

Vocabulary 2 shopping; phrasal verbs (1)

1 Choose the correct option to complete the sentences.

- Oh no, I haven't got enough *cash* / *receipt* to pay for my train ticket. Can you lend me some until we get home?
- I think you should buy that coat. At that price, it's a *label* / *bargain*.
- The assistant was quite rude to the *label* / *customer*.
- If you're not sure how to wash it, just have a look at the *receipt* / *label*.
- I need to take this shirt back to the shop and change it, but I can't find the *label* / *receipt*.
- We've just booked a holiday and paid for it on our *label* / *credit card*.

2 Complete the text with these words.

bargain cash credit card customer
label receipt

I'm probably not an easy ¹ _____ because I'm always looking for the best possible price. I know that everybody likes to find a ² _____, but for me it's the most important thing. I never look at the ³ _____ to check what the material is or where it's made.

When I've finally decided what to buy, I always pay with ⁴ _____ because I haven't got a ⁵ _____. But when I get home, I sometimes decide I don't like the T-shirt or jeans I've just bought. That's why I always keep the ⁶ _____ because I'll need it to take the item back to the shop.

3 Look at the definitions on the right and complete the verbs (1-8) with the correct preposition.

- shop _____ look for clothes in different places
- find _____ discover something
- pick _____ take something in your hands
- look _____ check something with your eyes
- wear _____ damage something by using it a lot
- pay _____ give money for something
- go _____ look good with other clothes
- try _____ see if clothes look good on you

4 Use the correct form of the verbs in Exercise 3 to complete the text.

I hardly ever buy something in the first shop I go in. I like to ¹ _____ for a few hours until I see something I really like. I also like to ² _____ what's on offer in different shops. I often go to the shopping centre with my friends. We always touch and ³ _____ the clothes because we want to feel the quality of the material. I don't want to buy something that is going to ⁴ _____ within a few weeks. I also ⁵ _____ the label to check the material and see where it's made. I enjoy ⁶ _____ the clothes to see if they fit and look good, but it takes me a long time to decide if I like them. I also think about the clothes I've got at home and make sure I've got something that will ⁷ _____ the new clothes. When I'm happy with my choice, I go and ⁸ _____ my items. I always keep the receipt because sometimes I change my mind and I want to take the clothes back to the shop.

