GOING SHOPPING

Places

*A department store a shopping centre (US mall) a street market a baker's a butcher's a newsagents's a stationer's a shoe shop a bookshop

Can you add any others?

USEFUL VOCABULARY AND EXPRESSIONS

- To buy/shop/sell something online
- To buy something on credit
- To pay 21% VAT
- To queue for ages
- To complain
- To take something back
- To go window shopping
- To find a bargain
- To dress well /badly
- To be fashionable /trendy
- Street fashion
- To be/look eccentric
- To pay with a credit card or with cash
- set up a business/ a website

- To get a discount/ refund
- It's a rip-off!
- To enjoy going shopping for clothes/ for food/ for entertainment goods
- (in)the sales
- affordable prices
- I can't afford to buy
- Cash register/till
- cashier/shop assistant
- Changing Rooms/fitting Rooms
- Receipt
- To shop around- to look in many shops comparing price
- to buy at the beginning of the season
- To fit/ to suit
- Fake goods/ a fake Louis Vuitton bag

CONVERSATION QUESTIONS.

1. Talk to the person next to you

2. Talk to the person behind you

- -What is in fashion at the moment for men and women?
- -What is your favourite shop? Why?
- -Do you like shopping...
- at the sales?
- by post from catalogues?
- ... on the Internet?
-in street markets?
- -Do people in your country have a reputation for dressing well or badly?
- Is there anything you don't you like about shopping?
- -Do you like shopping on the Internet?
- -Which is the most popular place to shop in your
- hometown?What kind of shops does it have?
- -Do you prefer to pay with a credit card or with cash?
 -If you had 1 million euros, what would you buy?

- -Do people tend to judge others by the way they dress?
- -What was the last thing you bought for someone else?
- -Do you prefer big shopping centres or the small shops in your town?
- -Do you like going shopping on your own or with your friends?
- -When you buy something, do you "shop around" and compare prices?
- -What is most important to you: price, quality or fashion trend?
- -What is better as a present, to give money or to buy something?
- What is something you would like to buy?
- -Is it difficult for you to choose what to buy?
- -Do you like to buy things for other people?

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