

مکالمہ با اصطلاحات آمریکایی At a Clothing Store

+ اصطلاحات و گرامر

Intermediate

Advanced

GOING SHOPPING

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sales clerk check out cashier Was anybody helping you today? get credit for the sale get a percentage of the sale work on commission

- •May I help you?
- •I'm just browsing.
- •Let me know if I can help. My name is Lisa.
- •Do these pants come in black?

- •Yes, but we're sold out. They're so popular, we can't keep them in stock.
- •Do you have any black pants on sale?
- •Yes, these are marked down from \$69.95 to \$24.95.

- •That's a good buy, but I'm not crazy about the fabric.
- •What about these pants? These are on sale for \$49.
- •That's a little pricey, but I'll try them on.

Amy enters the fitting room with the pants. A few minutes later, Lisa comes to check on her.

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- A little snug.
- •That style does run small. Let me bring you the next size up.

Lisa hands Amy the pants and Amy puts them on.

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just browsing

- shopping, without necessarily buying anything; only looking
- •May I help you find something?
- •No, thanks. I'm just browsing.

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come in

to be available in; to be sold in a certain color, style, size, or material

- •Does this jacket come in leather?
- •Do these pants come in black?

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sold out

completely sold

•Gary went to the Apple store to buy the new iPad, but it was sold out.

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in stock

available for sale

- •If you're interested in that toaster, you should buy it now. We've only got a few left in stock.
- •We can't keep them in stock.

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on sale

at a reduced price

- •I like this leather jacket, but \$299 is expensive. I'll wait until it goes on sale.
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marked down

lowered in price; on sale

- •This shirt was marked down from \$49.95 to \$24.95.
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a good buy

- a good price; a bargain
- You bought that Tommy Hilfiger shirt for just \$15? That's a good buy!

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- •What about these pants? These are on sale for \$49.
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I'm not crazy about

to not like very much

- •I'm not crazy about your plan to spend all day at the mall.
- •I'm not crazy about the fabric.

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expensive

- Lucia's Trattoria is a great restaurant, but it's pricey. Dinner for two costs about \$150.
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try something on

- put something on to see if it fits
- You'd better try on your wedding dress again before the wedding to make sure it still fits!
- •I'll try them on.

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run small/run big

to fit small / to fit large

- •These shoes run small, so if you're usually a size 7, try an 8.
- •That style does run small.

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Tag Questions

You're in good shape, aren't you? We should go, shouldn't we? She can swim, can't she? You do love me, don't you? They'll be here later, won't they?

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You're not coming, are you? We shouldn't give up, should we? We can't leave now, can we? We don't play with our food, do we? You won't cry when I go, will you?

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trust me; believe me

Take my word for it. You won't find this camera cheaper at any other store.

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hold off

- to wait to do something; to delay
- •We'd like to buy a new car, but we're going to hold off until the new models are released.
- •I think I'd better hold off for now.

You look great in black. Take my Word for it!

This jacket is a good deal. It's marked downfrom \$249 to \$99.

When the salesman asked if he could help me, I said I was just browsing.

Sorry, the book you're looking for is not .in. stock. It's very popular. This shirt costs just \$14. 95. That's a good buy.

We don't have any more striped scarves. We're soldt.

- Does this sweater come .in. any other colors?
- Would you like to try that suit on. .

 Those shoes who big. Try the next size down.
- I'm not sure I need another pair of jeans. I'm going to hold of for now.

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It's hot out today, .....?
Your father is a doctor, .....?
You're coming to my party, .....?
Your parents live in Florida, .....?
You were born in India, ....?
It's not raining out, .....?
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You can't stay another day, ....? You should call your mother, ....? You can ski, ....? We shouldn't bring our kids, ....?
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Review + audio

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How to practice?

Record your voice with 10 phrases in sentences each day.

Listen and repeat your voice as many times as possible.

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