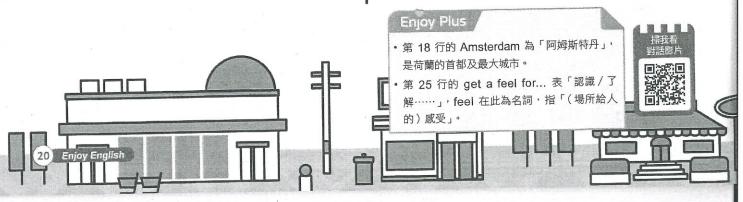


Sally and her friend, Peter, are in their hotel room in a foreign country. They are discussing what they will do later.

- S: Hey, Peter. Since we have some free time later, how about we visit the local supermarket?
- P: The supermarket? Why would we go there? We should be out sightseeing▼ or trying out local restaurants.
- S: Think about it. The supermarket is where everyday² life happens. You get to see what sauces and spices³ locals¹ use,
- the kinds of fish they sell, and all the fruits and vegetables you've never seen before. It's like experiencing their culture through food.
- P: I see what you mean, but surely thatcould be done at restaurants, too.

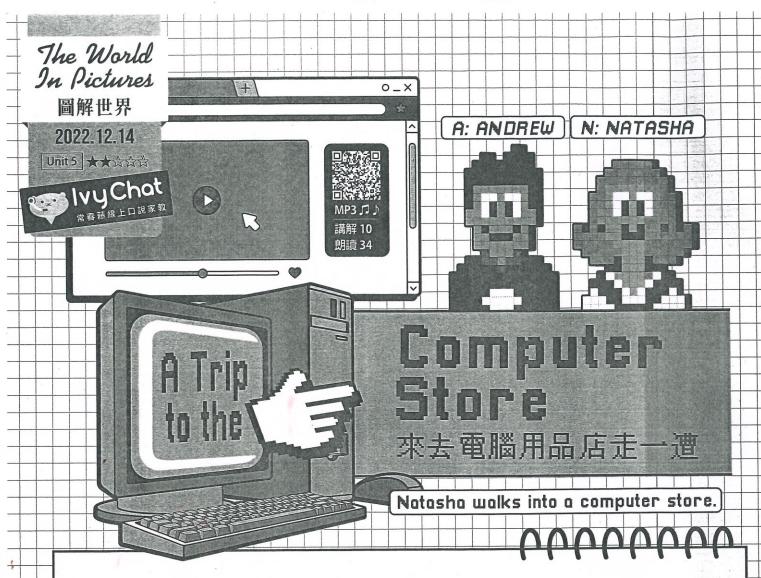
- S: There are cool snacks and treats⁴ that aren't offered at restaurants, though.

 When I was in Amsterdam last year,
 I found some special butter cookies I hadn't seen anywhere else.
- P: Then I suppose it's worth⁵ checking out. It sounds like a good way to see locals just going about⁶ their daily lives.
- S: Exactly! It's like sightseeing without the tourists⁷. You can get a real feel for the ²⁵ country that way.
- P: All right, you've convinced me. Maybe I'll find something interesting to try or bring back for my family.
- S: Great. Prepare to be amazed8!



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- A: Welcome to Andrew's Computers!
- N: Hi, I'm looking for some accessories ♥ for my PC ♥.
- A: You've come to the right place. What exactly are you looking for?
- N: I need a webcam for work. I should also pick up1 a new Wi-Fi router since I'm here.
- A: OK. Webcams are over there. Do you want one with a built-in² microphone?
- N: Good question. Maybe I should invest in ▼ a high-quality one.
- A: I can offer you some good options ▼ at reasonable³ prices.
- N: Great. I also need a good router so my internet is stable4 during work meetings.
- A: Oh, I see. So you're putting together⁵ a PC kit for work, then?
- N: Yes. I just bought a new PC with a huge monitor and speakers for online work meetings.
- A: Check out this brand-new router. It won't let you down6.
- N: That looks fancy7.
- A: It is, but it's worth it. It also comes with a free USB.
- N: Thanks for the suggestion, but I'd still like to look around a bit.
- A: No problem. Just let me know when you're ready to check out.

