

afford (v)	discount (n)	receipt (n)
change (n/v)	exchange (v)	staff (n)
coin (n)	goods (n)	till (n)
convert (v)	note (n)	total (n)
credit card (n)	payment (n)	worth (adj)
currency (n)		

### A Complete the descriptions using words and phrases from the box.

discounts goods member of staff notes and coins  
payment receipt their change till total

In most shops, customers take the <sup>1</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ they want to buy to the <sup>2</sup>\_\_\_\_\_. Then a <sup>3</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ adds up the cost of all the items, takes off any <sup>4</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ and tells the customer the <sup>5</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ to pay. The customer then makes <sup>6</sup>\_\_\_\_\_, either in cash or by card. If they pay in cash, the assistant gives them <sup>7</sup>\_\_\_\_\_, in <sup>8</sup>\_\_\_\_\_, and their <sup>9</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ to show what they've paid.

afford change convert credit card currency exchange exchange rate worth

When you travel abroad, you usually <sup>10</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ some money into the local <sup>11</sup>\_\_\_\_\_. Even if you plan to use your <sup>12</sup>\_\_\_\_\_, you'll probably need some cash when you arrive to buy a drink or to pay for a taxi. So, for example, if you are travelling from Europe to the USA, you might <sup>13</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ euros for dollars. You need to check the <sup>14</sup>\_\_\_\_\_: how many dollars are <sup>15</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ the same as one euro. While you're away, you'll probably <sup>16</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ prices into your own currency to work out how expensive things are and what you can <sup>17</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ to buy.

**Change** and **exchange** have the same meaning. **Exchange** is slightly more formal.

*I'd like to **change** €100 into US dollars.*

*I **exchanged** €100 for \$120.*

### B Choose the best words to complete the sentences.

In Sweden, the <sup>1</sup>currency / coin is the Swedish krona. If you want to change euros <sup>2</sup>into / with kronor, the exchange <sup>3</sup>payment / rate is usually around ten kronor to one euro. So one krona is <sup>4</sup>cost / worth around ten cents, or you could <sup>5</sup>convert / exchange €50 for kr 500 (Swedish kronor). And while you're in Sweden, you just need to divide the prices by ten to <sup>6</sup>convert / exchange them <sup>7</sup>for / into euros. It's quite simple.

### C Complete the conversation. Use one word from the vocabulary list at the top of the page for each space. Add any other words necessary.

- Ella** Do you use euros in the UK?
- Matthew** No, the <sup>1</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ in the UK is pounds.
- Ella** Oh yes, of course. What <sup>2</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ do you have?
- Matthew** The smallest is one pence and the largest is <sup>3</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ two pounds. Then we have <sup>4</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ from five pounds to £50.
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- Tom** I really like these gloves, but I'm not sure if I can <sup>5</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ them.
- Amy** It's getting really cold now. You need some warm gloves. I think you should get them.
- Tom** Excuse me, where can I pay for these?
- Assistant 1** There's a <sup>6</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ at the back of the store. There should be a member <sup>7</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ who can help you there.
- Tom** Do you do a <sup>8</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ for students?
- Assistant 2** Yes, if you've got a student card, I can give you ten per cent off all our <sup>9</sup>\_\_\_\_\_.
- Tom** Great, thanks.
- Assistant 2** So that's a <sup>10</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ of €15.20, please.
- Tom** Can I pay by <sup>11</sup>\_\_\_\_\_?
- Assistant 2** Yes, of course, we accept <sup>12</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ by card or in cash.
- Tom** Oh, actually, hang on. I've got a €20 <sup>13</sup>\_\_\_\_\_. Here you are.
- Assistant 2** Thank you. So that's €4.80 <sup>14</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ and your <sup>15</sup>\_\_\_\_\_.