

Photos from the Red Carpet at the Brit Awards: A Display of Lengthy Black Gowns, Vibrant Neon Accents, and a Giraffe

Description

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On the Brit Awards 2024 red carpet, the glamour and excitement was palpable. Known for their flamboyant dress code, the attendees did not disappoint. While some chose to don vibrant ensembles, many others swapped bright colours for solemn black. And, a giraffe made a surprise appearance.

Singer-songwriter Raye, with multiple nominations to her name, shared, "I've got tears in my eyes already; I've got waterproof eyeliner on." Her desire to be recognized as an "albums artist" came true in spectacular fashion.

Brits veteran, Dua Lipa, stole the limelight in her black leather ensemble by Donatella Versace. The six-time winner emphasized her love for 'danger' in her performances and regaled attendees with her latest number, "Training Season", as the show opener.

Raye's contemporary, Becky Hill, nominated for the best dance act, was seen in a black outfit, expressing hopes that Raye has a "history-making evening". Meanwhile, Abigail Morris from The Last Dinner Party, let her dress do the talking by featuring a line from their song.

Injecting humour into the glamorous event, comic Rob Beckett amused everyone by donning an inflatable giraffe costume. Pop artist Charlie XCX brought the Brits logo to life with her multi-coloured dress while musician Jacob Collier was flamboyant in oversized neon silk attire with flowing purple trousers.

Green Day members, Tré Cool and Billie Joe Armstrong stuck to classic black while Singer Rebecca Ferguson shared her enthusiasm for Raye's performance and expressed support for a new independent body aimed at preventing bullying in the music industry.

Adding a unique touch was broadcaster Maya Jama, co-host for the evening, embracing mermaid-like aesthetics in her corseted black dress. Meanwhile, another host, Clara Amfo, grabbed attention in her emerald green outfit completed with fishnet tights and platform shoes.

Spice Girl Mel C, Jess Glynne, and former Strictly Come Dancing contestant Fleur East, who proudly flaunted her baby bump, were among other notable attendees who added to the glamorous evening that celebrated the best of British music.

An unforgettable night for the UK music industry, the Brit Awards 2024 saw the stars bring their style A-game, with every outfit telling a unique story.



Vocabulary List:

1. **Palpable** // (adjective): Noticeable or perceivable able to be touched or felt.
2. **Flamboyant** // (adjective): Excessively showy highly elaborate or ornate.
3. **Ensembles** // (noun): Coordinated outfit or group of things.
4. **Regaled** // (verb): Entertained or amused someone through storytelling or conversation.
5. **Inflatable** // (adjective): Capable of being filled with air or gas to become larger.
6. **Aesthetics** // (noun): The study or philosophy of beauty principles of art and taste.

Vocabulary quizzes

Multiple Choice (Select the Correct answer for each question.)

1. Which of the following words best represents a feeling of deep respect or approval?
Option: Terminate
Option: Realization
Option: Admiration
Option: Fling
2. Which word describes a display meant to impress others; showy or flashy?
Option: Exclusive
Option: Stylish
Option: Ostentatious
Option: Affluent
3. What term is used to describe the money received for goods or services?
Option: Obstacles
Option: Earnings
Option: Sequel
Option: Criticized
4. Which word means having a great deal of money; wealthy?
Option: Praiseworthy
Option: Augur
Option: Affluent
Option: Influx
5. Which term describes the practice of focusing the mind and thinking deeply in silence?
Option: Negligible



- Option: Meditation
- Option: Conjectures
- Option: Undertaken

6. What word means capable of being touched or felt; tangible?

- Option: Optimal
- Option: Palpable
- Option: Flamboyant
- Option: Ensembles

7. Which term means entertained or amused?

- Option: Inflatable
- Option: Aesthetics
- Option: Regaled
- Option: Obstacles

8. What word describes a sudden realization or understanding?

- Option: Critcized
- Option: Exclusive
- Option: Epiphany
- Option: Stylish

9. Which word can mean a substance used for construction or to signify strengthening a relationship?

- Option: Admiration
- Option: Cement
- Option: Realization
- Option: Fling

10. What do you call things that hinder progress or success?

- Option: Praiseworthy
- Option: Augur
- Option: Influx
- Option: Obstacles

Gap-Fill (Fill in the blanks with the correct word from the vocabulary list.)

11. The company announced the _____ of several employees due to budget cuts.
12. The dark clouds and strong winds _____ a storm approaching.
13. The difference in price between the two products is _____ ; almost unnoticeable.



14. The construction of the new bridge will be _____ by a team of skilled engineers.
15. To achieve the best results it is essential to choose the _____ approach.
16. The children played in the _____ pool during the hot summer days.
17. The house was designed with a focus on both functionality and _____.
18. The film was heavily _____ for its poor acting and predictable plot.
19. The author has written several _____ to the bestselling novel.
20. Scientists rely on evidence-based research rather than mere _____.

Matching Sentences (Match each definition to the correct word from the vocabulary list.)

21. The club was known for its luxurious amenities and membership.
22. She always dresses in a trendy and manner.
23. His actions in helping the community were truly .
24. The artist's personality was as as his vibrant paintings.
25. The fashion show featured a variety of stunning .
26. The palace was decorated in a lavish and style.
27. Despite facing numerous she persisted and achieved her goal.
28. The neighborhood was filled with large mansions and luxury cars.
29. After months of confusion he finally had an about his true passion.
30. Her taste in jewelry was undeniably with large diamonds and flashy designs.

Answer

Multiple Choice: 1. Admiration 2. Ostentatious 3. Earnings 4. Affluent 5. Meditation 6. Palpable 7. Regaled 8. Epiphany 9. Cement 10. Obstacles

Gap-Fill: 11. termination 12. augur 13. negligible 14. undertaken 15. optimal 16. inflatable 17. aesthetics 18. criticized



19. sequels 20. conjectures

Matching sentence: 1. exclusive 2. stylish 3. praiseworthy 4. flamboyant 5. ensembles 6. opulent 7. obstacles
8. affluent 9. epiphany 10. ostentatious

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