

VOCABULARY: TALKING ABOUT SHOPPING

Fill in the blanks with the words in the box below:

(1)	(2)	cash	(3)	fit	(4)	(5)	than
reasonable	check		tight	discount		as	
cheap	credit card		baggy	tip		for	
expensive				tax			

(1) The price:

If something costs a lot of money then it is _____. But if it's on sale then it is usually _____. A _____ price is the price that you would expect to pay for something.

(2) Payment:

When you pay for something, if you have enough money in your pocket you can pay with _____. If you don't, you can put it on your _____ or write a _____.

(3) Sizes:

If you have gained some weight, your clothes might be a little _____. On the other hand, if you have lost some weight, they _____.

might be a little _____. If your clothes _____, then they are not too big and they are not too small.

(4) The Bill:

When you go to a restaurant, it is nice to get a _____. It's also nice to get service. But if the service isn't good, then you don't have to leave a _____. In some countries, when you order food you also have to pay a _____.

(5) Comparison Shopping:

Forty dollars _____ a meal is a little expensive. Of course, there are some restaurants that are much more pricey _____ that. On the other hand, there are some really good restaurants that are not as costly _____ that.



EXPRESSIONS: TALKING ABOUT SHOPPING**(A) (MONEY) FOR (SOMETHING)**

What do you think is cheap?

(1) *Ten dollars for a shirt is cheap.*

(2)

What do you think is expensive?

(1)

(2)

What do you think is a reasonable price to pay for a pair of shoes?

(1)

What do you think is a reasonable price to pay for a dinner with a date?

(2)

(B) BE (ADJECTIVE)+ER THAN

Make three sentences using some of the following adjectives:

cheap easy healthy roomy high spicy

fast big safe tight low cozy

(1) Fish is *healthier than* beef or pork.

(2)

(3)

(C) BE MORE (ADJECTIVE) THAN

Make three sentences using some of the following adjectives:

delicious important reliable affordable environmentally

filling powerful durable compact friendly

comfortable

(1) Compact cars are *more environmentally friendly* than gas guzzlers.

(2)

(3)

(D) BE NOT AS (ADJECTIVE) AS

Using any adjectives from (B) and (C) above, make three sentences:

(1) Motels are *not as expensive as* hotels.

(2)

(3)

VOCABULARY: COMPARING PRODUCTS

(1) If something is _____ than you have enough money to buy it.

(a) affordable (b) cheap (c) expensive

(2) A _____ product is one that lasts for a long time.

(a) powerful (b) environmentally friendly
(c) durable

(3) When you buy software you want something that is _____.

(a) unreliable (b) easy to install (c) roomy

(4) If a building has a lot of space than we say it is _____.

- (a) comfortable (b) roomy (c) tight

(5) When you wear stylish clothing, you are _____.

- (a) fashionable (b) snobby (c) cozy

(6) A _____ friend is a friend who doesn't break their promises.

- (a) powerful (b) important (c) reliable

(7) When your clothes are too _____, maybe you need to go on a diet.

- (a) comfortable (b) baggy (c) tight

(8) A _____ blanket is very comfortable.

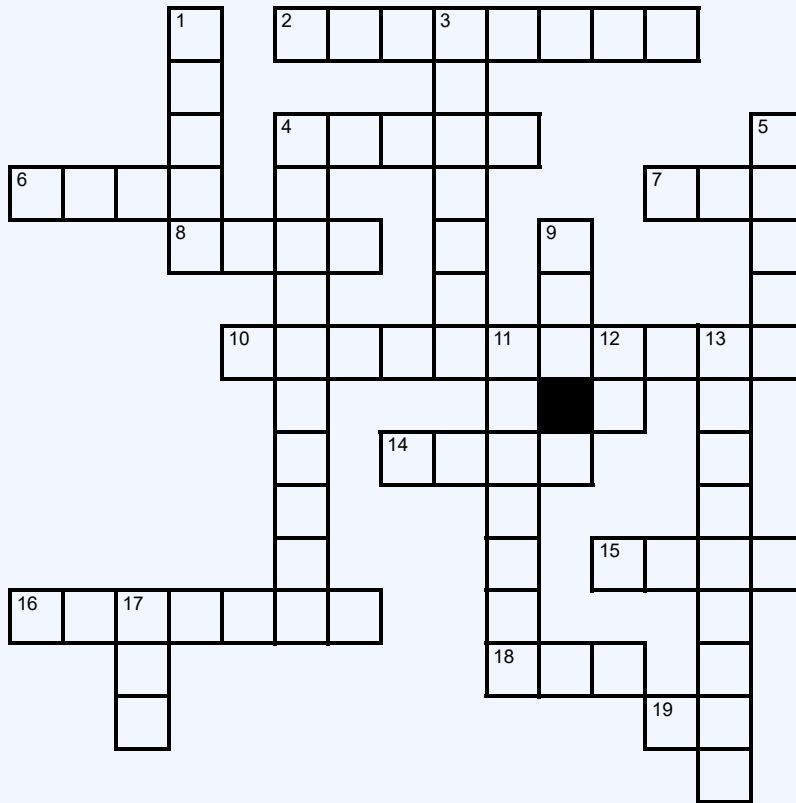
- (a) tight (b) cozy (c) itchy

WRITING: EDITING

WHAT ARE THEY SAYING?



VOCABULARY REVIEW: SHOPPING CROSSWORD



Across:

2. If an item is on sale you get a _____.
4. Has lots of space.
6. Money that you carry on you.
7. \$700.00 _____ a pair of pants.

Down:

1. You said \$43.99, _____?
3. The total _____ \$55.47.
4. Not expensive and not cheap.

That's expensive!

8. It's more affordable _____ the other one.

10. Cozy.

14. How _____ is it?

15. It's _____ to install.

16. The tie _____ your shirt.

18. Something you leave if your waiter was good.

19. _____ that's \$25.00.

5. I'll _____ a check.

9. Would you like to _____ it on your credit card?

11. Here's your _____ and your change.

12. The hamburger is not as healthy _____ the vegetarian sub.

13. I like your sweater. It _____ on you.

17. Money that the government collects.