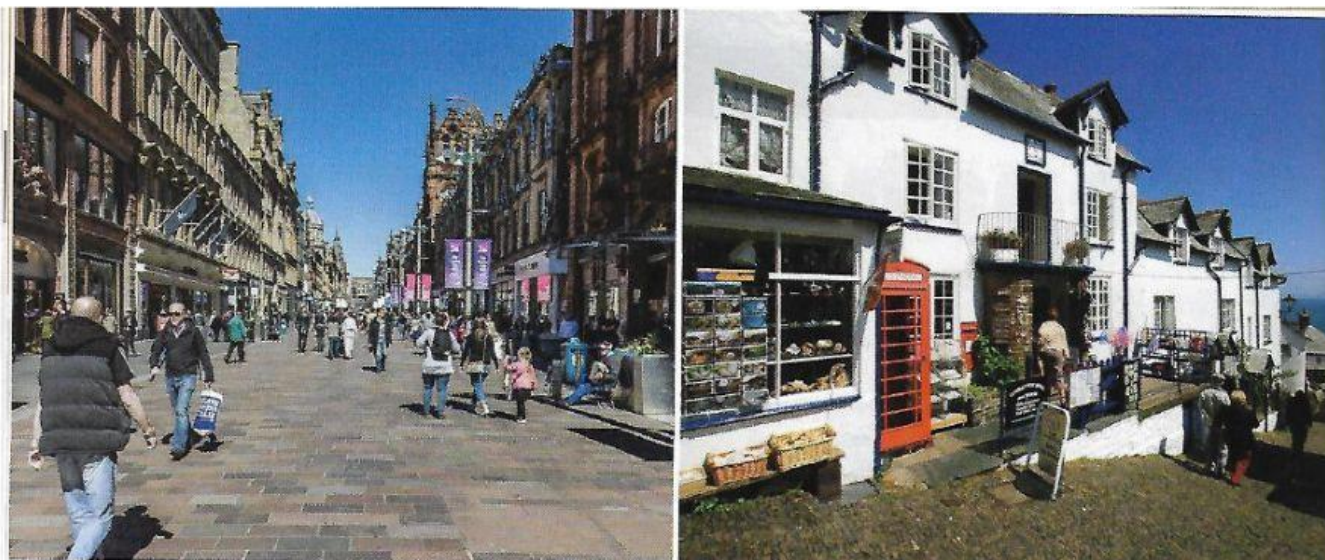




1) Do you enjoy shopping? Is it easy to shop in a big city? What is the difference between shopping in a big city and a small town?

2) Listen to the interview. What is the girl's opinion?

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3) Listen again and complete the sentences.

- Imagine it was difficult to _____ living in a big city!
- It took a while to _____ all the noise and the traffic.
- Now, I _____ loads of different types of shops.
- It's the price of things that I _____.
- My mum _____ so much for vegetables.
- Also, I _____ the crowds you get in shops here.
- A lot of shop assistants in London _____ late.
- You _____ it all the time!

4) Find phrases in Number 3 that mean:

- 1 become familiar with
- 2 be familiar with
- 3 be unable to become familiar with
- 4 not be familiar with

5) Complete the text with the correct form of BE USED TO or GET USED TO.

For example:

My mom **is used to** feeding my dog every day.

Some teachers **were not used to** being in front of the computer.

This year, I **got used to** making video calls every day.

My dad can't **get used to** not driving around.

I'm from Spain and I came to live in the UK a few months ago. I'm a shopaholic and I love shopping, but it's taken me a while to (1) shopping here. I live in a village and the shops close at 5.30 p.m. I (2) that because in Spain they're open much later and I (3) being able to go shopping after work. I can't do that now, so I have to either shop online or wait until the weekend

Another thing I (4) is the prices because they're much higher in the UK. I think it might take me ages to (5) shopping without comparing how much I'd spend on a similar item back home. The sizes are different too, so I can't just walk into a shop and pick something up without trying it like I (6) !

6) Find and correct the mistakes in these sentences.

- 1 I still haven't got used to get up so early for my new job.
- 2 Sue didn't think she'd like living on her own but she used to it now.
- 3 I got used to do all my shopping online when I moved to a small village a long way from any big shops.
- 4 Antonio says it's too difficult to be used to the British weather, so he's going back to Portugal.
- 5 Jen didn't used to getting so much attention from the media. It's all new to her and she hates it.
- 6 It took me ages to be used to living in a big city but I love it now.