

USE OF ENGLISH PART 2

Open Cloze

For questions 1–10, think of ONE word which best fits each gap.



Shopping for Clothes

Many people enjoy shopping for clothes, but they do not all shop in the same way. Some prefer buying things in large supermarkets, while others would rather look (1) _____ small market stalls or shop online.

Although shopping online is convenient, customers cannot usually try clothes (2) _____ before buying them. As a result, they sometimes have to send items back if they do not fit properly.

One advantage of shopping in a traditional shop is (3) _____ customers can ask the staff for advice and compare different sizes before making a decision. Many people also enjoy looking around, even (4) _____ they do not intend to buy anything.

Some shoppers are attracted by special offers because they hope to save money. However, buying something simply because it is cheap is not always a good idea. People often realise later that they should (5) _____ bought something more useful instead.

Nowadays, many customers read online reviews before deciding (6) _____ buy a product. Positive comments from other buyers can make people feel more confident.

Good shops also make (7) _____ easy for customers to exchange unsuitable items. This means that shoppers are more likely to return in the future.

Whether people buy clothes online or in a shop, the most important thing is choosing something (8) _____ fits well and is comfortable to wear.

Many experienced shoppers believe (9) _____ quality is more important than price, especially if they want clothes that will last for years.

After all, there is no point (10) _____ buying something that you will never wear.