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## ESCUELA OFICIAL DE IDIOMAS DE GRANADA los idiomas unen

Dpto. de inglés  
Listening

### One of the Oxford Street Christmas lights

This week, a trip to a crowded and noisy Oxford Street in London's West End to see the pop group Westlife turn on the Christmas lights.

Before you listen to the programme look at the comprehension questions below. You will hear the answers in the programme. You can try to answer them by following the link to the quiz in the Extras section.



Crowds watch Westlife

- 1: How many shops are there in Oxford Street? \_\_\_\_\_
- 2: How many lights are there in this year's display? \_\_\_\_\_
- 3: How many people attended the ceremony to turn on the lights? \_\_\_\_\_
- 4: How many people visit Oxford Street in the 6 weeks before Christmas? \_\_\_\_\_

### Words and expressions from the programme

#### a shopaholic

someone who loves to shop

#### to turn up

to attend, to go to

#### Example:

Only 2 people turned up to my party.

#### to turn on

to make a machine or device work by using a switch

#### Example:

These days you can turn on most televisions by using a remote control.

#### the high street

a general expression for the main shopping street in a city or town

#### to congregate

For (many) people to meet or gather together in a particular place

#### Example:

A large crowd congregated in the town square to hear the mayor speak.

#### a retail store

a shop



Westlife turn on the lights