

Shopping Cultural: Between Taiwan and Winnipeg

Shopping in my country is different from in Winnipeg. In Taiwan, grocery, traditional market or supermarket always around the house. Most of the store open from 5:00 am. to 11:00 pm. People always walk to store because the store is close to their house. Most of the woman buy the food in the traditional market. They go shopping in the morning before they go to work everyday or every second day. But in Winnipeg, many store become a shopping mall. Shopping mall is a little far from the house. People always drive their car to shopping mall. Most of the store open from 9:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m. People always buy the food in the superstore once or twice a week after work or on the weekend. Although shopping in Taiwan is more convenient than shopping in Winnipeg. On the contrary people go shopping in the Winnipeg save time because they can buy everything in the same mall. The other big different between Taiwan and Winnipeg. In Taiwan, people would rather use cash than use credit card. People always pay the cash when they buy something. But in Winnipeg, people always don't have much cash on them. They would rather bring credit card than bring the cash.

Beside, when people go shopping the service or help from storekeeper is similar. Most of the storekeeper are friendly and patient. When people go into a store. Storekeeper give people help or some information. They help people when people need to help.