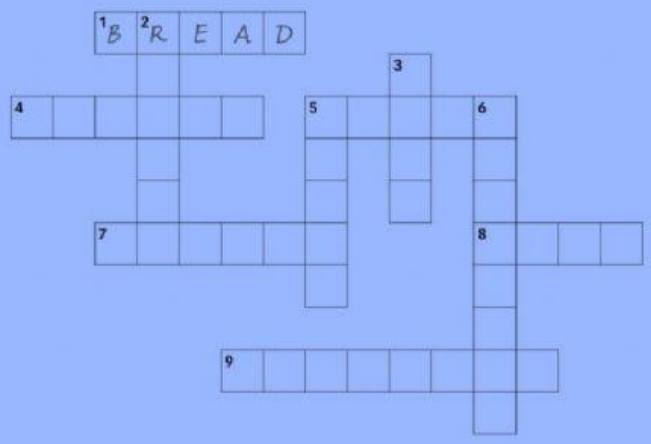
Navigate ELM Unit 5.1 Shopping

1 Complete the crossword.



Across ▶

1 You get it at the baker's.
4 You buy things at a shopping _____.
5 You do this with money.
7 On the internet.
8 Money.
9 You buy one at the newsagent's.

Down ▼

2 You can usually _____ something you don't like to a shop.
3 The butcher's sells this.
5 A time when shops sell things at low prices.
6 There's a 20% _____ on everything today.

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2 Choose the correct options to complete the article.

Shopping past and present

A few years ago you could drive to the centre of an American town, look at what was in the shops, get help from a shop assistant, and pay for things with [1] *cash / sales*. Today there are small food shops in some town centres, but most people don't buy their meat from a local [2] *newsagent's / butcher's*, their daily newspaper from the local [3] *newsagent's / discount* or their bread from the local [4] *baker's / shopping centre*. They prefer to [5] *spend / cash* their money in big supermarkets or [6] *sales / shopping centres*, or they shop from home.

Now people do more and more shopping [7] *centres / online*. In 2012, it was 22% of food shopping and 37% of shopping for clothes, but every year it's more. Around 71% of American men and 66% of American women shop on the internet. It's very easy to find big [8] *cash / discounts* and save money. You don't need to stand outside and wait for shops to open in the [9] *sales / discounts*, and you can [10] *return / spend* things that you don't like.

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