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Spending Money

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ERIN: Guys! Guys! Check it out. Look what I got for my birthday!

SAM: Wow! Fifty bucks.

ROY: What are you gonna spend it on?

ERIN: Welllll—

AMY: Is that even a question? You gotta get a pair of AirJumpers!

GROUP: Awwright!

SAM: They're SO cool. I heard they can make you jump higher than a mountain!

ROY: And all the famous people wear them! Well, at least in the commercials.

GROUP: AirJumpers! AirJumpers! AirJumpers!

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JUNIOR: Guys. Guys! Are you OK, Erin?

ERIN: It's just, you guys seem so excited about the shoes, but... I don't really want them.

ROY: That's OK! It's your money; you can spend it however you like.

JUNIOR: Choosing how to spend your money can be hard—especially with the influence of your friends or commercials or even celebrities.

ERIN: If I had an unlimited money machine, then yeah, I'd get those shoes. But I can't have everything that I want, so I need to make sure that this \$50 goes to something that makes me happy. And for me, I think that's saving for a guitar.

SAM: Cool! For me it would be a video game.

ROY: For me, it would be a pizza party!

AMY: I'd still get the shoes. They're amazing!

JUNIOR: And that's OK. See? We're all different and we spend money differently.

ERIN: So you won't be mad if I don't have cool shoes?

GROUP: Of course not!

AMY: Huh? Oh, of course not! You're our friend and we love you just the way shoes are. I mean, you are.

JUNIOR: People can't have everything they want, so they have to make choices about what goods and services they buy. What would you do with \$50?