

Are You a Smart Shopper?

In a town there are three supermarkets: Gary's Groceries, Fiona's Foods and Paul's Provisions.

This week there are special deals on some products at all three shops.

At Gary's Groceries, items are being sold at discount prices.

At Fiona's Foods, you can buy items which are larger than usual.

At Paul's Provisions, there are some "buy one get one free" deals.

	Gary's Groceries						
Item					Mam		
	Biscuits	Oven chips	Crisps	Lemonade	Sausages		
Quantity	7 pack	1.8kg	6 pack	2 litres	8 pack		
Original price	94p	£1.60	£1.20	55p	£1.85		
Special offer	50% off	25% off	35% off	20% off	40% off		

	Fiona's Foods						
Item							
	Biscuits	Oven chips	Crisps	Lemonade	Sausages		
Special offer	40% extra free	12.5% extra free	20% extra free	25% extra free	60% extra free		
New quantity	7 pack	1.8kg	6 pack	2 litres	8 pack		
Price	42p	£1.55	99p	43p	£1.04		



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	Paul's Provisions						
Item							
	Biscuits	Oven chips	Crisps	Lemonade	Sausages		
Quantity	7 pack	1.8kg	6 pack	2 litres	8 pack		
Price	89p	£2.49	£1.59	90p	£2.04		
Special offer	Buy one get one free						

If you shopped at Gary's Groceries, how much would you actually pay for each item? So how much money have you saved on each?

Here is your shopping list:

- 2 bottles of lemonade (2 litre size)
- 1 bag of crisps (6 pack size)
- 24 sausages
- 1 bag of chips (1.8kg size)

If you bought all the items in one shop, where would be the cheapest?

If you could buy the items from different shops, how would you do it to spend the least amount of money?

Apart from the cost, can you think of any other advantages or disadvantages of buying these items at just one shop?

You have £10.70 to spend on a party meal for you and nine friends. Here's your shopping list:

- 4 bottles of lemonade (2 litre size)
- 4 packets of sausages (8 pack size)
- 2 bags of chips (1.8kg size)
- 2 bags of crisps (6 pack size)
- 2 packets of biscuits (7 pack size)



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How can you do this without going over your budget?

How many different ways are there?

Which shop offers best value for money on each item?

What sorts of things do you need to take into account to answer this?

Is the "buy one get one free" deal at Paul's Provisions the same as a 50% off deal?