27 Money

A Money in shops

You go into a shop to **buy** three books. They **cost** £9.50 **each**, so a **total** of £28.50. You think you have some **cash** (**notes** and **coins**) in your **wallet**, but when you look, you haven't got **enough** money with you to **pay in cash**, so you **pay by card**.

cash

notes

coins

debit card

wallet

purses

GLOSSARY

buy *pt* **bought**	give money to get sth
cost *pt* **cost**	How much does it **cost**? = How much is it?
(£9.50) each	(£9.50) for one
total	the number you have when you add everything together
enough	(sounds like *stuff*) as much or as many as you need
pay *pt* **paid**	give sb money for sth. You **pay in** *cash*, but **pay by** *debit/credit card*.
debit card	If you use a **debit card**, the money comes out of your **bank account** (where you put money in and take it out).
credit card	A **credit card** is a bank card you use to buy sth and pay for it later.

SPOTLIGHT amounts of money

£10.99 *ten **pounds** ninety-nine (pence) / ten ninety-nine*
€5.30 *five **euros** thirty (cents) / five thirty*
- *a one-**pound** coin*
- *a ten-**dollar** note* (NOT ~~*a ten-dollars note*~~)

1 True or false? Write *T* or *F*.

▶ You can pay for things in cash or by credit or debit card. T

1 If you pay in cash, you use coins and notes. .....
2 If you buy two things for £30 each, the total is £30. .....
3 If a cake costs $5 and you have a ten-dollar note, you haven't got enough. .....
4 You can put a debit card in a wallet. .....
5 Things cost more if you pay in cash. .....
6 When you pay by debit card, the money comes from your bank account. .....
7 The past tense of *cost* is *cost*. .....

2 Complete the sentences using a word from the box.

cost | coins | cash | enough | -dollar | purse | total | dollars | credit card | bought ✓ | each

▶ She bought a new car yesterday.

1 I paid in ..... .
2 I put the notes in my ..... .
3 I paid by ..... .
4 I've got a few notes and ..... .
5 The ticket ..... €50.
6 I need a ten ..... note.
7 It cost five ..... twenty.
8 That's a ..... of £100.
9 Have you got ..... money?
10 The peaches cost 50c ..... .

3 ABOUT YOU Write your answers, or ask another student.

1 Do you always have a lot of cash with you? Why? / Why not? .....
2 Where do you keep your money when you go out? .....
3 Do you have enough money with you today to buy a coffee? A book? Some jewellery? .....
4 Do you pay at the supermarket in cash or by debit/credit card? .....

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GLOSSARY

sell *pt* **sold**	give sth to sb who pays you money for it OPP **buy** *pt* **bought**
price	the money you have to pay for sth
spend money (on sth) *pt* **spent**	pay money for sth
free	If sth is **free**, you don't pay for it.
bill	a piece of paper which shows how much you must pay
online	on the internet
save	If you **save** £40 on a bill, you pay £40 less.
earn	get money by working
win *pt* **won**	get money or a prize, often because you are better than others or lucky
prize	sth that you give to a person who wins a game, race, etc.
sale	a time when a shop sells sth for less money than usual
product	sth that people make or grow to sell
(50%) off	50% (= 50 **per cent**) taken off the normal price

4 Circle the correct answer.

▶ They're going to sell a new *product* / *price*.
1 What's the *price* / *bill* of these shoes?
2 I don't *spend* / *buy* a lot on food.
3 I bought ten boxes and *earned* / *saved* £3.
4 I *won* / *earned* £100 in a card game.
5 The *prize* / *price* of the classes was $400.
6 I bought this table *online* / *free*.
7 Doctors can *win* / *earn* a lot of money.
8 I *bought* / *sold* my old car and got a new one.
9 She paid the restaurant *bill* / *price*.
10 The shoes are 15% *out* / *off*.

5 Cover the glossary and write the past simple forms.

▶ pay paid
1 buy .....
2 spend .....
3 sell .....
4 earn .....
5 win .....
6 save .....

6 Complete the questions with a word from the glossary.

▶ How much do you spend on food every week?
1 Do you ever shop ..... ?
2 Do you pay restaurant ..... in cash?
3 Is water ..... in restaurants?
4 What's the ..... of a litre of milk?
5 Do you often buy things cheaper in a ..... ?
6 Do women ..... more than men?
7 What kind of ..... do men buy a lot?
8 Have you ever won a ..... ?

ABOUT YOU AND YOUR COUNTRY

7 ABOUT YOU AND YOUR COUNTRY **Write your answers to the questions in Exercise 6, or ask another student.**

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