

The Perfect Thing



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Look at the pictures. What do you think?

- A What do you think Amy wants?
- B What do you think her mum is saying?
- C Where do you think Gran is?
- D What do you think has happened?
- E Do you think Amy will find what she wants?
- F Do you like shopping for clothes?



Who says it?

A = Amy M = Mum G = Gran

Please can I have money to buy something new? ☐ A

You will have to ask your gran. ☐

I just want to go home, but I can't go home with nothing. ☐

I know the perfect thing for you to wear. ☐

Yes! Oh Gran - you are so clever! ☐

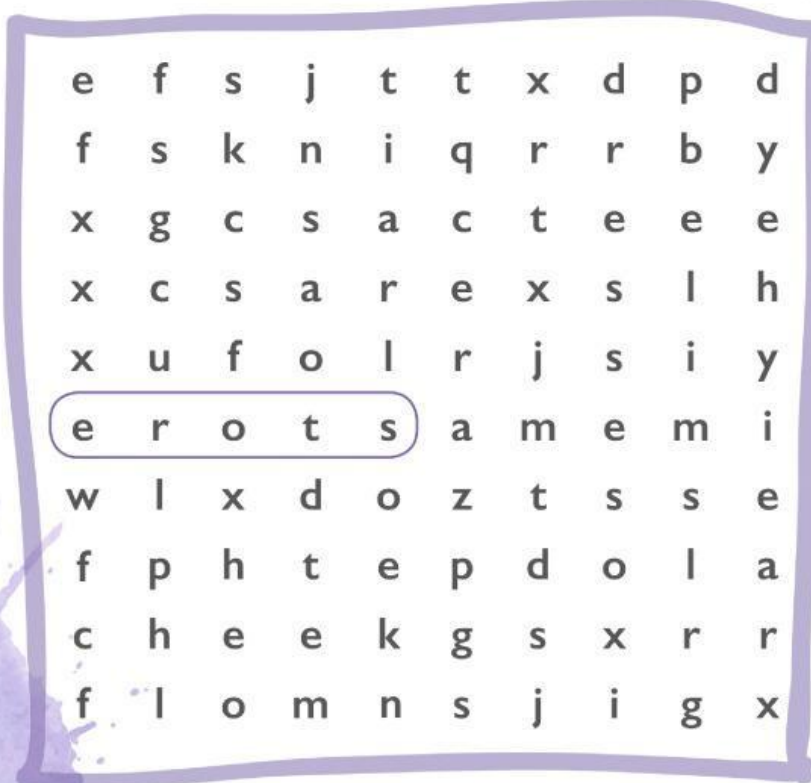
I want something special, Gran. ☐

We will keep going until we find your special thing. ☐

It's the perfect thing! ☐

You are going out in that? ☐

Find and circle the words. Then label the pictures.



store



Choose and circle the correct word.

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- 2 You will **must**/have to ask your gran.
- 3 We **could**/couldn't have a very long day ahead us.
- 4 You **must**/can't have some idea.
- 5 I **can't**/have go home with nothing
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Order the story.



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Amy tried on blue clothes on the first floor.

Amy began to cry because she couldn't find anything special to wear.

Amy's gran told Amy she already had something very special.

Amy's mum said she didn't have money for Amy to buy new clothes.

Amy's gran took her shopping.

Amy's mum was surprised that Amy hadn't bought any new clothes.

Amy told her mum that her smile was the perfect thing to have for the party.

Amy tried on clothes on the other floors.



Draw a cover.



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Answer Sheet

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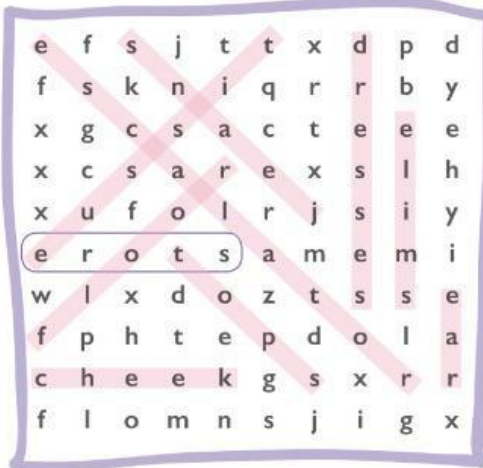
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dresses



jeans



tops



tissue



escalator



smile



floor



cheek



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