

Shops and Shopping

There are different kinds of shops. Some of them sell bread. Others have tea, sugar, coffee, butter, cheese, sausages, meal and fruit.

When we want to buy something, we take our shopping bag and go to a shop. There we can see shop assistants who sell things and help us.

Many people do their shopping at the market. There the farmers sell the vegetables and fruit which they grow themselves. They sell meat, milk and other things, too.

Large shops with many departments are department stores. In these stores we can buy almost all we want. In the windows we see all the things which they sell there-food, suits, dresses, coats, boots, shoes, radio and TV sets and many other things.

Shops are very important on our life.

In the past there were no supermarkets, but there were a lot of small shops.

Fifty years ago people went to the shops almost every day. They went to the butcher's to buy meat. They went to the grocer's for tea, sugar, flour and cheese. They bought butter and milk at the dairy. They bought bread at the baker's. They got fruit and vegetables at the greengrocer's. Customers pointed to all the packets, bottles, boxes, cans, cartons, jars and tins they wanted to buy.

Choose the correct answers:

1. We can buy the milk at the butcher's.
A. Yes
B. No
2. In the past there were many supermarkets.
A. Yes
B. No

3. Where can we find different shops?
 - A. In the market
 - B. In the department store
4. The person who buys a product is called a.....
 - A. customer
 - B. shop assistant
5. The Person who works in the shops and help people is called.....
 - A. manager
 - B. shop assistant
 - C. customer
6. Where can we buy the bread?
 - A. At the bakery
 - B. At the greengrocer's
 - C. At the butcher's
7. Cheese, milk, butter, ice-cream are.....
 - A. Dairy products
 - B. Meat products
 - C. Sweet products
8. At greengrocer's you can buy:
 - A. meat
 - B. fruit and vegetables
 - C. bread