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Cambridge English Exam?



For sale

If something is for sale, it is being offered to people to buy.

- His former home is for sale at £495,000. [+ at]
- There was a super camera for sale in the window.
- Is this painting for sale?

Put something up for sale

To make something available for people to buy

- We're putting the factory up for sale.
- The farm was put up for sale.

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On sale

If products in a shop are on sale, they are available to buy in a shop:

- Tickets for the performance are on sale at the box office.

Go on sale

To become available for purchase.

- When will the PlayStation 5 finally go on sale?

Put something on sale

To make something available for people to buy.

- When would you like us to put your car on sale?
- Did you know that only around half of the properties put on sale each year actually sell?

In the sale

In the sale

Be available for purchase at a reduced price.

- Are these shoes in the sale?
- Can you tell me if this dress is in the sale?

In the sales

At a time when many stores have a sale

- I bought these shoes in the sales.
- I bought this in the January sales.

Have a sale

An event or period of time during which a shop reduces the prices of some of its goods

- The shop is having a sale on appliances next week.