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You are going to learn:



Topic: Shopping – Thrift Shops



Grammar: Modal verbs (*can*)



Reading skill: Identifying main idea
and key details



Are You Ready?

Listen to me.



Look at me.

THRIFT SHOPS

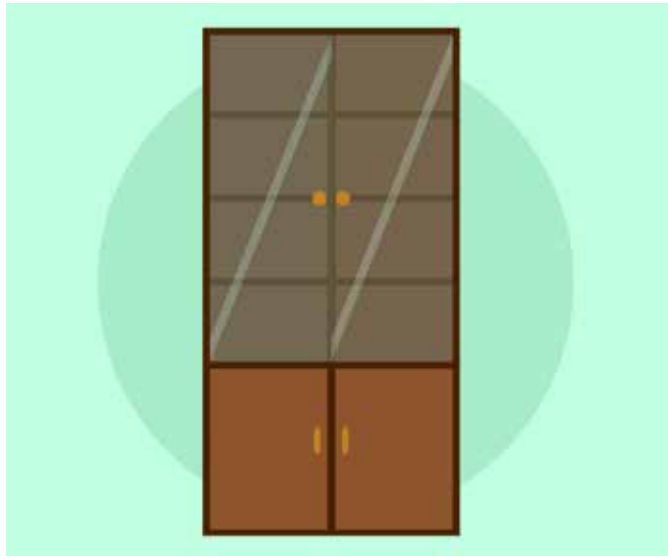


Classic English Junior Level 6 - Unit 2 - Lesson 7

INTENSIVE READING

WARM-UP

Look at the items below. Which of these items can be sold in thrift shops?



• LET'S PREPARE! •

VOCABULARY



second-hand



designer clothes



antique



jewelry



sweatshirt



material



leather



collector's item

GRAMMAR

Modal verbs (*can*)

A **modal verb** is a helping verb used to express ability, possibility, permission, or obligation.

Can is a modal verb that has many uses. In this lesson, it's used to express ability. Its negative form, **cannot**, expresses inability. Both **can** or **cannot** are followed by the base form of the main verb in a sentence.

Example: You **can** save money when you buy items from a thrift shop.
I **cannot** find anything expensive at the thrift shop.

Complete these sentences with *can* or *cannot*.



1. You _____ buy second-hand items in a thrift shop.
2. People _____ find antiques, designer clothes, and jewelry in a movie theater.
3. You _____ sell collector's items online.

READING SKILL

Identifying the main idea and key details helps a reader understand a text better.

The **main idea** is the most important thought about a topic. It may be recognized by asking, “What is the paragraph about?” It can be found in the beginning, middle, or end of a paragraph. **Key details** are descriptions, explanations, examples, or facts that support the main idea.

Read the passage and answer the questions.

Buying antiques is a good thing. When you buy antiques, you’re preserving a part of someone’s history or a part of history in general. You’re also helping preserve and save the environment because you’re recycling old materials. Aside from these, antiques can actually increase in value. And when they do, you can keep them as a valuable or resell them!

1. What is the **main idea** of the passage?
2. Give one **key detail** that supports the **main idea**.

• LET'S READ! •

Complete the table using the information below.

Things you can find in a thrift shop	Things you cannot find in a thrift shop

ITEMS

- old furniture
- expensive clothes
- used toys
- second-hand jackets

- brand-new shoes
- used appliances
- new mobile phone

INTENSIVE READING

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THRIFT SHOPS

Do you know what thrift shops are?
Have you ever been to one?

Thrift shops are where people **can** buy used or **second-hand** items. That's the reason they're also called second-hand stores. The prices are really low because the items sold there are second-hand.

Thrift shops are usually managed by organizations that help the poor. These organizations give the money they raise from selling used things to people in need.

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Things sold in thrift shops may not be new, but you can still find a lot of really nice items there. If you're patient enough to look around, you could find great items like second-hand **designer clothes**, **antiques**, and **jewelry**. You can even find useful furniture or appliances that still work well.



What's the main idea of this paragraph?
What are the key details that support this main idea?

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Shopping in thrift shops can be rewarding.

I remember my first visit to a thrift shop. I bought a really nice **sweatshirt**. It was made of excellent **materials**, and the design was very fashionable. My friends couldn't believe that I got it from a thrift shop!

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There was also a time I bought a book with a **leather** cover. It looked old, but I bought it because it was still in good condition. I only found out later from a friend that it's a **collector's item**! This means that it's rare and of high value.

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Shopping in thrift shops is also rewarding because we help others when we buy things there. We also help save the environment because we reuse old things.

If you haven't been to a thrift shop yet, try going to one the next time you go shopping!



WRITING PREPARATION

Talk about shopping in thrift shops using the information below.

Main idea: Shopping in thrift shops has many benefits.

Key details:

- saves you money
- lets you find great items
- lets you help others
- lets you save the environment



WRITING PROJECT

Is buying in thrift shops a good thing?
Give at least three supporting details for your answer.



Write about this after class.

Today we learned:

TOPIC

Shopping – Thrift Shops



GRAMMAR

Modal verbs (*can*)

Thrift shops are where people **can** buy used or second-hand items.

READING SKILL

Identifying main idea
and key details



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SOON!**

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