

13. Ein Rollenspiel

German supermarkets and butchers usually have a large delicatessen section with a wide range of "Aufschnitt", "Käse", "Salate" and other smallgoods.

Most things are bought according to weight. Bottled drinks and alcohol can be bought as individual bottles but are usually bought in a crate as a dozen. It is common to buy beverages at a "Getränkemarkt" which is a supermarket just for drinks.

TASK

Choose one of these situations. Work with a partner to develop a role play and perform it in front of the class

A: Im Supermarkt

In the supermarket

With a partner, write a dialogue based around shopping at a supermarket deli. One of you is the person behind the counter, the other is the customer. Use the vocabulary provided and include some negative and imperative forms as part of your dialogue.

B: Was brauchen wir, Mama?

What do we need Mum?

Write a dialogue between you and your parent or sibling about what the family needs from the supermarket. Use the vocabulary provided and include some negative and imperative forms as part of your dialogue.

Language related to buying items:

der Kunde	<i>the customer (male)</i>
die Kundin	<i>the customer (female)</i>
Ich hätte gern.....	<i>I would like to have.....</i>
Ich möchte gern.....	<i>I would like.....</i>
Geben Sie mir bitte.....	<i>Please give me.....</i>
Kann ich bitte.....haben?	<i>Can I please have.....?</i>
Etwas weniger/mehr bitte	<i>A little less/more please</i>
Ich brauche.....	<i>I need.....</i>
Ich möchte	<i>I would like.....</i>
Wir brauchen.....	<i>We need.....</i>
Schreibe eine Einkaufsliste!	<i>Write a shopping list.</i>
Schreibe es auf die Liste!	<i>Write it on the list.</i>
Kaufe bitte	<i>Please buy.....</i>
Vergiss nichtzu kaufen!	<i>Don't forget to buy</i>
Nimm die Taschen mit!	<i>Take the bags with you.</i>
Gib mir bitte ___ Euro!	<i>Please give me ___ Euros.</i>
Gehst du heute einkaufen?	<i>Are you going shopping today?</i>
Was soll ich einkaufen?	<i>What should I buy?</i>
Was brauchen wir?	<i>What do we need?</i>
Wie viel/wie viele ___ brauchen wir?	<i>How much/how many ___ do we need?</i>
Wie viel Geld brauchst du?	<i>How much money do you need?</i>
Hast du genug Geld?	<i>Have you got enough money?</i>
Ist das alles?	<i>Is that all?</i>

Language related to selling items:

die Verkäuferin	<i>the seller (female)</i>
der Verkäufer	<i>the seller (male)</i>
Guten Tag, kann ich Ihnen helfen?	<i>Hello, can I help you?</i>
Was hätten Sie gerne?	<i>What would you like (to have)</i>
Was möchten Sie gerne?	<i>What would you like?</i>
Ja, bitte?	<i>Yes, please?</i>
	<i>(implying what would you like?)</i>
Ist das (groß/klein) genug?	<i>Is that (big/small) enough?</i>

Additional vocabulary

Gramm:	<i>Wir brauchen 100 Gramm Salami.</i>
Kilo	<i>Kaufe 1 Kilo Würstchen, bitte!</i>
Scheibe(n)	<i>Ich hätte gern 12 Scheiben Käse.</i>
Ein (kleines/großes) Stück	<i>Geben Sie mir bitte ein kleines Stück.</i>
Eine Portion.....	<i>Geben Sie mir eine Portion Pommes Frites.</i>
Die Flasche(n):	<i>bottle</i>
Die Dose(n):	<i>tin/can</i>
Die Tüte(n):	<i>bag</i>
Die Kiste(n):	<i>box</i>
Die Packung(en):	<i>packet/pack</i>
Das Glas("er):	<i>jar</i>