

Bar Codes

1 Bar codes are the sets of black and white lines on the labels of things we buy in shops. Have you ever wondered what bar codes are for ____

Each kind of thing in the shop _____ a different bar code some of the bar code lines are thick, others
5 are thin and the spaces in between them can be different.

At the till, the bar code is scanned (or read). The bar code tells the computer inside the till what the object is and how much it costs. The till makes a noise to show it has scanned the bar code and knows what you are buying.



- 1 In line 2, add punctuation in the gap at the end of the sentence.
- 2 In line 4, add a capital letter and a full stop to correct the punctuation.
- 3 Which is the best word to fill the gap in line 3? Circle the word:

have
has
had
having
- 4 Underline a past tense verb in the final sentence.
- 5 Underline the words on line 7 that tell you where to find the computer.
- 6 In line 8, circle a present tense verb.
- 7 Rewrite this sentence as a question: The bar code is scanned.

8 Write a pronoun you could use to replace the underlined noun phrase in lines 6 and 7:

9 Write a synonym for **wondered** in line 2: _____

10 Write an antonym (word meaning the opposite) to replace **knows** in line 9:

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