

# Shopping



## Teacher's Notes

The following worksheet has been developed to complement the activities carried out at the Lifeskills Centre. However, it can easily be adapted to suit a wider range of abilities.

Below are some examples of other possible activities:-

- Ask the children to create their own quiz relating to the subject e.g. create crosswords, word-searches etc.
- Ask the children to write a short story or draw pictures/comic strips of each scenario.



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Many shops sell items that can only be bought by people who are over a certain age.

1. Look at the lists below. How old do you think you have to be to buy these items? Write your answers in the spaces provided.

WINE

FIREWORKS

EGGS

CIGARETTES

DVD'S

PIZZA

SPRAY PAINT

GLUE



BEER

COFFEE

LOTTERY TICKET

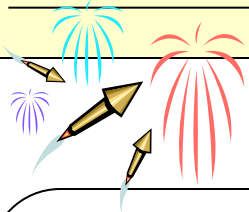
BREAD

TOOTHPASTE

ASPIRIN

CHEESE

COMPUTER GAMES



2. Why do you think we need to have age restrictions on certain products?

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3. What else can you think of that might have an age restriction?

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## Answers

### 1. Age Restrictions

- WINE 18
- FIREWORKS 18
- EGGS No restriction
- CIGARETTES 18
- DVD'S As stated (12, 15, 18 etc)
- PIZZA No restriction
- SPRAY PAINT 16
- GLUE 18 if it contains solvents
- BEER 18
- COFFEE No restriction
- LOTTERY TICKET 16
- BREAD No restriction
- TOOTHPASTE No restriction
- ASPIRIN 16
- CHEESE No restriction
- COMPUTER GAMES As stated (12, 15, 18 etc)

2. Age limits are designed to protect children from buying products which may cause damage to themselves or others.

3. Some other examples are:-

cinema tickets, all types of alcohol (18), kitchen knives (18), petrol (16), party poppers (16), scratch cards (16), pets (16)