

APOSTROPHES

⇒Directions: Write in the blank any word that requires an apostrophe or an apostrophe and -s. If it is correct, write correct in the blank. If a word has an apostrophe, but doesn't need one, correct it on the line.

- _____ 1. The addiction many American's have to online shopping is a struggle, and the struggle is real.
- _____ 2. There are several ways that shoppers' can determine if their shopping is for pleasure, or if it is a problem.
- _____ 3. You always have a tab open in your web browser with a full shopping cart waiting for you to click purchase.
- _____ 4. You have a daily routine that consists of cycling through online retailers to see if any of your favorite stores inventory has grown over night.
- _____ 5. There are time's when you get packages in the mail that you forgot you even ordered.
- _____ 6. You get more promotional emails than real emails.
- _____ 7. If any of these symptoms apply to you, the numerous online retailers constant cycle of sales and promotions have turned you into a shopaholic.
- _____ 8. Experts suggest spending time figuring out whats truly at the root of the problem.
- _____ 9. Each shoppers addiction is going to be triggered by different factors.
- _____ 10. For some people, it may be a stressful days work that led them to retreat in front of the computer.
- _____ 11. Other cart fillers may be looking to fill more than their carts due loneliness or an unfulfilling relationship.
- _____ 12. Its most likely not going to be an easy task to break away from the enticing flash sales and cute outfits pinging your inbox or favorite app.
- _____ 13. Looking into therapy or support groups is a good place to start especially if you recognize youre needing companionship.
- _____ 14. A shoppers entire lifestyle will need to be changed and revamped so that the need to shop can be replaced with something more healthy.
- _____ 15. Recovering from being a shopaholic means developing a healthy and balanced relationship with shopping and creating limits that work for you.

⇒ Challenge: Write two sentences using apostrophes. Try to stay on the topic of online shopping.

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