



## Investigating a purchase

### Preparation checklist

Provide a copy of the homework sheet **Investigating a purchase – the two-stop shop** for each student.

### Activity explanation

This is an activity for students to complete as homework. It involves students selecting an item they would like to purchase, exploring the possible purchase in two shops, and making some comparisons. Please note, schools in rural areas may need to modify this activity to suit their situation.

### Activity

- a) Have students complete **Investigating a purchase – the two-stop shop** for homework.
- b) After the students have completed the activity discuss the result of their shop comparisons and the process they used to select which product to purchase. Focus the discussion around:
  - the reasons for the differences between the two stores – why are things done differently in each store (eg, the store layout, different buyers targeted)
  - the reasons for the students' decisions.

