

Exercise 7

Read the information. Then match the sentences with the reasons or results.

In more complex conversations and talks, speakers may need to explain the reason why something happened, and the effect that something had. Identifying how speakers do this can help you when you are completing a note-taking task.

That's why it lost a lot of business that year, and many shops closed down.

This has resulted in more people shopping on Saturday evenings.

The conclusion they reached is that this type of shop is no longer profitable.

They assumed that this would attract a different type of customer.

They did this after gathering information from nearby residents.

1. Fewer people went to the mall in 2015.
2. New laws prevented supermarkets from being open on Sundays.
3. The developers decided to build the new mall nearer the motorway.
4. The clothes store started selling more designer clothes.
5. A well-known chain selling DVDs and CDs is going to close down.