

Lesson 06: Shopping



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Warm-up questions:

Do you enjoy shopping? How often do you go shopping?
Where do you usually go shopping? With whom do you go?
Do you like online shopping? What is your favorite website?
Describe the last time you went shopping.

Vocabulary/Expressions:

- Bargain
- Overpriced
- Underpriced
- Shipping and handling
- Window shopping
- Counterfeit
- Budget
- Spontaneous spending
- Monthly payment

Expressions(shopping/bargaining):

- How much is...?
- What's the asking price?
- Do you have any promotional event going on?
- Do you have this in black/white/small/large?
- If you give me a discount, I will buy it.
- If I buy this, can you throw in....?

Discussion Questions:

1. How long do you usually shop for? Do you try to get your shopping done as fast as possible?
2. Think about the most expensive thing you have ever bought. Was it worth what you paid for it?
3. Do you prefer to shop alone or with other people? What are the advantages and disadvantages of each?
4. Are you a *bargain hunter*? Do you get excited about sales and discounts? When are the best sales in your country?
5. Which do you prefer? Buying things for yourself or for other people?
6. If you were to open your own shop, what kinds of things would you like to sell?
7. Do you care where products are made? Do you prefer to buy things which are made in your own country? Why or why not?
8. Have you been shopping abroad? Which are the best cities for shopping?