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Level 0

Amazon enters UK grocery shopping market

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Please try Levels 1, 2 and 3. They are (a little) harder.

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THE READING

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Amazon is now in the grocery delivery business. Its service is called Amazon Pantry. A pantry is a small room in a house for food. Amazon will have a next-day delivery service for groceries. Customers can choose from more than 4,000 goods, from food to beauty products. It will sell fresh fruit and vegetables next year.

Shoppers might not use Pantry. It costs \$4.50 for the first 20kg. Customers must be members of Amazon Prime. This costs \$120 a year. Amazon said Pantry is convenient. People don't need to carry heavy groceries every day. Amazon said it always wants to save customers time and money.

Sources: <http://www.dailyrecord.co.uk/news/science-technology/amazon-launches-next-day-grocery-6827450>
<http://www.thenewsindependent.com/amazon-poses-threats-to-top-uk-supermarkets/6279/>
<http://nysepost.com/amazon-launches-grocery-delivery-service-pantry-42053>

VOCABULARY MATCHING

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PARAGRAPH ONE:

- | | |
|-----------------------------|-------------------------|
| 1. the grocery delivery | a. day delivery service |
| 2. A pantry is a small room | b. 4,000 goods |
| 3. a next- | c. fruit and vegetables |
| 4. Customers can | d. business |
| 5. more than | e. year |
| 6. beauty | f. in a house for food |
| 7. It will sell fresh | g. products |
| 8. next | h. choose |

PARAGRAPH TWO:

- | | |
|------------------------|------------------|
| 1. Shoppers might not | a. groceries |
| 2. It costs | b. a year |
| 3. Customers must | c. day |
| 4. This costs \$120 | d. be members |
| 5. Amazon said Pantry | e. use Pantry |
| 6. carry heavy | f. and money |
| 7. every | g. \$4.50 |
| 8. save customers time | h. is convenient |

LISTEN AND FILL IN THE GAPS

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Amazon (1) _____ grocery delivery business.

Its service is called Amazon Pantry. A pantry

(2) _____ in a house for food. Amazon will have

(3) _____ delivery service for groceries.

Customers (4) _____ more than 4,000 goods,

from food to (5) _____. It will sell fresh fruit

(6) _____ next year.

Shoppers (7) _____ Pantry. It costs

(8) _____ first 20kg. Customers

(9) _____ of Amazon Prime. This costs \$120 a

year. Amazon said Pantry (10) _____. People

don't need (11) _____ groceries every day.

Amazon said it always wants to (12) _____ time

and money.

PUT A SLASH (/) WHERE THE SPACES ARE

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time and money.

WRITE QUESTIONS & ASK YOUR PARTNER(S)

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

a) _____

b) _____

c) _____

d) _____

e) _____

f) _____

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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) _____

WRITING

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Write about **groceries** for 10 minutes. Read and talk about your partner's paper.
