

Lesson 18 Grocery Shopping

Look at these pictures. Say something about them.



On Monday Anita went grocery shopping.

On Monday Anita and her daughter Katie went to the supermarket to buy groceries for her family. There are five people in her family, so she bought a lot of groceries. People can buy many things at the supermarket. You can buy things to eat and things to drink. You can also buy many different kinds of daily goods. Daily goods are things that you and your family use everyday.

Anita always buys a lot of groceries, so she always gets a shopping cart. She bought some different kinds of meat. She bought steak, sausages, and bacon. She also bought some fish, bread, rice, cereal, and cookies. She bought a jar of pickles and she bought some canned food too. She bought three cans of tuna fish, two cans of tomato sauce, two cans of corn, and four cans of soup. She also bought some juice, milk, coffee, and tea.

She also bought some daily goods. She bought garbage bags, paper towels, toilet paper, and tissues. She bought some toothpaste, shampoo and soap as well.

After the supermarket Anita and Katie went to the outdoor market. She bought lots of fruit and vegetables for her family. She always goes to the outdoor market because the fruit and vegetables are fresher there. She bought some apples, bananas and oranges. She also bought some cabbage, carrots, broccoli, tomatoes and onions.

Dialogue: Anita is talking to her daughter Katie.

Anita: *Katie, do you want to go grocery shopping with me?*

Katie: *Where are you going to go?*

Anita: *First, we will go to the supermarket and then to the outdoor market.*

Katie: *What do we need to buy at the supermarket?*

Anita: *We need to buy a lot of things. We need to make a shopping list.*

Katie: *I'll write the things down on the list. What do we need?*

Anita: *We need some meat. We need steak, sausages, and bacon. We also need some fish, bread, rice, cereal, and cookies.*

Katie: *Okay. What else do we need?*

Anita: *We also need a jar of pickles, three cans of tuna fish, two cans of tomato sauce, two cans of corn, and four cans of soup.*

Katie: *Okay. Do we need anything else?*

Anita: *We also need some juice, milk, coffee and tea.*

Katie: *Do we need to buy any daily goods?*

Anita: *Oh yes, I almost forgot. We need garbage bags, paper towels, toilet paper, tissues, toothpaste, shampoo, and soap.*

Katie: *That is a lot of stuff. We will need to get a shopping cart.*

Anita: *That's right. We also need to go to the outdoor market as well.*

Katie: *What do we need to buy there?*

Anita: *We need to buy some fruit and vegetables. We need some apples, bananas and oranges. We also need some cabbage, carrots, broccoli, tomatoes, and onions.*

Katie: *This sure is a long list. I hope we can remember everything.*

Questions:

1. When did Anita go grocery shopping?
2. How many people are in her family?
3. What can you buy at the supermarket?
4. What are daily goods?
5. Why does Anita always get a shopping cart?
6. What kind of meat did she buy?
7. What else did she buy?
8. What canned food did she buy?
9. What daily goods did she buy?
10. Where did they go after the supermarket?
11. What did they buy?
12. Why does Anita always go to the outdoor market?
13. What kinds of fruit did she buy at the outdoor market?
14. What kinds of vegetables did she buy there?



Activity: Shopping List

Make a shopping list for your family. Buy everything you will need for one week. Write down how much everything will probably cost. Include things to eat, things to drink, things to cook with, and daily goods.

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Practice with a classmate.

Ask: *What did you buy?*

Classmate answers: *I bought* _____.

Ask: *How much did it cost?*

Classmate answers: *It cost* _____.



Discussion Questions:

1. Who usually goes grocery shopping for your family? Where do they go?
2. What groceries do they usually buy?
3. How many different supermarkets can you think of? Where are they?
4. Is there an outdoor market near your house?
5. What things can you buy in an outdoor market?
6. Do you ever go to an outdoor market? What do you buy there?
7. What daily goods do you usually buy?
8. Why do people make shopping lists?
9. Do you ever make a shopping list when you go grocery shopping? Why?
10. What fresh food do you like to buy?
11. What canned foods do you like to buy?
12. Do you ever buy any frozen food? What?
13. Do you like to cook? What do you like to cook?
14. Why do people use shopping carts? Do you ever use a shopping cart?
15. What kind of toothpaste do you use?
16. What kind of soap and shampoo do you use?
17. Which groceries are more expensive? Which are cheaper?

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| Wine / Water | Beef / Pork | Soap / Shampoo | Fish / Shrimps |
| Rice / Potatoes | A can of abalone / A can of tuna | Bananas / Grapes | |

Grammar Focus: Match the question with the correct answer.

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| 1. Where can I buy groceries? | • They are in the vegetable section. |
| 2. Which aisle are the vegetables in? | • It is in the dairy section. |
| 3. How much are bananas? | • It is in the frozen food section. |
| 4. How much is beef? | • The total bill is \$75.00 |
| 5. Where can I find milk? | • Put them in a shopping cart. |
| 6. Where can I buy a can of pineapples? | • It is \$3.00 per kilogram. |
| 7. How much is the total bill? | • At the supermarket. |
| 8. Where can I put my groceries? | • They are \$0.75 per kilogram. |
| 9. Where can I find ice cream? | • They are in aisle three. |
| 10. Where are the carrots? | • In the canned food section. |