

Reading

8 Read the blog post. Are these statements True (T) or False (F)?

Cyber Monday

Today is Cyber Monday here in the United States. No, it's not the name of a science fiction story. It's a day when there are special offers on shopping websites. More than 100 million people do online shopping on Cyber Monday and they spend nearly 2 billion dollars.

I'm not a fan of shopping and I hate the shopping centre. There are a lot of people and a lot of noise. But it's different on the Internet. You can look at different websites calmly and compare prices, all from your living room. If you surf the Internet, you can find what you want quickly and it's easy to pay. People don't need to worry about cash or change – you can pay with your credit card. Your shopping usually arrives at your house the next day.

Today I'm looking for a new top. There are lots of sweatshirts but not many jumpers. I want a jumper because it's autumn now and it's getting cold. I've got one jumper in my 'favourites' page but I'm waiting before I buy it. It's 20 dollars at the moment but I think I can get it for 10 dollars. Let's see ...

- 1 Cyber Monday is a science fiction story.
- 2 People spend a lot of money on Cyber Monday.
- 3 The writer likes going shopping.
- 4 The writer thinks online shopping is convenient.
- 5 You can pay for online shopping with cash.
- 6 The writer wants to buy a new sweatshirt.

9 Read the blog post again. Choose the correct alternative.

- 1 What can you get on Cyber Monday?
online shopping / special offers
- 2 How much do people spend on Cyber Monday?
nearly 100 million dollars / nearly 2 billion dollars
- 3 Why doesn't the writer like shopping?
She doesn't like the people. / She doesn't like the Internet.
- 4 How long does your shopping take to arrive?
one day / more than a day
- 5 Why does the writer want to buy a jumper?
because it's cold now / because she's got a lot of sweatshirts
- 6 How much is the top at the moment?
10 dollars / 20 dollars