

What is Shopping and Commerce?

Worksheet

Shopping is buying goods or services for money; commerce is the broader economic system of trade and exchange. Both involve transactions between buyers and sellers in markets and stores.

Questions

1. What is the main difference between shopping and commerce?

- A) Shopping is individual buying; commerce is the larger economic system
- B) They mean exactly the same thing
- C) Shopping uses money; commerce does not
- D) Commerce only happens online

2. In French, 'marché' means...

- A) A specific item for sale
- B) A market or business transaction
- C) The price tag
- D) The customer

3. What must happen in a shopping transaction?

- A) Only money changes hands
- B) Only goods move to the buyer
- C) Money and goods exchange between buyer and seller
- D) Nothing is required to happen

4. French word for 'cashier' or 'checkout'?

- A) Magasin
- B) Caisse
- C) Boutique
- D) Vendeur

5. Define: What does shopping mean?

6. Define: Define commerce.

7. Define: French word for shop?

Answer Key

1. A) Shopping is individual buying; commerce is the larger economic system — Shopping is a single transaction; commerce is the broader system enabling all trade.
2. B) A market or business transaction — 'Marché' refers to a market or market transaction in commerce.
3. C) Money and goods exchange between buyer and seller — A transaction requires exchange of both money and goods.
4. B) Caisse — 'Caisse' is the checkout/cashier area where payment occurs.
5. Buying goods or services in exchange for money.
6. The system of buying, selling, and economic exchange between buyers and sellers.
7. Magasin (store) or boutique (small shop).

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