

## Word on the Street York Scene 1

### Exercises

Answers are at the end of this support pack.

#### Activity 1

Watch the video. Put the events in order.

- A. Stephen and Ash go to the Viking excavation office.
- B. Stephen and Ash register to do an archaeological dig.
- C. Stephen and Ash visit a shop which sells old Roman things.
- D. Stephen and Ash visit the Viking museum.
- E. Stephen and Ashlie drive to York.
- F. Stephen buys a present for Ash.

#### Activity 2

Watch the video again. Choose the correct words to complete the sentences.

1. York is in the \_\_\_\_\_ of England.
  - a) north
  - b) south
  - c) east
2. Stephen says that York is famous for its \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a) shops
  - b) archaeology

- c) history
3. The price of the Roman brooch is \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a) £75
  - b) £95
  - c) £120
4. Ash's present, a Roman ring, costs \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a) £75
  - b) £95
  - c) £120
5. The man at the excavation office tells Stephen and Ash to be there the next day at \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a) 6 am
  - b) 7 am
  - c) 8 am

#### Activity 3

Stephen says 'I thought we could ...' to make a suggestion: 'I thought we could look around the Viking museum.'

He uses the past tense verbs 'thought' and 'could' so that his suggestion sounds more polite.

Match the suggestions with the questions.

I thought we could buy them some new furniture. / I thought we could do something a bit different. How about Egypt? / I thought we could just stay at home. I'm a bit tired. / I thought we could put it on the wall in the bathroom. / I

thought we could take them to the zoo. / I  
thought we could invite our new  
neighbours.

1. What do you want to do tonight?

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2. Who should we invite to the  
barbecue?

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3. Where should we put this picture?

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4. Have you got any ideas for our  
holidays this year? Spain again?

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5. What should we buy Andrew and  
Hannah for their wedding?

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6. What shall we do with the kids this  
weekend?

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### Discussion

- Would you rather go shopping or go to a museum? Why?
- Have you ever searched for treasure or worked on an archaeological dig? Would you want to?

Discuss these questions with another student or post a comment on the LearnEnglish website.

## Answers

### Activity 1

1. E. Stephen and Ashlie drive to York.
2. C. Stephen and Ash visit a shop which sells old Roman things.
3. F. Stephen buys a present for Ash.
4. D. Stephen and Ash visit the Viking museum.
5. A. Stephen and Ash go to the Viking excavation office.
6. B. Stephen and Ash register to do an archaeological dig.

### Activity 2

1. a) north
2. c) history
3. a) £75
4. c) £120
5. b) 7 am

### Activity 3

1. What do you want to do tonight? I thought we could just stay at home. I'm a bit tired.
2. Who should we invite to the barbecue? Well, I thought we could invite our new neighbours.
3. Where should we put this picture? I thought we could put it on the wall in the bathroom.
4. Have you got any ideas for our holidays this year? Spain again? I thought we could do something a bit different. How about Egypt?
5. What should we buy Andrew and Hannah for their wedding? I thought we could buy them some new furniture.
6. What shall we do with the kids this weekend? I thought we could take them to the zoo.