

## **BLACK FRIDAY**

### **Lower Intermediate**

#### **1) Discussion**

- Do you like shopping?
- Where do you like to go shopping?
- Do you prefer to buy online or in physical stores?
- Do you like to buy stuff during sales season?
- What's the best bargain you've ever gotten?

#### **2) Watch the video. Then, answer the following questions**

- When is Black Friday?
- When does the Christmas shopping season begin?
- Why do some people get excited about Black Friday?
- What time do some stores open?
- What do people want to buy on Black Friday?
- What can happen when people get too excited on Black Friday?
- What is 'in the red' and 'in the black'?
- How did Black Friday get its name?

#### **3) Matching**

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| 1. Bright      | A. full of people, crowded                                |
| 2. Hurt        | B. doing something with force and sometimes violence      |
| 3. Packed      | C. in my opinion, what I think                            |
| 4. Decorations | D. many people in one place                               |
| 5. Interrupt   | E. a time when the price of something is lower than usual |
| 6. Shop        | F. giving out a lot of light, shining                     |
| 7. Aggressive  | G. to stop something before it is finished                |
| 8. Save        | H. to keep something, like money, to use later            |
| 9. Crowd       | I. things used to make something more attractive          |
| 10. Personally | J. to visit a store or website to buy something           |
| 11. Sale       | K. damage to your body, injury, harm                      |

**4) Words in context. Use the words from the exercise above in order to fill in the gaps in the following sentences.**

*Use the words from the vocabulary box to complete the following sentences. You may need to modify the tense or word form.*

1. If you want to buy a new bicycle this summer you will need to \_\_\_\_\_ your money.
2. It is not nice to \_\_\_\_\_ your teacher while she is talking.
3. I like to \_\_\_\_\_ online. It is easy and things I buy are sent right to my house!
4. That shoe store is having a big \_\_\_\_\_. The price for shoes is very low right now.
5. His mother got angry with him because he was being \_\_\_\_\_ to his little brother and made him cry.
6. Be careful when you ride your bike. You might fall down and \_\_\_\_\_ yourself.
7. The sun is so \_\_\_\_\_ today! I need my sunglasses.
8. \_\_\_\_\_, I think jazz music is the best !
9. There was a big \_\_\_\_\_ of people waiting for the store to open on Black Friday.
10. There are many colorful \_\_\_\_\_ all around the front of the store during the Christmas shopping season. 11. The store was so \_\_\_\_\_ with shoppers on Black Friday that I could not even go inside!

