Lesson 73, Listening, PI (Shops and Shopping)



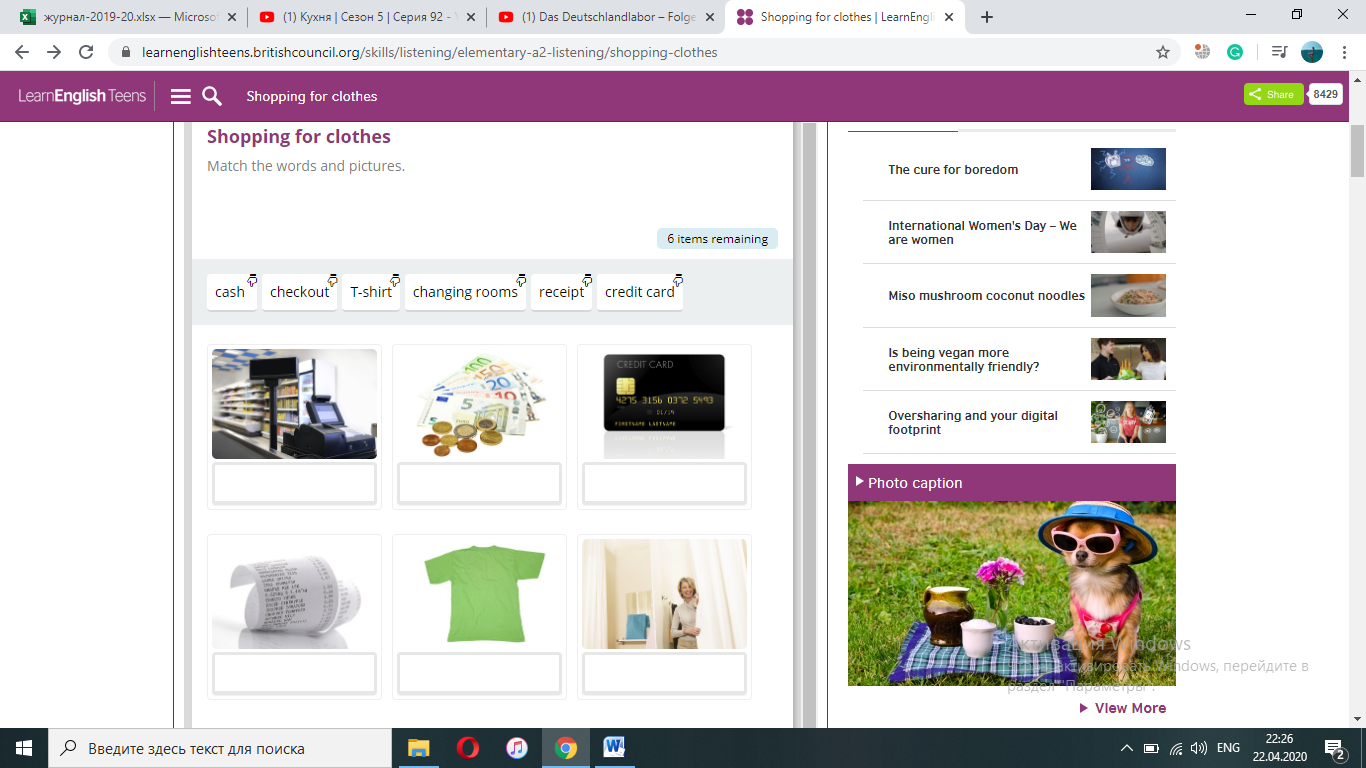
Exercise 1

Do the preparation exercise first then listen to the recording and do the other exercises to check your understanding.

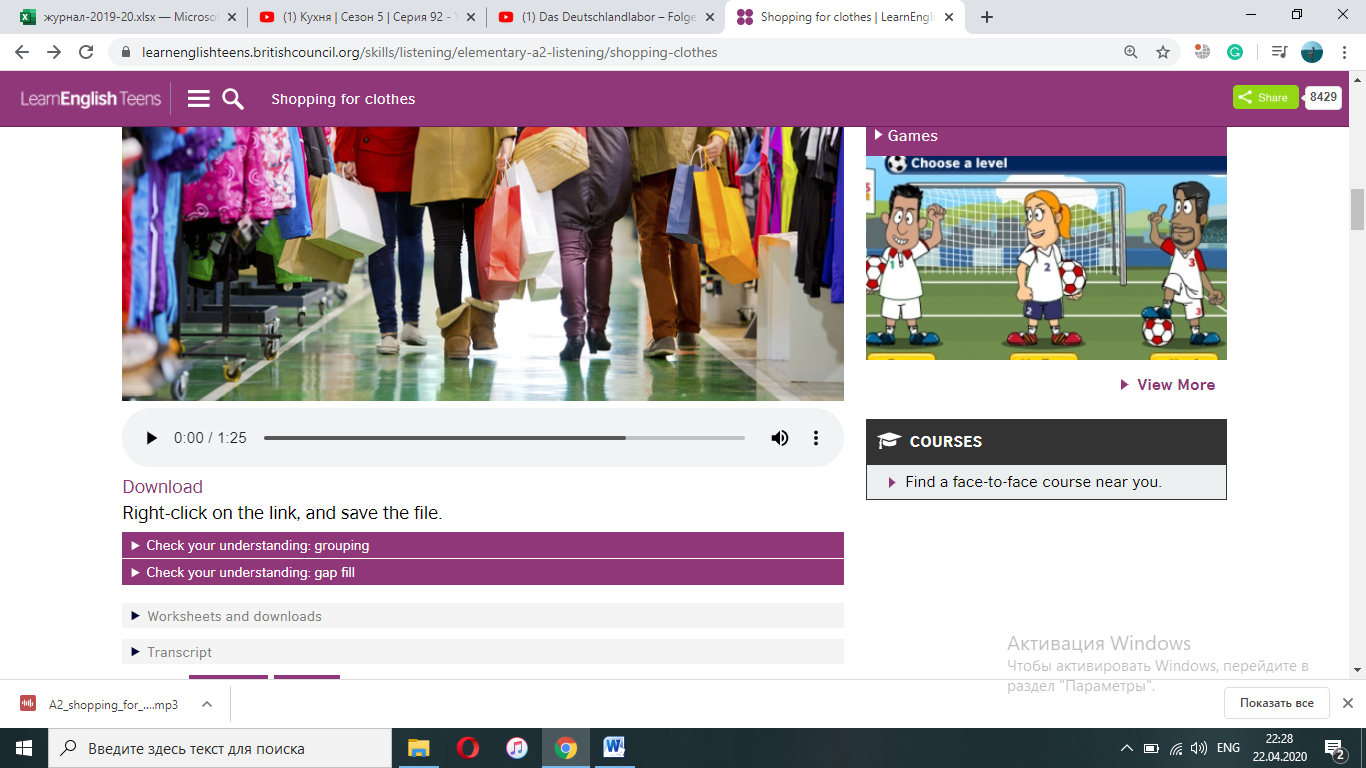
Preparation

Match the words and pictures.

<https://learnenglishteens.britishcouncil.org/skills/listening/elementary-a2-listening/shopping-clothes>

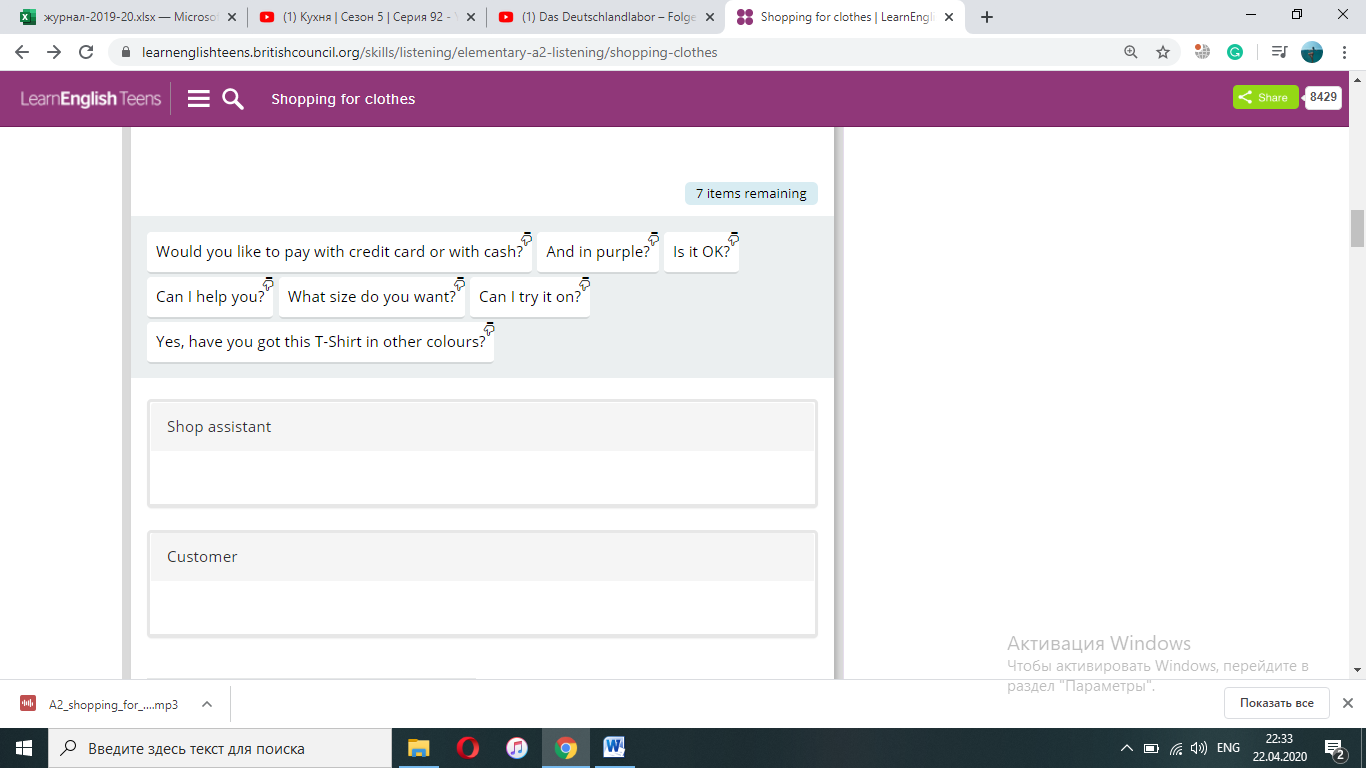


Do the exercise while you listen.



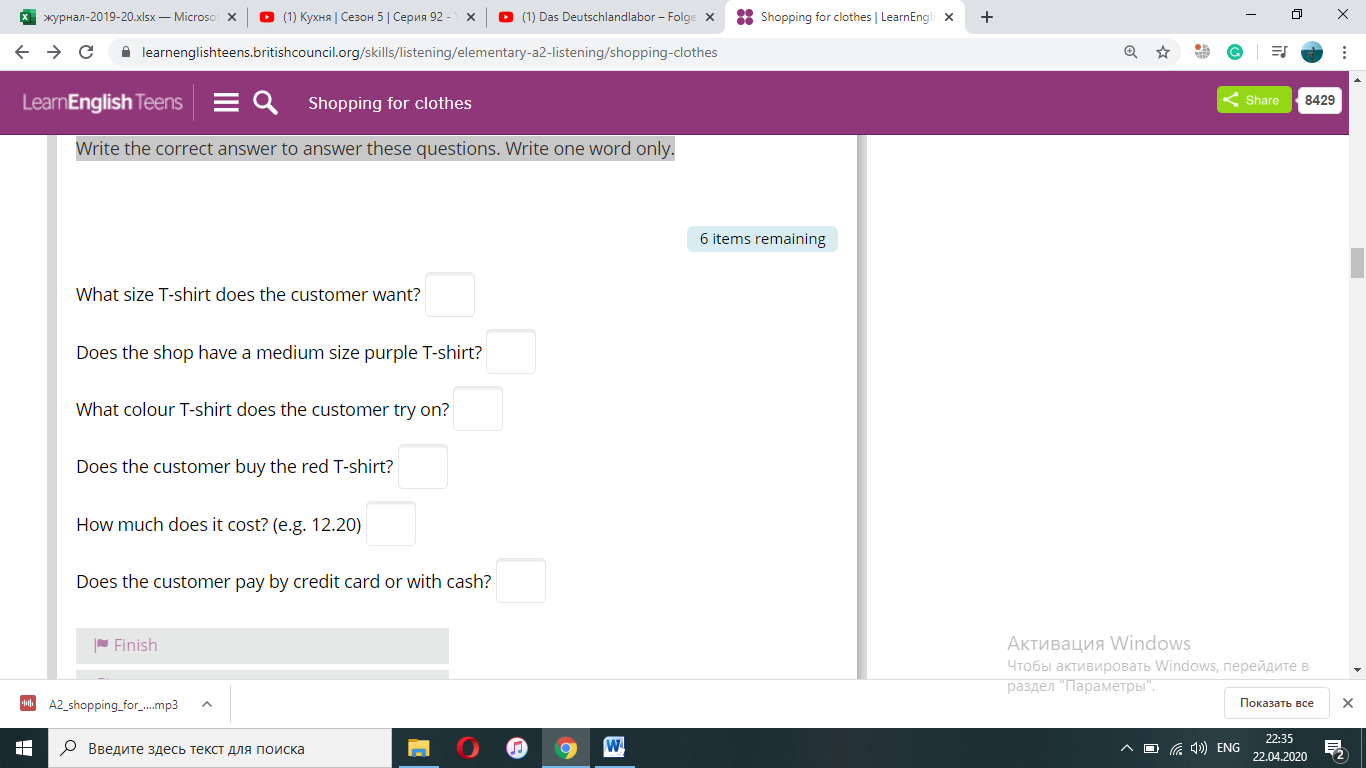
1. Shop assistant or Customer

Put the questions next to the person who asked them.



1. Activity type answer guide

Write the correct answer to answer these questions. Write one word only.



Exercise 2

Listen to the recording and do the tasks after it.

<https://www.oxfordonlineenglish.com/clothes-shopping>

Complete the sentences with *match, fit,* or *suit* in the correct form.

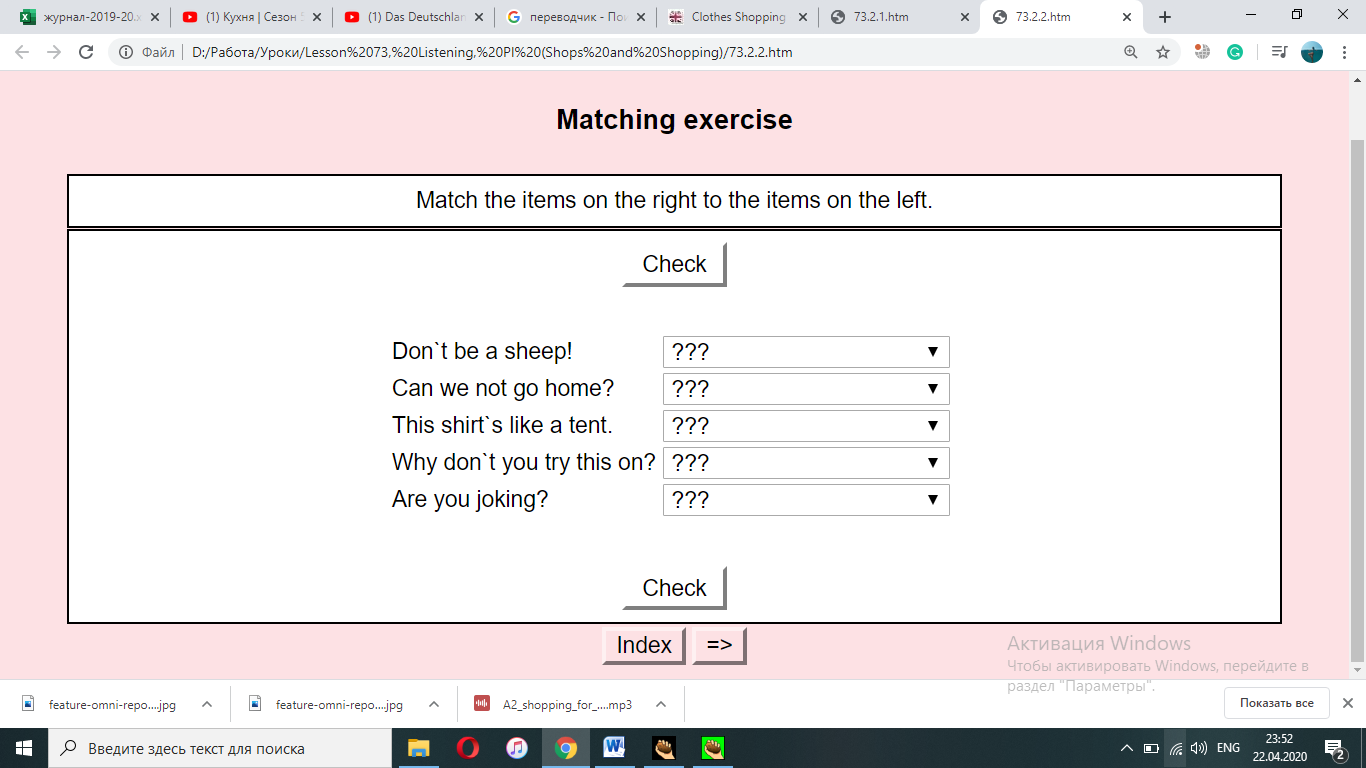
**fit      match      matches      suit**

Начало формы

1. These shoes don’t ****. They’re too small and they hurt my feet.  
2. I like that dress. It **** your eyes.  
3. That jacket doesn’t **** those trousers at all.  
4. It looked good on her but it doesn’t really **** me.  
5. I need to go on a diet—none of my clothes **** me any more.

Конец формы

Match the phrases and their meanings



Конец формы

Exercise 3

Anna is staying with her friend, Robert. Today, Robert has to work. Listen to their conversation. Complete the sentences with one of the words in the word box. You will not need them all.

<https://www.examenglish.com/A2/A2_listening_shopping.htm>

**bakeries      bank      department store      greengrocer's      jeweller's      market      pharmacy      toy shop**

Начало формы

1. Robert suggests that Anna goes to the **** to buy presents for her Mum and Dad.  
2. In the market, there are **** and delicatessens.  
3. Robert recommends the **** for a gift for Anna’s sister.  
4. There isn’t a **** in the town.  
5. Robert suggests Anna goes to the **** for her brother’s gift.  
6. Anna needs to buy something for herself from the ****.  
7. Robert asks Anna to buy something from the butcher’s and the ****.  
8. Robert has to go to the ****.

Конец формы

Exercise 4

Listen to the recording and then complete the sentences.

<https://listenaminute.com/s/shopping.html>

**empty and you can      getting in your way      happy when online      If I have to go      It seems as though      must be one of the      than wandering around      walking around shops**

Начало формы

Shopping **** world’s most popular hobbies. I hate it. There’s nothing more boring **** shopping malls. What a waste of time. I know a lot of people who like window shopping – just **** without wanting to buy anything. Crazy! My plan for shopping is ‘quickly in, quickly out’. **** shopping, I go in the morning on a weekday. This is when the stores are **** get what you want quickly, without thousands of other shoppers ****. The worst time to go shopping is on a Saturday afternoon during sale season. **** all of the world’s bargain hunters are in the same store as you. I was **** shopping came along. This is very relaxing.

Exercise 5

Answer the following questions.

1. How often do you go shopping?

2. Is shopping routine or pleasure for you?

3. What do you like about shopping?

4. What don’t you like about shopping?

5. Do you prefer large storechains or small shops?

6. Do you ever go to markets?

7. Have you ever ordered anything by mail?

8. Do you do any shopping online?

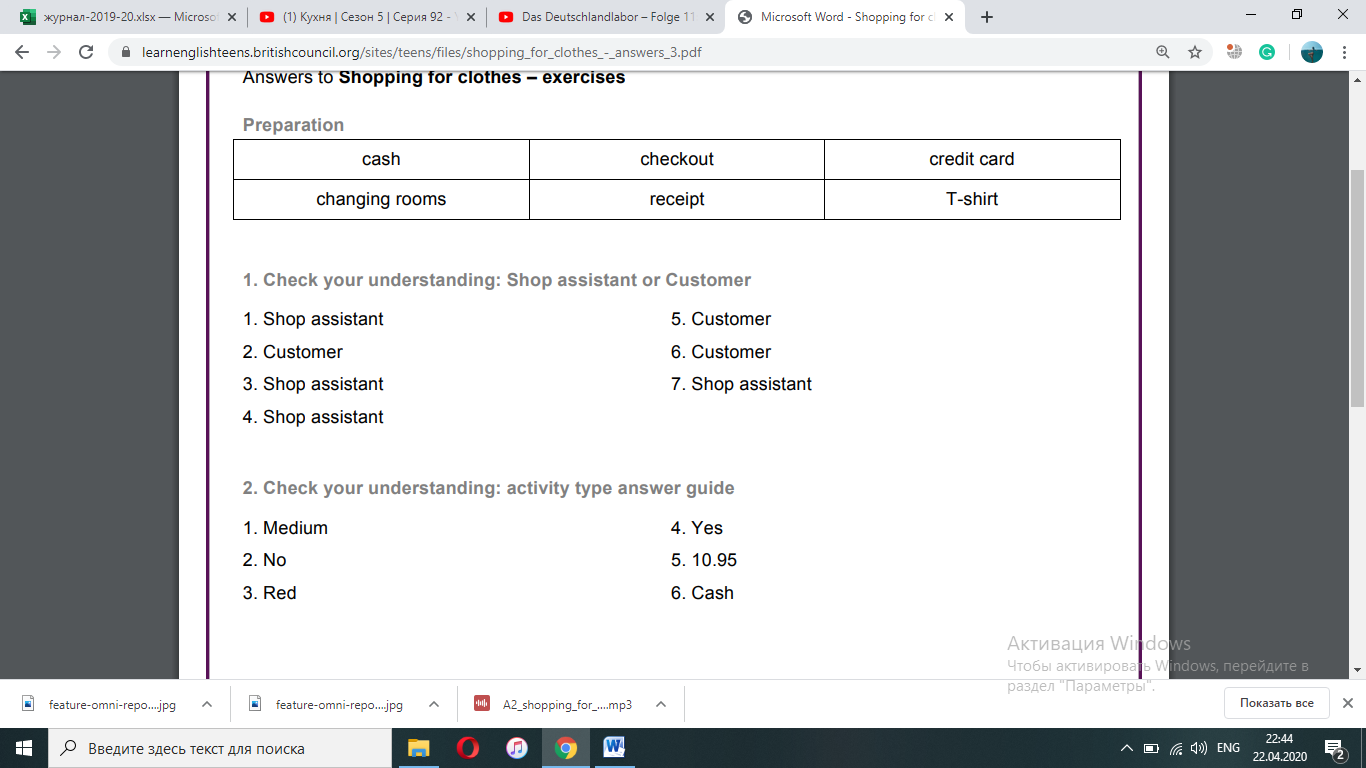
9. What’s more important to you: price, quality, brand or something else?

10. Do you usually plan your purchases?

11. Do you like to ‘shop around’ comparing prices?

Keys:

Exercise 1



Exercise 2.1

1.fit 2.matches 3.match 4.suit 5.fit

Exercise 2.2

6. Don’t be a sheep! -- Think for yourself.

7. Can we not go home? -- I want to go home.

8. This shirt’s like a tent. -- It’s much too big for me.

9. Why don’t you try this on? -- See if you like it.

10. Are you joking? -- You can’t be serious.

Exercise 3

1.market 2.bakeries 3.jeweller`s 4.toy shop 5.department store 6.pharmacy 7.greengrocer`s 8.bank

Exercise 4

Shopping **must be one of the** world’s most popular hobbies. I hate it. There’s nothing more boring **than wandering around** shopping malls. What a waste of time. I know a lot of people who like window shopping – just **walking around shops** without wanting to buy anything. Crazy! My plan for shopping is ‘quickly in, quickly out’. **If I have to go** shopping, I go in the morning on a weekday. This is when the stores are **empty and you can** get what you want quickly, without thousands of other shoppers **getting in your way**. The worst time to go shopping is on a Saturday afternoon during sale season. **It seems as though** all of the world’s bargain hunters are in the same store as you. I was **happy when online** shopping came along. This is very relaxing.