

The Weekend - Getting A Subscription (C0245)

A: Good afternoon Ma'am, My name is Mike and I am selling subscriptions to all sorts of periodicals.

B: No thank you, I am not interested.

A: Please ma'am , if you could spare five minutes of your time, I am sure we could find something that interests you!

B: I wish I could, but I have to walk the dog and finish cooking so if you would excuse me.

A: We have a great variety of magazines all about cooking! This one for example, is a bi monthly publication with recipes from all over the world!

B: Wow, that would be kind of useful, do you have any other cooking magazines?

A: Sure do! This one is a quarterly publication, but each issue has over 200 color pages of recipes and also many home decorating ideas!

B: Wow, this is nice! Ok, sign me up for both publications.

A: You mentioned you have a dog, most pet owners sign up for this weekly newsletter that has information on dog care, pet shops and even pet sitters!

B: That is exactly what I needed! What else do you have?

A: Well, I also have....

Key Vocabulary

subscription	<i>N</i>	a purchase by prepayment for goods or services
if you could spare	<i>P</i>	do you have, can you offer
quarterly	<i>R</i>	at three month intervals
issue	<i>N</i>	a final publication such as a magazine
pet sitter	<i>N</i>	person who takes care of pets in owner's absence

Supplementary Vocabulary

cable tv	<i>N</i>	tv channels which are purchased for a monthly fee
internet service	<i>N</i>	service that provides internet access for a fee
gym membership	<i>N</i>	paid membership that provides access to the gym
Vogue	<i>N</i>	a magazine that is delivered monthly
NY Times	<i>N</i>	a newspaper printed daily