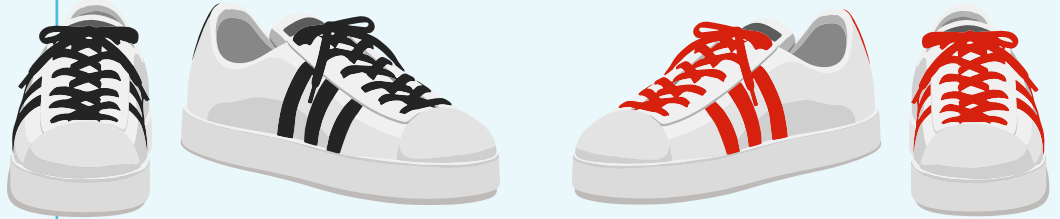


# PEER PRESSURE

Tyler's friends have new sneakers and he wants a new pair, too. His mom has agreed to pay \$50 toward a new pair and has suggested that, if Tyler wants a more expensive pair, he use his own money to pay for the rest.

Here are Tyler's options:

Nikes: \$85  
Pumas: \$50  
Adidas: \$65



Can you help Tyler decide on a new pair of sneakers?

1) Most of Tyler's friends have Nikes. If he also buys Nikes, how much of his own money will he need to spend?

- a. \$25
- b. \$35
- c. \$50
- d. \$0

2) If Tyler only has \$15 of his own money saved up, which brand(s) of sneakers can he afford to buy?

- a. Nikes and Pumas
- b. Pumas and Adidas
- c. Only Pumas
- d. Only Adidas

3) Puma is holding a sale this weekend. They're offering a second pair of sneakers at half-price for every pair of sneakers purchased at full price. How much of his own money will Tyler need in order to buy two pairs of sneakers?

- a. \$15
- b. \$50
- c. \$75
- d. \$25

4) **THINKING CAP:** Why does it usually not pay to buy things only because of peer pressure? \_\_\_\_\_

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