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Amazon enters UK grocery shopping market

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THE READING

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Amazon has entered the grocery delivery business with a new service called Amazon Pantry. A pantry is a small room in a house for food, plates and cutlery. Amazon will provide a next-day delivery service for groceries. This will be competition for supermarkets. Amazon customers can choose from more than 4,000 goods, from food to health and beauty products. A new service called Amazon Fresh will sell fresh fruit and vegetables from next year.

Shoppers may not rush to use the new grocery delivery service. It costs \$4.50 for the first 20kg. Customers must be members of Amazon's express service Amazon Prime. This costs \$120 a year. Amazon said Pantry would be very convenient. It will, "take the heavy lifting out of [refilling] the basics and store cupboard essentials that people need every day." It added it is always looking for ways to save customers time and money.

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VOCABULARY MATCHING

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PARAGRAPH ONE:

- | | |
|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| 1. entered the grocery | a. supermarkets |
| 2. a new service called | b. room in a house |
| 3. A pantry is a small | c. Amazon Pantry |
| 4. food, plates | d. fruit |
| 5. provide a next- | e. delivery business |
| 6. competition for | f. to health and beauty |
| 7. from food | g. and cutlery |
| 8. sell fresh | h. day delivery service |

PARAGRAPH TWO:

- | | |
|---------------------------|-----------------------|
| 1. Shoppers may | a. lifting |
| 2. Customers must | b. need every day |
| 3. This costs | c. not rush |
| 4. Pantry would | d. \$120 a year |
| 5. heavy | e. and money |
| 6. refilling the | f. be very convenient |
| 7. essentials that people | g. basics |
| 8. save customers time | h. be members |

LISTEN AND FILL IN THE GAPS

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Amazon (1) _____ grocery delivery business with a new service called Amazon Pantry. A pantry (2) _____ in a house for food, plates and cutlery. Amazon will provide (3) _____ delivery service for groceries. This will (4) _____ supermarkets. Amazon customers can choose from more than 4,000 goods, (5) _____ health and beauty products. A new service called Amazon Fresh (6) _____ fruit and vegetables from next year.

Shoppers (7) _____ use the new grocery delivery service. It costs \$4.50 (8) _____ 20kg. Customers must (9) _____ Amazon's express service Amazon Prime. This costs \$120 a year. Amazon said Pantry (10) _____ convenient. It will, "take the heavy lifting out of [refilling] (11) _____ store cupboard essentials that people need every day." It added it is always looking for (12) _____ customers time and money.

PUT A SLASH (/) WHERE THE SPACES ARE

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WRITE QUESTIONS & ASK YOUR PARTNER(S)

Student A: Do not show these to your speaking partner(s).

a)

b)

c)

d)

e)

f)

g)

h)

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WRITE QUESTIONS & ASK YOUR PARTNER(S)

Student B: Do not show these to your speaking partner(s).

a)

b)

c)

d)

e)

f)

g)

h)
