

Read and discuss the vocabulary on pages 130-131 of the OPD.

Answer these questions:

1. Where is the maternity store? _____
2. Where is the electronics store? _____
3. Where is the ice cream store? _____
4. Where is the children's play area? _____
5. Which store has puppies in the window? _____
6. What is the name of the jewelry store? _____
7. What store is next door to the book store? _____
8. Which store has an umbrella in the window? _____
9. Where can I get a manicure? _____
10. Where is the flower store? _____
11. Can you buy soup at the mall? _____
12. Which stores are above the shoe store? _____
13. How many escalators are in the mall? _____
14. How many places sell food? _____

Circle the activities you can do at this mall. Write the kind of store you can do them in.

1. Buy a birthday card _____
2. Buy cough syrup _____
3. Look at DVD players _____
4. Get clothes dry cleaned _____
5. Plan a vacation _____
6. Get new eyeglasses _____
7. Get a hamburger _____
8. Buy flowers _____
9. Buy a dictionary _____
10. Buy a dog _____
11. Mail letters _____
12. Buy chocolates _____

With your group, make a list of words or phrases you can use to give directions at the mall. Here are a few to get you started:

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| above | across from | go past | turn |
| next to | first floor | up the escalator | |

Make a list of questions or sentences you can use to ask for directions or for information at the mall. For example:

I am looking for _____ . Can you help me?

Is there a _____ in the mall?

Work with a partner. One person asks where to find something in the mall. The other person gives directions. Switch roles.

You are both at:

the play area

the pet store

the hair salon

the down escalator

the information desk/guest services

the toy store

Eye Design

One person wants to find:

a hamburger

the elevator

a birthday card

a CD

a place to sit down

the beauty shop

travel agency

Discussion Questions:

1. How often do you shop at a mall?
2. Do you have a favorite mall in Austin?
3. What stores do you frequent?
4. Does your spouse like to go to the mall with you?
5. Which mall is nearest your house?
6. What is a food court? What is your favorite restaurant there?
7. Do you ever go to the mall even when you don't plan to buy anything?

Grammar Practice

The past tense of buy is _____.

I _____ the kids some new toys. I like to _____ them toys whenever I have extra money.

The past tense of pay is _____.

Mother _____ \$5.00 for the used books. I _____ the babysitter \$15.00

The past tense of purchase is _____.

We _____ new shoes for the children. I don't usually _____ new shoes for all the children at once.

The past tense of spend is _____.

Yesterday, I _____ all of my allowance at the mall. I don't like to _____ money on clothes.

try on: put clothing on to see if it fits. Do you try on clothes before you buy them?

