man, by contrast, wore the same hairdo....
3. The act of embroidery is...
4. Embroidery around all clothing edges served a protective....
5. . The most decorative part of the shirt is....
6. Different components of clothing are adorned with embroidery, first of all....

### **TASK 4**

**Read the text and write on the differences of the functions and decorative elements of Ukrainian national clothes.**

