

# Unit 1

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## Reader's Notebook: Cover up

In this selection on pages 84 to 87 of Literacy in Action, notice the photos and headings.

Answer these questions:

1. Is touching up photos in magazines common?

Yes, almost all photos are touched up.

2. What kinds of things do they do to improve photos?

Make people look thinner, change eye colour, alter make-up, alter fit of clothes, change hair colour, change teeth colour.

### Reading the Selection

Read the selection on pages 84 to 87 of Literacy in Action.

3. Make a list of the techniques used to alter the way the model really looks.

### After You Read

Answer these questions:

4. Why do you think the advertisers changed the way the model looked?

To make her fit the established "right" look.

5. Do you think magazines do the same type of thing to male models?

Yes, you may comment on photos of male models you have seen.

6. Do you think it is fair to viewers to change the way people look using computers? Is it fair to the models?

An opinion. Answers will vary.



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