

Item	Retail price	Sold on eBay for:	Amount saved	Approximate percent saved
Scooby-Doo 2: Monsters Unleashed DVD	\$19.87 at Wal-Mart	\$10.99 + \$3 shipping = \$13.99	\$5.88	30%
Retractable Dog Leash (by Aspen Pet, 16")	\$22.99 at Petco	\$8.50 + free shipping = \$8.50	\$14.49	63%
180 US Postage Stamps (.37, unused)	\$66.60 at the US Post Office	\$57 + free shipping = \$57	\$9.60	14%
Williams Sonoma muffin pan (6 cup, nonstick)	\$26 at Williams Sonoma	\$7.49 + \$6 shipping = \$13.49	\$12.51	48%
Travel Tote (by Eagle Creek)	\$30 at REI	\$14 + \$4.85 shipping = \$18.85	\$11.15	37%
Rolodex® Rotary Swivel File (500 cards)	\$36.14 at Office Depot	\$14.99 + \$10 shipping = \$24.99	\$11.15	31%
Coleman Inflatable Kayak with 86" paddle	\$59.96 + \$10.64 shipping = \$70.60 at Walmart.com	\$32 + \$18 shipping = \$50	\$20.60	29%
Mary Kay Lipstick, Cinnamon Twist	\$12 from a Mary Kay Consultant	\$3.24 + \$2.25 shipping = \$5.49	\$6.51	54%
Starbucks \$100 gift card	\$100 from your neighborhood Starbucks	\$89.99 + \$1 shipping = \$90.99	\$9.01	9%
Victoria's Secret Gel-Curve plunge bra lace 34A	\$34 + \$6.95 shipping = \$40.95 at VictoriasSecret.com	\$17.50 + \$4 shipping = \$21.50	\$19.45	47%
Restoration Hardware 24" towel bar (Chatham)	\$44 at Restoration Hardware	\$15.50 + \$5 shipping = \$20.50	\$23.50	53%
Cordless Saw (DeWalt, 18V Reciprocating)	\$199 at Home Depot	\$99 + \$11 shipping = \$110	\$89.00	45%
\$200 Best Buy gift card	\$200 at Best Buy	\$150 + free shipping = \$150	\$50.00	25%
Sonicare Elite Replacement Brush Heads (2 pack)	\$26.99 at Rite Aid	\$12.02 + \$4.75 shipping = \$16.77	\$10.22	38%
Pottery Barn Lamp Shade (Selina Pendant)	\$39 at Pottery Barn	\$19.99 + \$9 shipping = \$28.99	\$10.01	26%

Source: research by freelance writer Tara Maras