

UNIT 4: BUILDING SUPPLIES

LESSON 1



ACTIVITY 1: Read these extracts from suppliers' websites and match extracts 1-6 to photos A-F.

1 Thomson's Aggregates: _____

We offer a wide range of construction aggregates, including gravel and sand. We also stock concrete mix.

2 Watson's Goods Ltd: _____

We specialise in acoustic, thermal and fire protection insulation for walls and floors.

3 Morris and Sons Ltd: _____

Our timber comes in a range of standard sizes, but can also be made to order. It is perfect for flooring, roofing and general building work. We also stock plywood and chipboard.

4 Williams Brothers: _____

We design, produce and install high quality steel staircases, gates and railings made to your specifications. We also have a range of standard products.

5 Shockingly Good!: _____

We supply a wide range of electrical products, cables, alarm systems, plugs, sockets, conduits (PVC and steel) and other electrical fittings.

6 Penter's Paint Supplies: _____

We supply everything you need to paint, including brushes, rollers, clothing, spray equipment and, of course, paint.



ACTIVITY 2: Drag and drop the words above the correct picture.

PLUGS

SAND AND GRAVEL

PLYWOOD

CONCRETE MIX

CHIPBOARD



FIRE PROTECTION
INSULATION

ALARM SYSTEM

ROLLERS

PVC CONDUITS

SOCKETS



ACTIVITY 3: Choose ONE thing these suppliers sell.

1. Penter's Paint Supplies _____
2. Thomson's Aggregates _____
3. Williams Brothers _____
4. Watson's Goods Ltd _____
5. Shockingly Good! _____
6. Morris and Sons Ltd _____

ACTIVITY 4: Choose the best word to complete the word pairs.

1. acoustic

a) gravel

b) insulation

c) work

2. Concrete

a) insulation

b) mix

c) equipment

3. Construction

a) sizes

b) railings

c) aggregate

4. Electrical

a) aggregate

b) fittings

c) sizes

5. Thermal

a) insulation

b) sizes

c) gates

6. Alarm

a) systems

b) aggregate

c) mix

7. steel

a) insulation

b) mix

c) staircase