Shopping Vocabulary

Shopping	Phonetic Transcription	Definition	lmage
advertisement (ad)	əd <u>v3</u> *tısmənt (æd)	A notice that promotes a certain brand or shop. This could be on paper, on TV or online.	BLACK
aisle	aɪl	A long and straight corridor. This can be found in the supermarket, on an aeroplane and at a church.	
barcode	b ₫∑kəʊd	A combination of white and black stripes on a product. This is scanned to show the product information, including price.	
bill	pıl	A piece of paper that summarises everything you want to buy, but you haven't bought it yet. This is typical in the service industry e.g. at a restaurant/bar.	S. S



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card machine	kaːd mə ∫iːn	This is a piece of technology where you insert your debit card/credit card, enter your PIN number and this allows you to purchase something in a shop.	\$19.99
cashier	kæ <u>∫1ə</u>	A person who works at a checkout inside a shop.	
cheap	t∫iːp	This is an adjective to say that something has a very low price.	
checkout	Íak aʊt	The place where you pay for something you have bought in a shop.	\$ 00.00
customer	k \(\sigma \)	A person who is interested in buying something in a shop.	



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debit card / credit card	<u>dε</u> bīt ka∶d / <u>krε</u>dīt k a∶d	A rectangular piece of plastic that allows you to spend money from your bank account.	
discount	<u>d I s</u> ka v n t	A reduced price on a product/service.	50% OFF
expensive	Iks <u>pɛn</u> sIv	This is an adjective to say that something has a very high price.	
loyalty card	<u>loı</u> əlti kaːd	A card that a specific brand or shop uses that allows you to collect points in order to convince you to continue shopping at the same place. When you earn enough points, you usually receive gifts or discounts at the same shop.	
to pay for something	tuː peɪ fɔː sʌm θ ɪŋ	This is a verb to say that you give money to somebody in return for a product/service.	
pound coin	paund koin	A coin is a solid circular piece of money. The pound sterling is the currency used in the UK.	



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receipt	rī <u>silt</u>	A piece of paper that you receive after you have purchased something. This lists everything you have bought including the prices.	
sale	seɪl	A short period of time when products/services have a reduced price. We can use the expression "to be on sale" or something is "for sale".	SALE
shop assistant	∫ɒp ə <u>sıs</u> tənt	A person who works inside a shop and can help you find things/answer your questions.	
shopper	• Бер а	A person who goes shopping.	
shopping bag	_fo piŋ bæg	A large piece of material that you can put things you have bought inside. This is typically plastic, paper or a soft material.	



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shopping basket	<u>∫b</u> pīŋ <u>baːs</u> kīt	A big metal or plastic basket that is carried with your hands to place your shopping inside.	
shopping trolley	∫ piŋ <u>trɒ</u> li	A big metal basket with wheels to place your shopping inside.	
to spend	tuː spɛnd	This is a verb to say that you give money to somebody in return for a product/service.	
till	tīl	The machine/device used to complete a purchase in a shop. You can usually store money inside this machine and scan products.	

