

News in Liberal Studies worksheet
26 October, 2016

JUNIOR LEVEL

Vocabulary bank

Replace the highlighted words with words from the news article.

Apple says it has found that many products it bought on Amazon.com that claimed to be **1.real** Apple items were in fact **2. fake**. Amazon has **3.named** a New Jersey company as the source of the goods. So Apple filed a **4.legal claim** against the company. Apple says the chargers and cables concerned posed a significant **5.danger** of overheating, fire and electrical shock.

ADVANCED LEVEL

A. Fill in the blanks

Please complete the table below:

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| Issue | Fake 1. _____ sold on Amazon as real Apple products. |
| Danger | The products could create serious danger when being used as they can 2. _____, catch 3. _____ or cause 4. _____. |
| Action | Apple is taking legal action against a New Jersey company which has been identified as the 5. _____ of the fake goods, but 6. _____ was not named in the lawsuit. |
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B. CRITICAL THINKING

1. What are the dangers of shopping online?
2. Do you know how to spot fake goods that are sold online?
3. Do you know anyone who has been cheated while shopping online?
4. Would you buy fake goods if they are cheaper than the genuine ones?
5. Do you agree with Jack Ma that the problem of counterfeits can never be completely solved?
What are your reasons?

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[Answers]

Junior level

1.genuine; 2.counterfeit; 3.identified; 4.lawsuit; 5.risk

Advanced level

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1.chargers and cables; 2.overheat; 3.fire; 4.electric shock; source; 6.Amazon