

▶ Watch the video: *Asking for directions*

PART A:

Beth is at the car park. She asks someone for directions.

Listen and answer the questions.

1. Where is she going?

- the bank
- the school

2. How does she go there?

- Walk along Bell Street.
 - Go past Bell Street.
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- Turn left into Hill Street.
 - Turn right into Hill Street.
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- Go past the library.
 - Go past the park.



PART B:

Beth is outside the school. She asks someone for directions.

Listen and answer the questions.


1. Where is she going?

- the market
- the restaurant

2. How does she go there?

- Walk along Short Street.
 - Go past Short Street.
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- Turn left into Main Street.
 - Turn right into Main Street.
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- Go past the post office.
 - Go past the restaurant.



 Read it aloud.

PART A:

- Beth is at the car park.
- She asks someone for directions.



Excuse me. Where is the school?



It's on Hill Street, next to the library.



I see. How do I go to the school?



Walk along Bell Street. Turn right into Hill Street. Go past the library.



So I walk along Bell Street. Turn right into Hill Street. Go past the library. Is that right?



Yes, that's right.



Thank you so much.



No worries!

PART B:

- Beth is outside the school.
- She asks someone for directions.



Excuse me. Where is the market?



It's on Main Street, next to the restaurant.



I see. How do I go to the market?



Walk along Short Street. Turn left into Main Street. Go past the restaurant.



So I walk along Short Street. Turn left into Main Street. Go past the post office.



No, not the post office. Go past the restaurant.

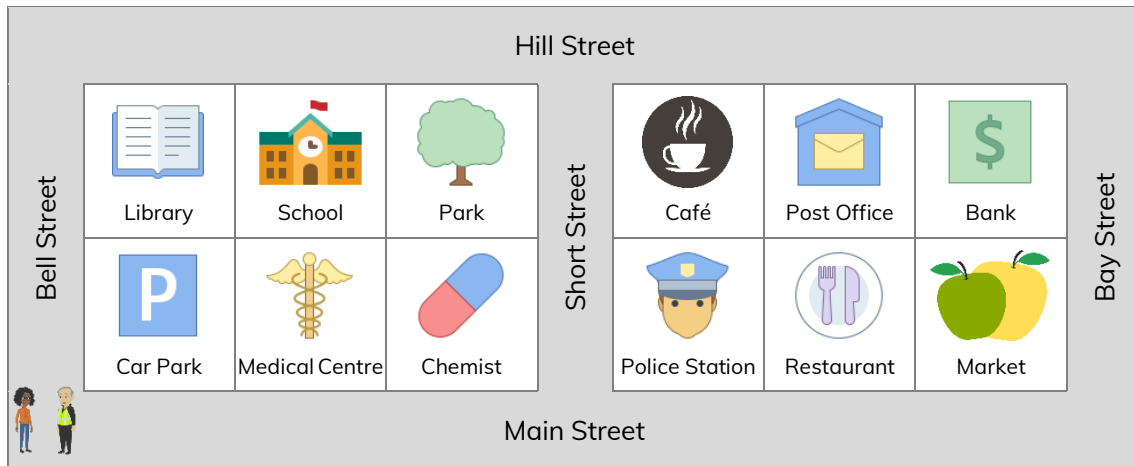


I see. Thank you so much.



No worries!

Asking for Directions: Map



Videos

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Answer Key and Guide

Listening

PART A

Answers

1. the school 2. Walk along Bell Street. Turn right into Hill Street. Go past the library.

PART B

Answers

1. the market 2. Walk along Short Street. Turn left into Main Street. Go past the restaurant.

Teacher notes

- There are two versions of the video: one with captions and one without captions. Use the video without captions to focus on listening skills.

Reading and speaking

Teacher notes

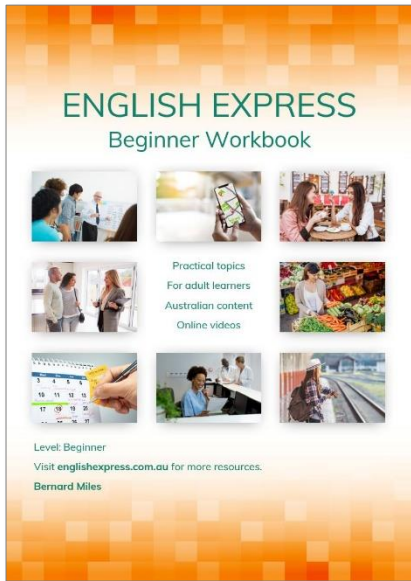
- A full transcript of the dialogue is presented. Students can role-play the scenario and read it aloud.

Extra ideas

- Focus on pronunciation: difficult sounds, linking, stress, intonation.
- Focus on useful words and phrases. Examples: *Excuse me. I see. Is that right? Yes, that's right. Thank you so much. No worries!*
- Cut up the dialogue. Students put it in order.

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