

**2.077**

1. Bathing suit. I'm looking for a bathing suit.
2. Belt. This belt is expensive.
3. Bracelet. This bracelet looks good on you.
4. Earrings. I'm looking for a pair of silver earrings.
5. Necklace. This gold necklace is cool.
6. Polo shirt. This polo shirt looks good on you.
7. Purse. This leather purse is cheap.
8. Shorts. I'm looking for a pair of shorts.
9. Sunglasses These sunglasses are cool.
10. Tie. This tie looks good on you.
11. Wallet. I'm looking for a leather wallet.
12. Watch. This watch is very expensive.

**2.078**

1.

**Woman 1** What are you looking for?

**Woman 2** I'm looking for a leather wallet.

2.

**Woman** What are you going to buy her?

**Man** A pair of silver earrings.

3.

**Woman** Do these look good on me?

**Man** Yes, they look great.

4.

**Woman** How much do they cost?

**Man** They cost eighty-nine ninety-five.

5.

**Man 1** Which ones do you like?

**Man 2** The red and blue ones.

**2.079**

**Laura** So George, how old are your friends? Sorry, what are their names again?

**George** Jill and Mark – and they are eighteen?

**Laura** They're the same age?

**George** Yeah. They're twins.

**Laura** Oh! Is this a really big birthday party, then?

**George** Yes, it's a formal dinner on a boat. The next day we'll all go to the beach for a picnic. So first I need to find presents, and then I need to find something to wear. Where's a good place to buy presents and clothes?

**Laura** Let me think ... Oh, I know ...

**2.080**

1.

**Laura** So, what are you going to buy them?

**George** I don't know. You look for something for Jill, and I'll look for something for Mark.

**Laura** Do you like this? It's red leather. It's small enough to fit in her purse.

**George** Hmm, but there's not enough room to keep your money and credit cards and I don't really like the color

**2.081**

2.

**George** Over here. I found something for Mark.

**Laura** I don't know. It's nice, but it's not too exciting. I mean, if he wears his shirt over his pants. You won't even see it.

**George** That's true. And they only come in black or brown.

**Laura** Keep looking.

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3.

**Laura** Maybe we should get Jill a pair of these. Which ones do you like? The gold ones or the silver ones?

**George** I don't know. Hold the silver ones up again.

**Laura** What do you think?

**George** Well, I don't know. They're so big! Do you think they're too heavy?

**Laura** You're right. Way too heavy. They'll hurt her.

**2.083**

4.

**George** I think Mark would like this.

**Laura** Let's see. Hold it on your arm. It looks like a bracelet.

**George** It's kind of fun. I guess he has one, but he can always use another that's more casual.

**Laura** But it is expensive. And it's too hard to see the time.

**George** Yeah, you're right.

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5.

**Laura** Do you like this one? The colors are lovely ... very casual.

**George** Mm, it's too short. Put it around your neck.

**Laura** Oh no, it's long enough. Look.

**George** OK. We'll get that for Jill. It'll look good on her. Now, what about him?

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6.

**George** What do you think of these?

**Laura** Yes. They look good on you and they are ideal for summer. But aren't they too dark. Can you still see?

**George** Yeah, no problem, And they're not too expensive. Mark will like them. Where do we pay?

**2.086**

**Laura** Did you pay for the presents?

**George** Yep, sixty-three ninety five for both. And I got a few things for myself ... Look, a belt for just twelve dollars and a tie for eighteen dollars ...

**Laura** Mm. Not bad.

**George** And I bought a suit for the dinner party ...

**Laura** You bought a suit? I thought we were going to choose it together!

**George** I know, but the salesperson was so helpful ... and it's just ninety-nine dollars.

**Laura** Ninety-nine dollars? Well, the price is good, but I don't really like the color. So, do you need anything for the beach? A bathing suit or shorts? Look. These shorts are only forty dollars and they go with this yellow polo shirt. It's thirty-two ninety-five.

**George** Forty dollars for shorts? That's even more than the shirt, No, thanks, I have my clothes for the beach. How about you? Are you buying anything?

**Laura** Yeah ... these sunglasses.

**George** How much are they?

**Laura** Nineteen ninety-five. And I'm buying a new bathing suit. How about this one?

**George** Nineteen ninety-five. That's good. Well, how much is this ... Eighty dollars. Eighty dollars?!

**Laura** I love it. And it goes with my new twenty-dollar sandals.

**George** You bought twenty-dollar sandals?!

**Laura** Not yet, but I will ...

**2.087**

**Example:** They look great on you.

Well, I don't know.

1. I found something for Mark.
2. Yeah, you're right.
3. The colors are lovely.
4. Mm, it's too short.
5. Oh no, it's long enough.

6. Look.
7. And they only come in black or brown.
8. Yeah, no problem.

## **2.088**

### **Tom Song, Korea**

My favorite place to shop for clothes? That would definitely be Dondaemun in Seoul. I go there almost every weekend. It's the place that all the small retail shops throughout the city get their clothing from. So I think instead of buying from those shops, I can just go straight to Dongdaemun and buy what I want! In English, you call this "cutting out the middle man". I think it's a cheap way to stay fashionable!

### **Mandy Lee, China**

I'm really into luxury brands like LV, Gucci, and Prada so I always shop at the IFC Mall in Shanghai. It is located in a very modern part of Shanghai called Pudong. You have probably seen this area in pictures, as many of Shanghai's iconic buildings, such as the Oriental Pearl Tower are here. If you are looking for high-end brands then you should come to the IFC Mall. You had better bring lots of money though – it isn't cheap!

### **David Rama, Thailand**

When it comes to clothes, I prefer to buy things made by local designers. I am not into big brands and I like to support the local economy. When I want to buy something I always go to the Chatuchak Weekend Market in Bangkok. It's one of the world's largest markets and a truly amazing place to shop. You can find almost anything in Chatuchak, including a wide selection of clothes at affordable prices. I suggest you arrive early though, because it's mostly outdoor and it gets really hot in the afternoon.

### **Yoko Tanaka, Japan**

Do you know what cosplay is? It's a special fashion that originated in Japan, but is now all over the world. People who like cosplay dress up as their favorite comic book or movie characters. When I want to buy a new cosplay outfit, I always visit Harajuku in Tokyo. It is a famous cosplay area, and you will see many people dressed up on the street. There are also many shops where you can buy cosplay clothing. Even if you aren't into cosplay, I think you can come and see. It's an interesting place!