

# shopping for food

<p><b>Learn with television</b></p> <p><b>Talk German: Programme 3</b></p> <p>Discover Munich's open-air food market and see the amazing array of fresh fruit, vegetables and flowers. Visit a supermarket with a new approach to organic shopping.</p> <p>Talk German is repeated regularly on BBC Learning Zone (BBC Two). Check out the details on <a href="http://www.bbc.co.uk/learningzone">www.bbc.co.uk/learningzone</a> then video the programmes to watch at your leisure.</p>	<p><b>Learn online</b></p> <p><a href="http://www.bbc.co.uk/languages/german">www.bbc.co.uk/languages/german</a></p> <p><b>German Steps</b></p> <p><b>Stage 3: Shopping for food</b></p> <p>See Andrea stocking up on bread, cold meat and cheese at her local supermarket. Then do the activities, read all about German regional specialities and check out the links to sites of interest.</p> <p><b>Talk German: Buy food</b></p> <p>Admire the fresh produce on sale in the market. Watch the video clips, read the transcript, do the activities then check your progress.</p>
<p><b>Learning hint</b></p> <p>Write the German words for basic foodstuffs on sticky labels and put them on the relevant packets or containers in your kitchen. Include the article (<b>der, die or das</b>) with each word. You'll find this a very easy method of learning vocabulary.</p>	
<p><b>Key language</b></p> <p><b>Kann ich Ihnen helfen?</b> Can I help you?</p> <p><b>Was kosten ...?</b> How much do ... cost?</p> <p><b>Wie teuer ist ...?</b> How much (lit. How expensive) is ...?</p> <p><b>Ich möchte bitte</b> I'd like</p> <p><b>Ich hätte gern</b> I'd like</p> <p><b>Wie viel möchten Sie?</b> How much would you like?</p> <p><b>Sonst noch etwas?</b> Anything else?</p> <p><b>Was macht das zusammen?</b> How much is that in total?</p>	<p><b>das Brot</b> bread</p> <p><b>das Brötchen</b> bread roll</p> <p><b>der Schinken</b> ham</p> <p><b>der Käse</b> cheese</p> <p><b>das Stück</b> piece</p> <p><b>ein halbes Pfund</b> half a pound</p> <p><b>die Orangen</b> oranges</p> <p><b>die Äpfel</b> apples</p>
<p><b>Quiz</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. What would you buy in <b>Scheiben - Äpfel, Schinken</b> or <b>Kartoffelsalat</b>?</li> <li>2. Which of the following is a vegetable dish - <b>Sauerkraut</b> or <b>Sauerbraten</b>?</li> <li>3. Who is more likely to say <b>Bitte schön</b>, the customer or the assistant?</li> <li>4. You've finished your shopping and the assistant asks you <b>Ist das alles?</b> What do you say?</li> <li>5. If someone invites you to their house for <b>Abendbrot</b>, would you go at lunchtime or in the evening?</li> <li>6. Is traditional German rye bread <b>Weiβbrot</b> or <b>Schwarzbrötchen</b>?</li> </ol>	<p>Answers on <a href="http://www.bbc.co.uk/languages/german/answers.shtml">www.bbc.co.uk/languages/german/answers.shtml</a></p>