

**TASK 2: Work individually. Then compare your answer with your partner.**

A corner shop or a convenience shop is a British tradition. (1) \_\_\_\_\_. We can find a corner shop at the end of a local street in many neighbourhoods in towns and cities across the UK. The corner shop (2) \_\_\_\_\_ and simple food and drinks like snacks, groceries, coffee, and soft drinks. It also sells newspapers, magazines, and cigarettes.

Convenience stores are originally from America. They are like the British corner shops. The only difference is that convenience stores are often open 24 hours. (3) \_\_\_\_\_. You can find a convenience store at any residential area, a filling station, a railway station, or alongside a busy road.

Today, there are convenience stores all over the world. Each country has its own brand of convenience stores as well as the global brand 7-Eleven.

Both corner shops and convenience stores (4) \_\_\_\_\_, but they are much more convenient.

- A. It is a small retail shop
- B. Probably the most well-known convenience store is 7-Eleven
- C. sells all kinds of household goods
- D. sell things at higher prices than the supermarket