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Read the texts. Which place would you most like to spend time in?

SHOPPING IN UKRAINE

Ukraine has many exciting places to shop. You can visit big shopping malls, open-air markets, or famous streets in the city centres. Each place has its own atmosphere and things to buy. Some people like modern shops with clothes and electronics, while others prefer traditional souvenirs or handmade crafts. Shopping in Ukraine is not only about buying things, it can also be a fun experience with food, music, and entertainment.

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Respublika Park is one of the biggest shopping malls in Kyiv. There are hundreds of shops where you can buy clothes, shoes, cosmetics or electronics. Sometimes I even get something that I didn't plan to buy! After shopping, I usually go to the food court, watch a film at the cinema, or play bowling. It's a place where you can shop and have fun at the same time.



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Vernysazh is an open-air souvenir market on Vicheva Square in Lviv. It is famous for handmade souvenirs, paintings and traditional Ukrainian crafts. I like shopping there because I am really interested in art, and at Vernysazh you can often meet the artists or sellers who made the things. Every time I go, I find something special that you can't buy in ordinary shops. For me, Vernysazh is the best place to shop for unique Ukrainian things.

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2 **Derybasivska Street** is a famous place in the centre of Odesa. It is a wide pedestrian street with many shops, cafés and restaurants. I like walking there, looking at the shop windows and sometimes buying clothes or small gifts. There are also street musicians who make shopping more enjoyable. For me, shopping on Derybasivska Street always feels like a holiday.

Read again and answer the questions.

Which is the best place to ...

a buy an original present?
b do activities with your friends?
c have a relaxing walk?