

Supermarket Floor Plan - alphabetical ordering activity

- Explain to learners that alphabetising stock is a possible idea for a new 'Bigstocks' store. They are going to test this idea out to see how it works!
- Use OHP or data projector to display page 2 onto a whiteboard or plain wall. Laminate and cut out the items below and then ask learners to attach them with blu-tack to the correct floor area (and then, if there is more than one word beginning with certain letters, into the correct order within each shelf area).
- For more of a challenge use the plan on page 3 where learners will have to label each area with the correct letter first.
- Alternatively, cut out words below (on paper), enlarge floor plans to A3 and use as an individual (or paired) cut and stick exercise with a glue stick.
- (Word cards could also be sorted without using floor plan).
- Needless to say – this activity will provoke much discussion about the impracticalities of such a floorplan!

Apple Pies	Nutmeg
Brown rolls	Orange Squash
Cheese	Pantene conditioner
Cinnamon rolls	Pepsi Max
Cornflakes	Poppy seed loaf
Doughnuts	Raisin bread
Farmhouse brown	Salt & Vinegar crisps
Granary loaf	Sandwich loaf
Head & Shoulders	Strawberry Mousse
Ice Cream	Teabags
Marmite	Thick white sliced
Medium white sliced	Victoria Sponge Cake
Nivea face wash	Wholemeal loaf

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A		E		I		M		Q		U		Y	
B		F		J		N		R		V		Z	
C		G		K		O		S		W		C H E C K O U T	
D		H		L		P		T		X		C H E C K O U T	

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A											Y	
											Z	
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