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Read and complete. Then listen and check.

haggle   browse   price   experiences   vendor   expensive

## Shopping Is Fun!

Not everyone enjoys shopping. But, for those that do enjoy it, there are different shopping <sup>1</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ around the world. Some people like to <sup>2</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ and buy things for the cheapest price. Others just like to <sup>3</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ and not buy anything. For some, shopping is the chance to dress up as a character when they visit their favorite store.

### How to shop in Chatuchak Market, Bangkok

Chatuchak Market is a great place to bargain. Everyone bargains here. When you bargain, you try to pay a lower <sup>4</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ for something. Here's an example. You want to buy a hat. The hat costs \$20. You say to the vendor, the person who sells the hat, "I want to pay \$10." The <sup>5</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ says, "That's too cheap. How about \$15?" You say, "Definitely not! That's still too <sup>6</sup>\_\_\_\_\_." How about \$12?" The vendor says, "OK, \$12." Because you bargained, you just paid \$8 less for the hat! Bargaining is a good skill to have when you shop in some places. You can buy things for less money, and this means you can buy more things.



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Read 17 again and circle T for true or F for false.

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| 1 Everyone loves to shop.                               | T | F |
| 2 There are lots of different shopping experiences.     | T | F |
| 3 When you browse, you don't buy anything.              | T | F |
| 4 You can't bargain at Chatuchak Market.                | T | F |
| 5 When you bargain, you want to pay less for something. | T | F |
| 6 Bargaining isn't a useful skill.                      | T | F |

How did I do?



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