

## 34 Shops, etc. with apostrophes



### Activity A

Shops that sell a particular type of product range or service are often referred to using 's.

Decide which two items you would get at each shop, etc. 1–12.

bifocals a brace a brooch a bunch of carnations some celery some cod  
a filling a lamb chop liver a magazine a pair of reading glasses a paper parsley  
a pendant a perm some plasters prawns a prescription a ring binder some rolls  
a rubber a shave a wedding bouquet a wholemeal loaf

You can get ...

- 1 \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ at the **baker's**.
- 2 \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ at the **barber's**.
- 3 \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ at the **butcher's**.
- 4 \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ at the **chemist's**.
- 5 \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ at the **dentist's**.
- 6 \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ at the **fishmonger's**.
- 7 \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ at the **florist's**.
- 8 \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ at the **greengrocer's**.
- 9 \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ at the **jeweller's**.
- 10 \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ at the **newsagent's**.
- 11 \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ at the **optician's**.
- 12 \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ at the **stationer's**.

### Activity B

Play a game as a group. Sit in a circle and decide who starts. The first person chooses a shop, etc. from A, and something you can get there, and says a sentence with the following pattern: *I went to the \_\_\_\_\_'s and I got \_\_\_\_\_*, for example *I went to the optician's and I got some contact lenses*. The next person in the circle then has to repeat the sentence and add one of their own, for example: *I went to the optician's and I got some contact lenses, then I went to the newsagent's and I got a magazine*. The next person repeats both these sentences and adds one, and so on, so that each person has to remember more and more. Anyone who makes a mistake is out of the game, and the winner is the last person left in.