

## Shops and Shopping

### Different kinds of shops

Match these shops with what you buy in them:

greengrocer's

baker's

butcher's

chemist's

ironmonger's

florist's

off-licence

newsagent's

1. Meat \_\_\_\_\_
2. Flowers \_\_\_\_\_
3. Bread and cakes \_\_\_\_\_
4. Magazines and newspapers \_\_\_\_\_
5. Fruit and vegetables \_\_\_\_\_
6. Wine and spirits \_\_\_\_\_
7. Medicine \_\_\_\_\_
8. Tools, nails, candles, etc. \_\_\_\_\_

Which of these is not the correct name for a shop? \_\_\_\_\_

bookshop

shoe shop

sweet shop

meat shop

pet shop

gift shop

Which are the British equivalents for these:

candy store

\_\_\_\_\_

drugstore

\_\_\_\_\_

liquor store

\_\_\_\_\_

### Supermarkets

Complete the following using these words

aisle

checkout

baskets

plastic bag

organic

trolley

1. I hate carrying those wire \_\_\_\_\_ I use a \_\_\_\_\_ at the supermarkets.
2. I think working on a \_\_\_\_\_ must be a really boring job.
3. If everyone uses one \_\_\_\_\_ every time they go shopping, that's an awful lot of pollution.
4. Could you tell me where the coffee is, please?  
Third \_\_\_\_\_ on the right.
5. Excuse me, are these potatoes \_\_\_\_\_?  
No, the \_\_\_\_\_ section is over there, sir.

### Shopping expressions

Who would say each of these – the customer or the shop assistant. Write **Customer** or **Shop assistant**

1. Can I help you? \_\_\_\_\_
2. No, thank you. I'm just looking. \_\_\_\_\_
3. Are you being served? \_\_\_\_\_
4. Your receipt's in the bag \_\_\_\_\_
5. OK, thank you. I'll take it \_\_\_\_\_
6. Thank you. I think I'll leave it for now \_\_\_\_\_

### Complete the dialogues using the following verb phrases:

keep the receipt	make a list	got this
get a refund	try this on	pick up a bargain

1. "I have to go to the supermarket later. Is there anything you want?"  
"Yes, lots of things. Why don't you \_\_\_\_\_ so you don't forget anything?"
2. "I really need a new coat."  
"Well, wait till after Christmas. You \_\_\_\_\_ in the sales."

3. "Can I \_\_\_\_\_,?"  
"Certainly, the changing rooms are over there."

4. "I don't believe it! I've only had this alarm clock for three weeks and it's broken."  
"Well, why don't you take it back and see if you can \_\_\_\_\_."

5. "Have you \_\_\_\_\_ in dark blue?"  
"I'm afraid not."  
"Never mind. I'll take the black, then."

### Cost and price

It's a good idea to learn the words that collocate with the nouns cost and price. Complete the phrases below with either **cost** or **price**.

1. Half \_\_\_\_\_
2. Total \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_ tag
4. \_\_\_\_\_ of living
5. Two for the \_\_\_\_\_ of one
6. \_\_\_\_\_ list
7. Fair \_\_\_\_\_
8. Included at no extra \_\_\_\_\_

Now use some of the phrases in the following

1. "Do you miss living in London?"  
"No, not really, because \_\_\_\_\_"
2. "That's a nice jacket. Is it new?"  
"Yes, I bought it \_\_\_\_\_ in the sales."
3. "Why did you get two packets of coffee?"  
"It was a special offer - \_\_\_\_\_."