

VOCABULARY AND GRAMMAR

1 Choose the odd one out in each group.

- 1 businessperson, employee, company director, entrepreneur
- 2 trader, entrepreneur, customer, investor
- 3 scruffy, cotton, cashmere, silk
- 4 smart, fashionable, original, denim
- 5 butcher's, stationer's, baker's, greengrocer's

2 Complete the sentences with the correct form of the words in capitals.

- 1 Stanley has saved half of his _____ for a new computer. **EARN**
- 2 A modern water park was built last year, which was the best _____ in our city. **INVEST**
- 3 I don't use any cash. All my _____ are made by credit card. **PAY**
- 4 What company is the largest _____ of personal computers in the world? **PRODUCE**
- 5 This shop has had a _____ for two weeks. **SELL**
- 6 The factory tried to keep some _____ by offering them more money. **EMPLOY**

3 Complete the second sentence so that it has a similar meaning to the first.

- 1 How much does the factory pay the workers?
How much _____ the factory workers _____?
- 2 Farmers have never grown rice in this field.
Rice _____ never _____ in this field.
- 3 They have sold over 1,000 bikes so far this year.
Over 1,000 bikes _____ this year.
- 4 They keep their investments secret.
Their investments _____ secret.
- 5 He painted more than 100 pictures in this studio.
More than 100 pictures _____ in this studio.
- 6 When did they open their first shop?
When _____ their first shop _____?

4 Choose the correct answer, A, B, C or D.

- 1 'How _____ tablets do you own?' 'Just one.'
A any B few C much D many
- 2 There are _____ people in the queue. It's too long to wait.
A a lot of B lots C a little D lot
- 3 'I'm so hungry.' 'I have _____ biscuits in my bag. Would you like one?'
A very little B a few C too much D any
- 4 I think there is _____ advertising on TV. I can't stand it.
A too many B lot of C too much D a little
- 5 _____ homework do you get every day?
A How B How long C How many D How much
- 6 She's got _____ money to buy designer clothes, but she often goes window shopping.
A very little B too many C very few D any

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5 Choose the correct answer, A, B or C.

- 1 There _____ supermarkets in my neighbourhood.
A is little
B aren't much
C are few
- 2 If you haven't got money for an expensive jacket, you should try to _____.
A pick up a bargain
B have a sale
C be worth it
- 3 We need to find _____ to buy food.
A somewhere
B anywhere
C everywhere
- 4 _____ of their debtors have returned the money yet.
A No one
B None
C Anyone
- 5 The T-shirt didn't fit my brother, so I sent it back and asked for a _____.
A receipt
B refund
C bonus

6 Read the text and choose the correct answer, A, B or C.

Mystery shopping – a type of market research

Kara, 19, a university student, has an unusual part-time job. She works as a mystery shopper. What does she do? One day she buys a pair of glasses at ¹____, another day she has a meal in a restaurant. She looks like an average customer, but after the visit she writes a report about the place and sends it to the company's office. This is how the shops or restaurants get information about their goods or services and whether ²____ is not satisfied.

'It's the perfect job for me', explains Kara. 'Going shopping has always been my hobby but I don't have ³____ money to buy what I like. With this job I can have a free meal in an elegant restaurant or get some designer clothes. Mystery shopping also gives me ⁴____ interesting to do at weekends and during my lunch hours.'

Market Force, the company which employs people like Kara, says: 'Mystery shoppers ⁵____ once a month. To make sure that our employees are honest and reliable, we sometimes send ⁶____ shoppers to the same place.'

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| 1 A a jeweller's | B an optician's | C a shoe shop |
| 2 A everybody | B anybody | C nobody |
| 3 A many | B much | C some |
| 4 A something | B nothing | C everything |
| 5 A pay | B paid | C are paid |
| 6 A a few | B a little | C none |