

Where do you work?

Overview

- Students guess the workplaces that are being described.
- Students read and practice dialogues.

Material Needed

- Handouts (pictures, dialogues, functional language)
- Scissors

Length

70 minutes

Evaluation

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Preparation (10 min)

- Ask students to brainstorm all workplaces that they know in English and that are related to FMS/FPT. Write the answers on the board.
- Complete students' answers to cover all the most common workplaces.

Carrying out (50 min)

Task 1

- Have students work in pairs. Divide the pictures among both students. Students should have different pictures and they must not see each other's pictures.
- "Student A" takes one of his/her pictures and describes the workplace to "student B" using the vocabulary words at the bottom of the picture. "Student B" has two chances to guess which workplace is being described.
- Students take turns describing and guessing.
- Provide the functional language needed (see appendix).

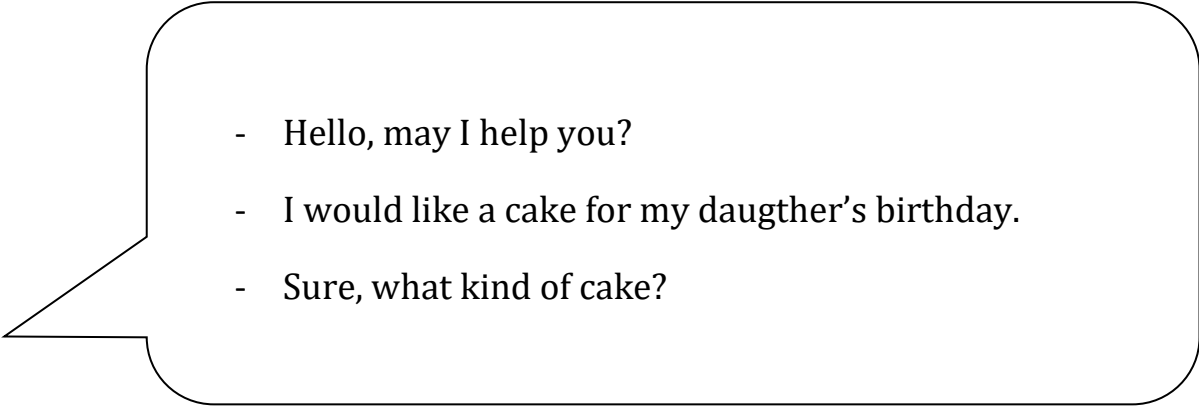
Task 2

- Have students work in pairs. Students read dialogues (Handout 1) and identify the workplaces pertaining to each dialogue.
- Optional: have students read the dialogues out loud.

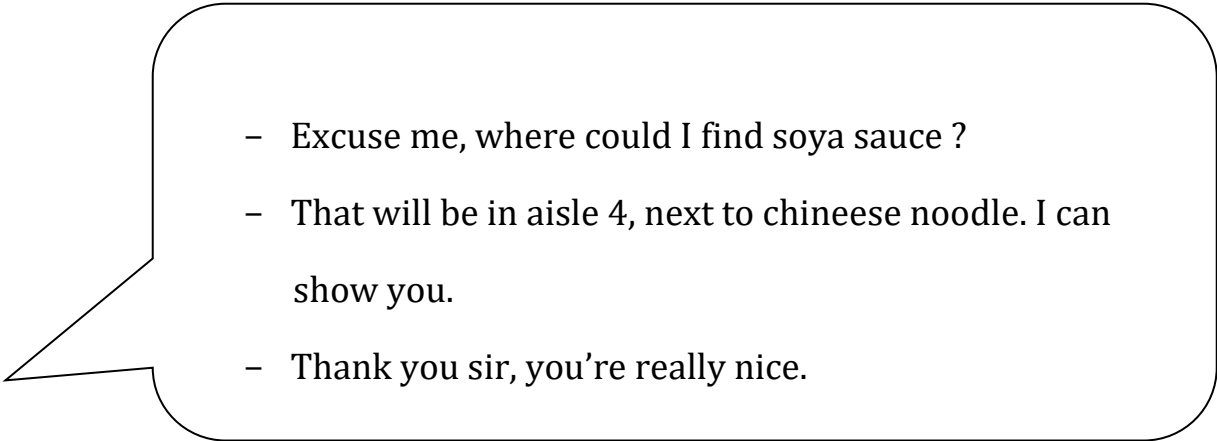
Integration (10 min)

- Individually, ask students to list all the potential workplaces where they could work based on their professional goals.

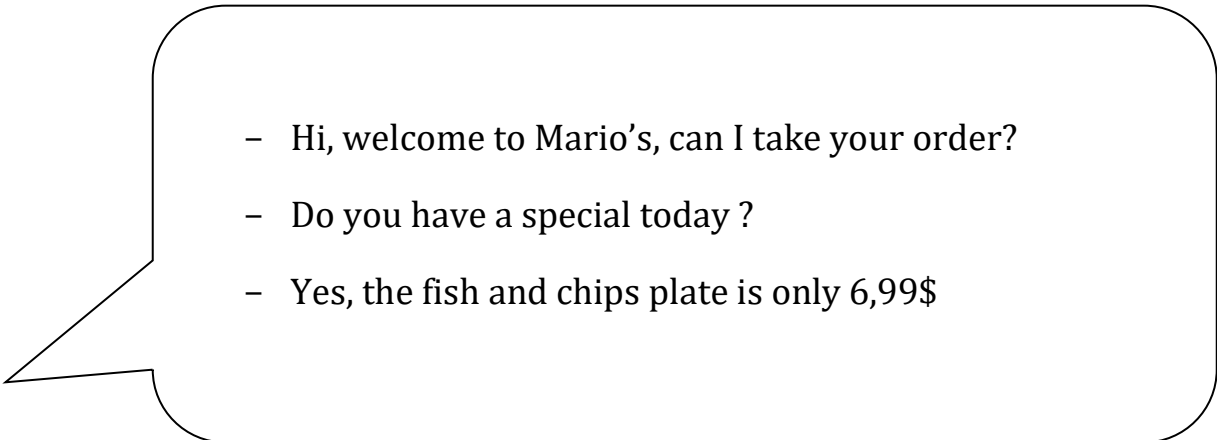
Handout 1: Dialogues

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- Hello, may I help you?
 - I would like a cake for my daughter's birthday.
 - Sure, what kind of cake?



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- Excuse me, where could I find soya sauce ?
 - That will be in aisle 4, next to chinese noodle. I can show you.
 - Thank you sir, you're really nice.



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- Hi, welcome to Mario's, can I take your order?
 - Do you have a special today ?
 - Yes, the fish and chips plate is only 6,99\$

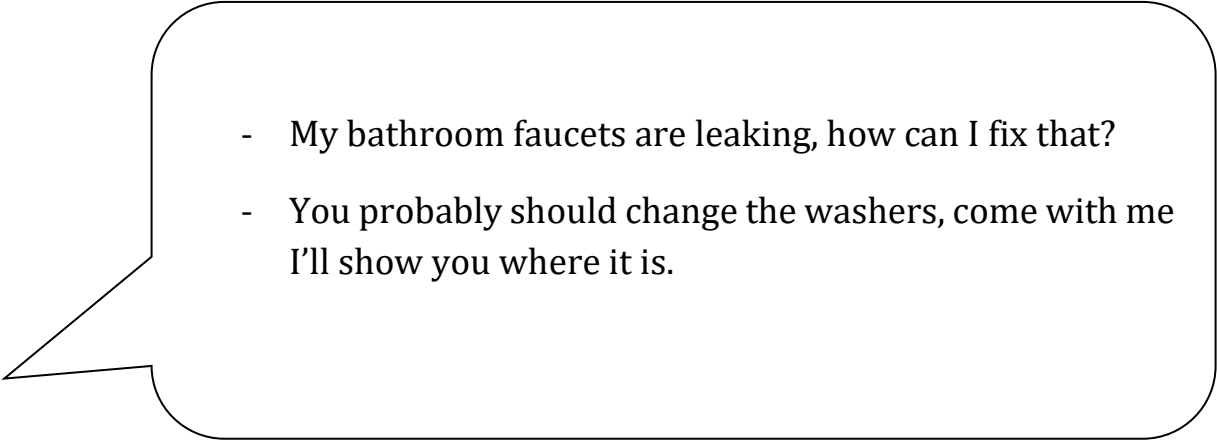
- How many person are you inviting?
- 6
- I think half the ham will be enough, would you like it cooked or raw?



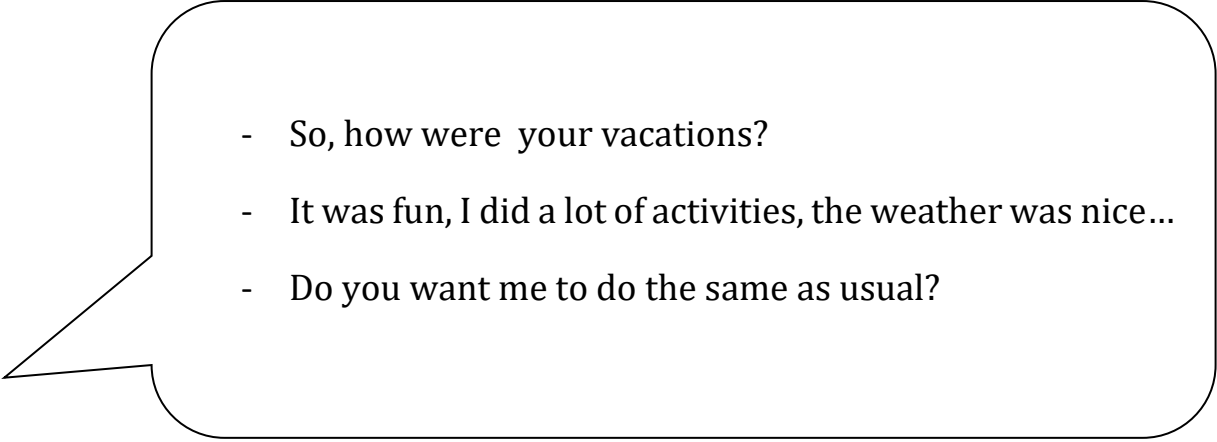
- Would like an apple turnover with that ?
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- That will be 7,54\$ please



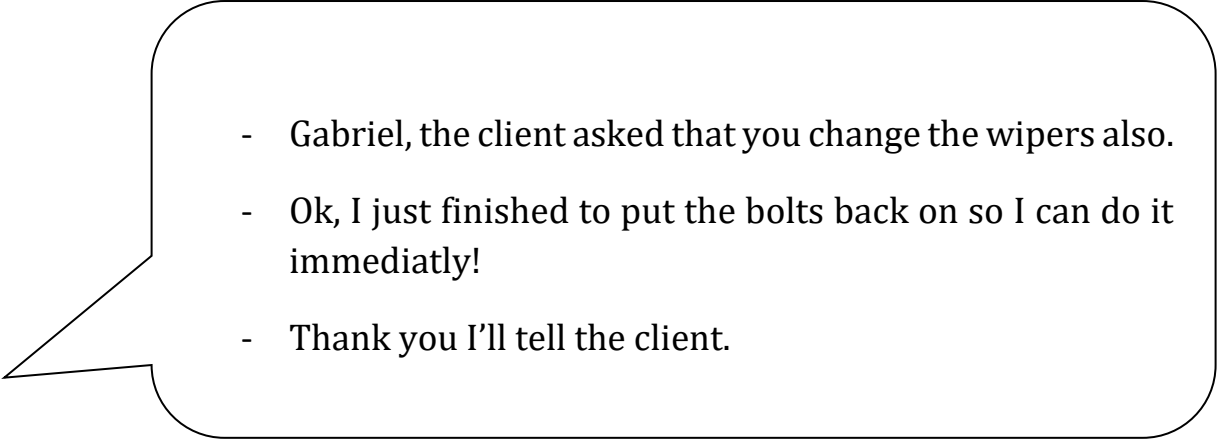
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- That will be at the end of aisle 5.
- Thank you miss.

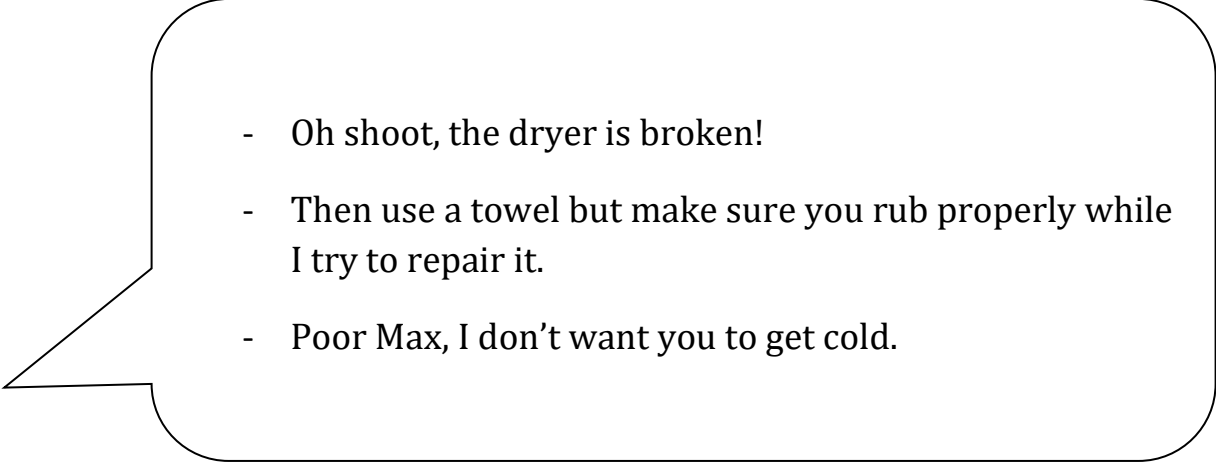
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- My bathroom faucets are leaking, how can I fix that?
 - You probably should change the washers, come with me I'll show you where it is.



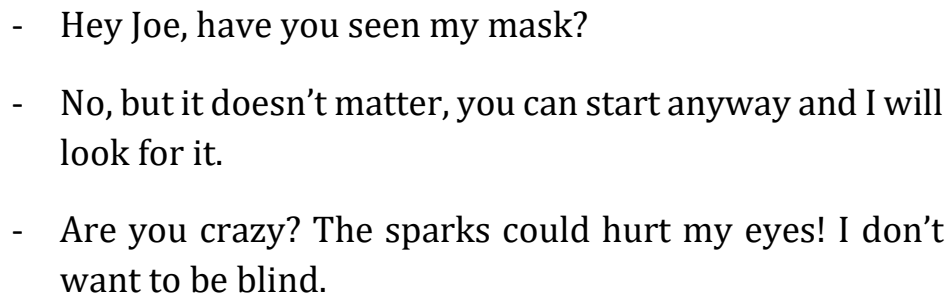
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- So, how were your vacations?
 - It was fun, I did a lot of activities, the weather was nice...
 - Do you want me to do the same as usual?



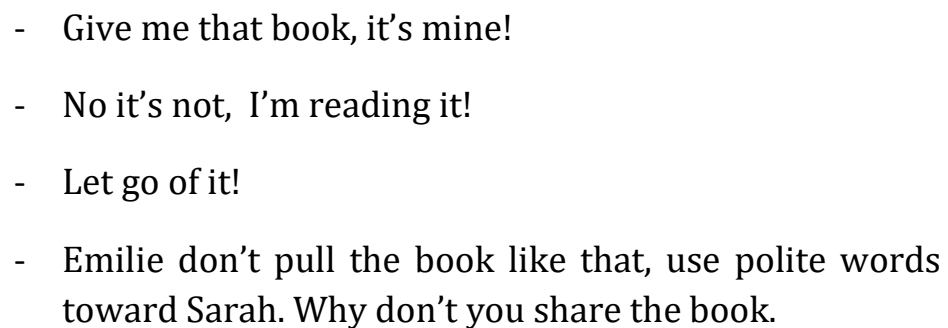
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- Gabriel, the client asked that you change the wipers also.
 - Ok, I just finished to put the bolts back on so I can do it immediatly!
 - Thank you I'll tell the client.

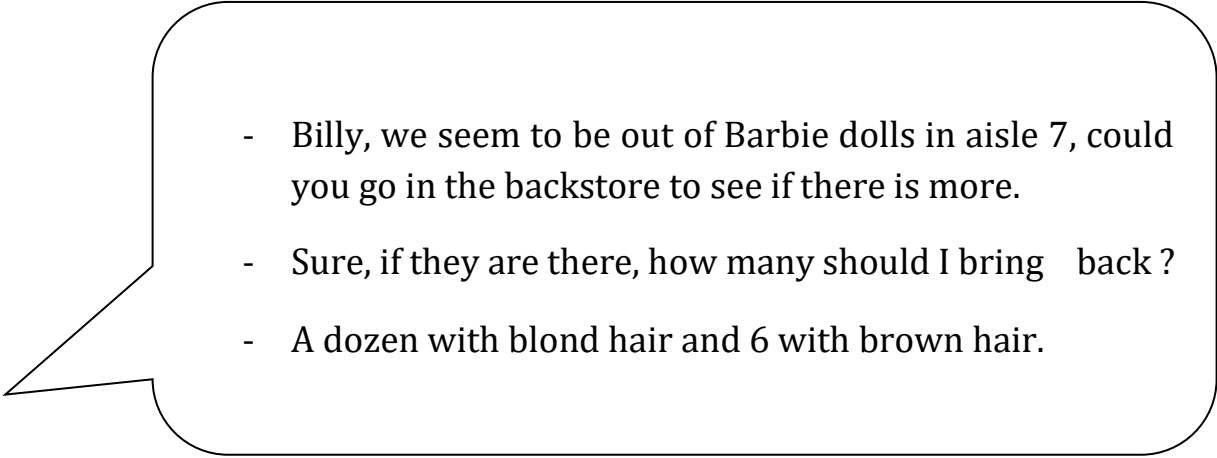
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- Oh shoot, the dryer is broken!
 - Then use a towel but make sure you rub properly while I try to repair it.
 - Poor Max, I don't want you to get cold.



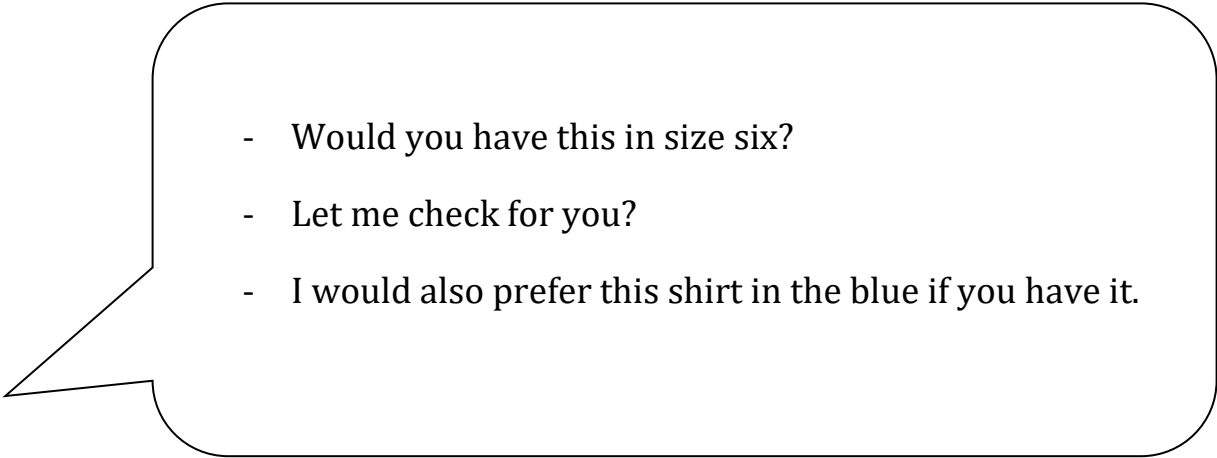
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- Hey Joe, have you seen my mask?
 - No, but it doesn't matter, you can start anyway and I will look for it.
 - Are you crazy? The sparks could hurt my eyes! I don't want to be blind.



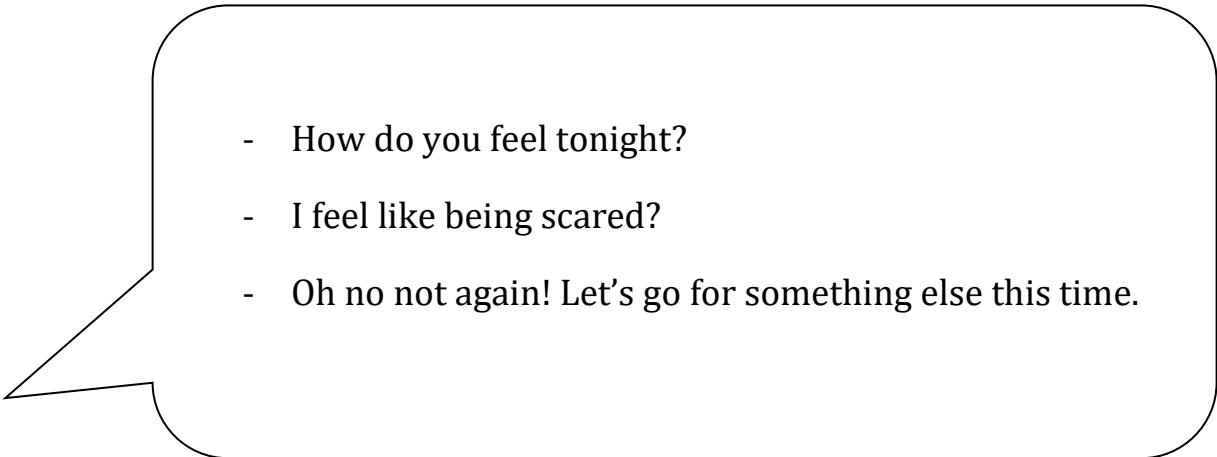
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- Give me that book, it's mine!
 - No it's not, I'm reading it!
 - Let go of it!
 - Emilie don't pull the book like that, use polite words toward Sarah. Why don't you share the book.

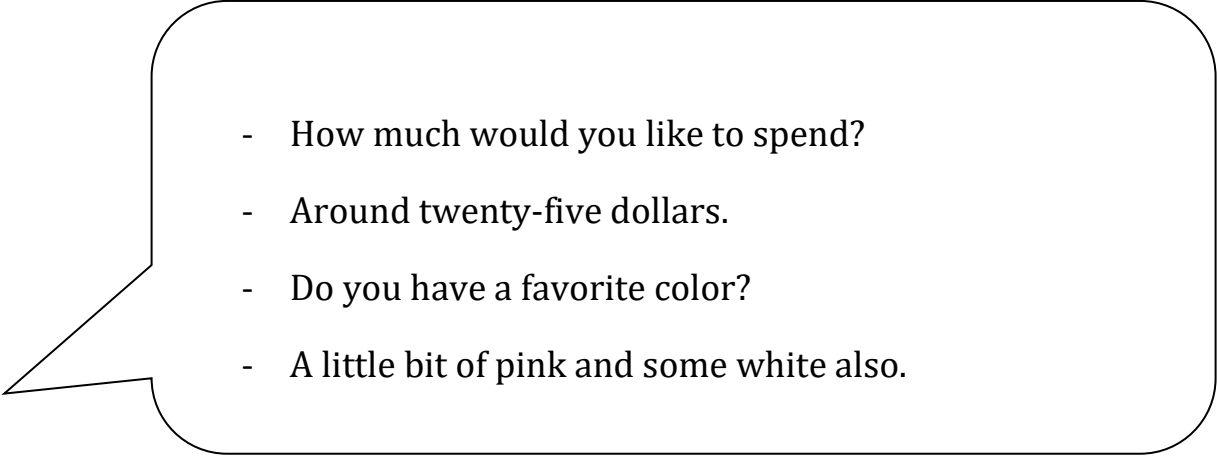
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- Billy, we seem to be out of Barbie dolls in aisle 7, could you go in the backstore to see if there is more.
 - Sure, if they are there, how many should I bring back ?
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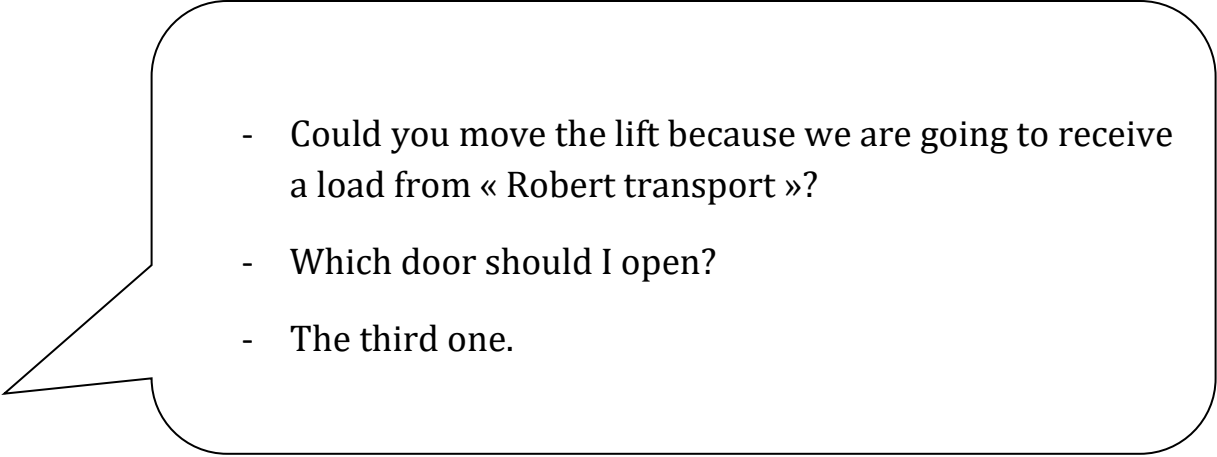
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- Would you have this in size six?
 - Let me check for you?
 - I would also prefer this shirt in the blue if you have it.



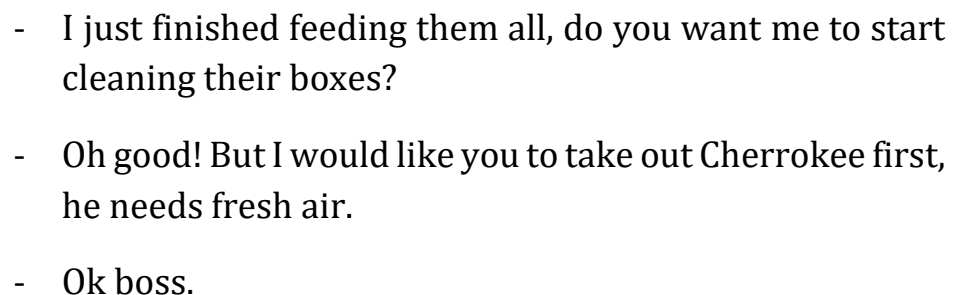
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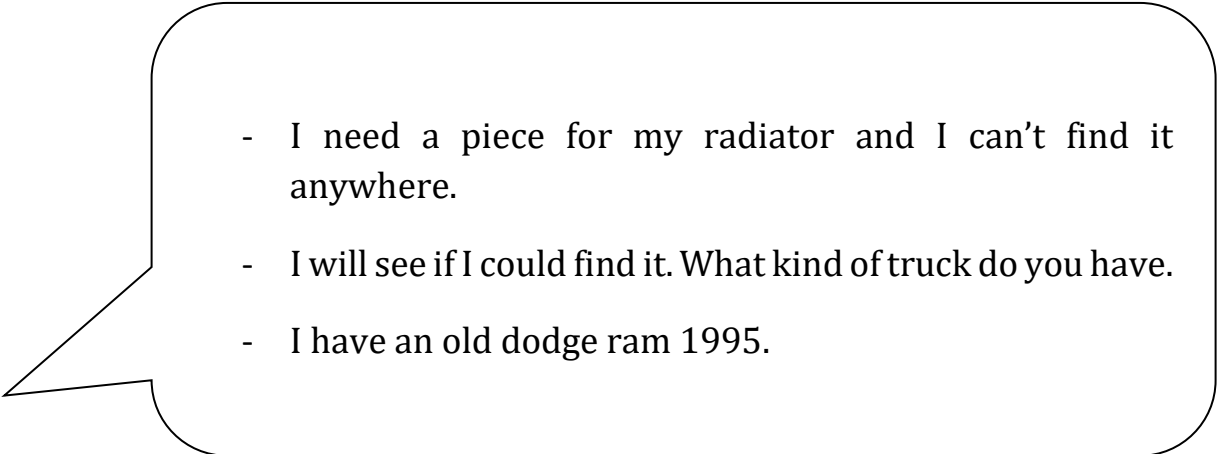
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- How much would you like to spend?
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 - Do you have a favorite color?
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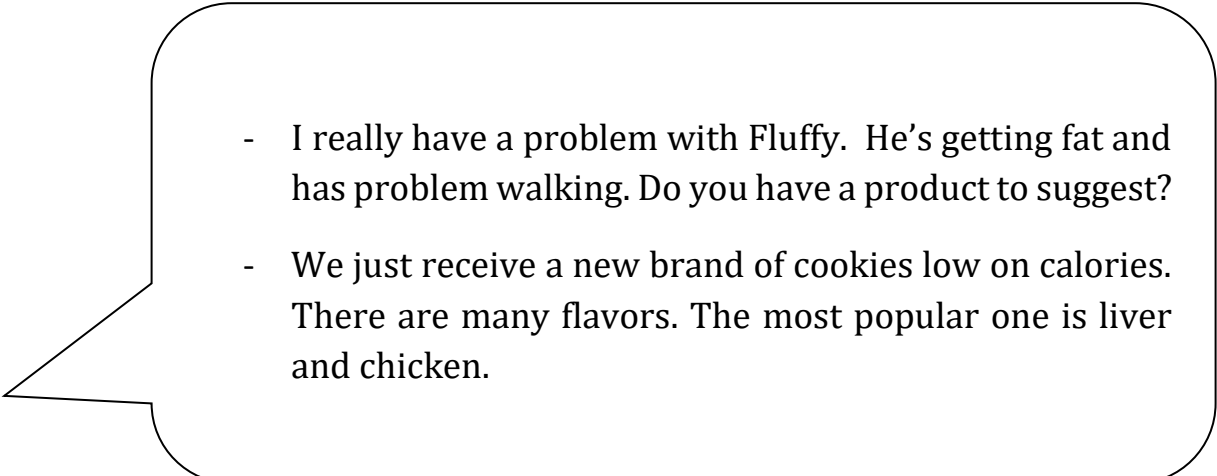
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- Could you move the lift because we are going to receive a load from « Robert transport »?
 - Which door should I open?
 - The third one.



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- I just finished feeding them all, do you want me to start cleaning their boxes?
 - Oh good! But I would like you to take out Cherrokee first, he needs fresh air.
 - Ok boss.

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- I need a piece for my radiator and I can't find it anywhere.
 - I will see if I could find it. What kind of truck do you have.
 - I have an old dodge ram 1995.



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- I really have a problem with Fluffy. He's getting fat and has problem walking. Do you have a product to suggest?
 - We just receive a new brand of cookies low on calories. There are many flavors. The most popular one is liver and chicken.

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