



STORES AND SHOPPING



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Stores

Match the stores below to the things that you can buy there.

a bakery

a butcher shop

a clothes store

a convenience store

a fish store

a grocery store

a jewelry store

a liquor store

an electronics store

an optical store

a stationery store

a drugstore

1. aspirin, antibiotics, a band aid, toothpaste: a drugstore
2. fresh bread, pastries: _____
3. a newspaper, bread, vegetables, a light bulb: _____
4. paper, pens, a stapler, a folder: _____
5. carrots, tomatoes, milk, a cucumber: _____
6. beef, chicken breasts, lamb: _____
7. fresh salmon, fresh tuna, shrimp: _____
8. beer, wine, whiskey: _____
9. a microwave oven, a digital camera, a laptop: _____
10. eye glasses, contact lenses: _____
11. a watch, a ring, a bracelet: _____
12. jeans, a jacket, boots, shirts, a dress: _____



2 Quantities

Match the columns to form phrases.

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| 1. a pair of | a. Coca Cola, beer |
| 2. a pound of | b. eye glasses, contact lenses |
| 3. a bottle of | c. milk, orange juice |
| 4. a can of | d. tomatoes, beef |
| 5. a carton of | e. wine, whiskey, water |

In pairs, have a conversation about the items in Exercise 1. For example:

A: Where can I buy a carton of ...?

B: You can buy it in a

3 People in stores

Match the people to what they do:

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| 1. a cashier | a. buys products in a store |
| 2. a customer | b. cuts and prepares meat for customers |
| 3. a sales clerk | c. manages a store |
| 4. a storekeeper | d. owns and manages a small store |
| 5. a butcher | e. serves customers in a store |
| 6. the manager | f. takes payments and gives receipts in a store or bank |
| 7. a security guard | g. watches customers and makes sure that they don't steal anything |

4 Describing stores

Complete the sentences:

convenient crowded empty exclusive fresh open slow expensive

1. I don't have enough money to shop there. It's too expensive .
2. Shopping malls are really _____ . You can find everything you need.
3. It took ages to pay for my shopping. The service was really _____ .
4. I prefer to buy food in a market because it's very _____ .
5. This store is very _____ - it sells clothes only for rich people.
6. You can shop at my local convenience store any time of the day or night. It's always _____ .
7. This store is completely _____ - there's nobody here.
8. This store is really _____ - there are too many people.



5 Talking point

Discuss any of the questions below:

1. What stores are in your neighborhood?
2. Do you like shopping malls? Why/why not?
3. What is your favorite store? Why?
4. What is your least favorite store? Why?
5. Where do you prefer to shop? In small stores? In supermarkets? Why?

6 Shopping expressions

Complete the dialogues below with the questions and sentences. Read the dialogue in pairs.

Can I have a half pound?

Can I have a receipt, please?

Can I try on this jacket?

Do you sell tea?

How much is that beef?

No thanks, I'm just looking.

Do you have them in a size 8?

That's everything

Where can I find the vegetables?

Customer: I like these shoes. Do you have them in a size 8?

Sales clerk: Yes, we do. Would you like to try them on?

Customer: Yes, please.

Customer: _____²

Butcher: It's 5 dollars a pound.

Customer: Fine. _____³

Butcher: Sure. Here you are. Anything else?

Customer: No, thanks. _____⁴.

Sales clerk: Do you need any help?

Customer: _____⁵

Sales clerk: OK. I'm here if you need me.

Customer: Thanks.

Customer: Excuse me. _____⁶

Sales clerk: Over there, next to the fruit section.

Customer: Hi. _____⁷

Sales clerk: Sure. The changing rooms are over there.



Cashier: That's 50 dollars, please.

Customer: Here you are. _____⁸

Cashier: Sure. Just a second.

Customer: Hello. _____⁹

storekeeper: No we don't, I'm afraid. We only have coffee.

In pairs, read the dialogues.

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Practice

You are shopping in a large supermarket. Read the situations below. What do you say to the staff?

1. You want to know if it is possible to buy coffee.
2. You see a shirt that you like. You want to see how it looks on you.
3. You see a pair of boots that you like. Ask if they have your size.
4. You see a digital camera. Ask how much it costs.
5. The sales clerk asks if you need any help. You don't need help.
6. You want to buy some strawberries. About half a pound.
7. You are looking for fruit juice.
8. You want to know if it is possible to buy printing paper.
9. You see a pair of sandals that you like. Ask if they have your size.
10. You pay for your groceries but the cashier forgets to give you a receipt.