

What kinds of music do you like to listen to?

Well, I've got a pretty **eclectic taste in music**. **When I was younger**, I **used to** only listen to electronic music. **But nowadays**, I find that I like different music for different occasions. In the mornings, I prefer to listen to funk and reggae- especially at the weekend or when it's sunny. Then, while I'm cooking, I like to listen to jazz. I still love electronic music, but I'll only listen to it at the gym or when I want to **boost my mood**.

Useful expressions**An eclectic taste in music**

A broad and diverse taste in music. It means that you like lots of different types of music.

*"I've got a pretty **eclectic taste in music**."*

When I was younger, I used to + verb phrase. But nowadays, I + verb phrase.

Used to talk about things that were true in the past, but are not true now.

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Boost my mood

Do something to make me feel happier.

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All sorts of music except for ...

Meaning that you like lots of different genres of music. However, there are some that you don't like.

*"I like **all sorts of music except for** heavy metal music."*

To be a huge fan

To really like someone or something.

*"I'm **a huge** Taylor Swift **fan**. I'd love to see her perform live."*

I like to listen to music when...

*"I like to listen to music **when** I'm cooking."*

Unwind

Relax

*"I like to listen to classical music because it helps me to **unwind**."*

Write your answer

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