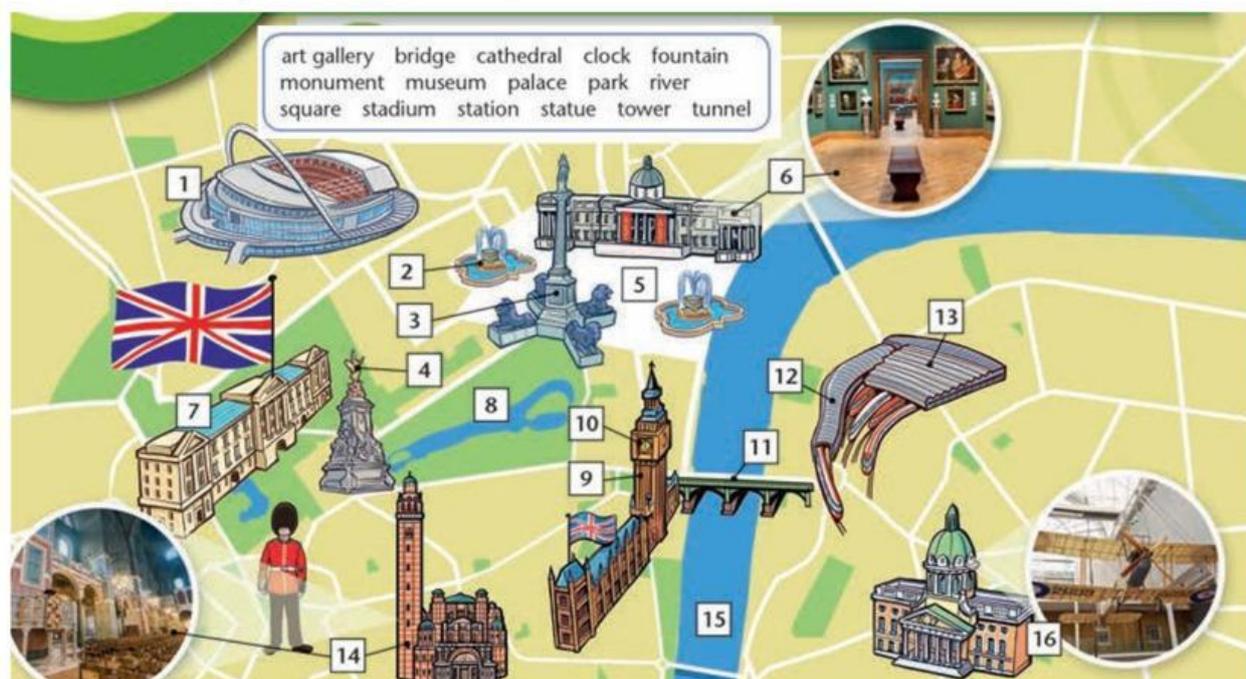


DEFINITIVE AND INDEFINITIVE ARTICLE WITH PLACES

Put the names of places to the correct picture.



Určitý a neurčitý člen pri názvoch miest

_____ používame, ak niečo vidíme/spomíname **prvýkrát**. Musí to byť **v jednotnom čísle** a je to zvyčajne niečo **všeobecné**.

_____ používame, ak niečo vidíme/spomíname **znova** (už sme o tom predtým hovorili). Tento člen používame vždy aj **s predložkami** a keď ide o niečo **špeciálne**, keď je len jedna možnosť.

Complete Paul's email with *a*, *an*, *the* or nothing.

Dear Carlos,

My name's ¹ ___ Paul and I'm your exchange student.
I'm looking forward to welcoming you to ² ___ England!

Let me tell you about my home. I live in Bristol, ³ ___
city in ⁴ ___ south-west of England. We live in ⁵ ___
flat in ⁶ ___ Limerick Road. It's behind my school and
about 25 minutes from ⁷ ___ centre of ⁸ ___ city.

There's ⁹ ___ old harbour in ¹⁰ ___ middle of ¹¹ ___ city.
¹² ___ harbour is ¹³ ___ best area to visit.

¹⁴ ___ Aquarium and ¹⁵ ___ 3D Planetarium are there.
They're fantastic places. I'll take you!

Paul

★★ Complete the sentences with *a, an, the* or *– (nothing)*.

- 1 A Mum, I can't find the laptop!
B It's on _____ kitchen table.
- 2 I love going shopping in _____ town centre.
My favourite shop is on _____ Dean Street.
- 3 _____ Madrid is _____ capital of _____ Spain.
- 4 _____ River Severn is _____ longest river in _____ United Kingdom.
- 5 This morning _____ bus was late and I missed _____ first class.
- 6 Jack and Joan have a café in _____ middle of town.
_____ café is called Cups.
- 7 I love cycling. I would really like _____ new bike.
- 8 A Can I have _____ piece of fruit?
B Sure. There's _____ apple or _____ orange.
A Can I have _____ orange, please?

★★★ Complete Sofia's conversation at the Tourist Office with *a, an, the* or *– (nothing)*.

- A Can I help you with anything else?
- B Yes, can you recommend ¹ _____ good place to stay?
- A Of course. ² _____ best places to stay are in ³ _____ centre of town.
- B What are ⁴ _____ cheapest places?
- A Well, there's ⁵ _____ really good youth hostel near ⁶ _____ River Avon. It has ⁷ _____ great view.
- B Great. How do I get to ⁸ _____ hostel?
- A It's on ⁹ _____ River Street. I'll show you on this map.
- B Thanks. Is there somewhere to eat near ¹⁰ _____ hostel?
- A Yes, there's ¹¹ _____ excellent café on ¹² _____ corner of ¹³ _____ street. It's called ¹⁴ _____ Mario's. It isn't expensive. What kind of food do you like? I know ¹⁵ _____ Italy is famous for its pasta and pizza.
- B Yes, it is. But I love Indian food!

3 ★ Read Carlos's email to Paul, his exchange student. Circle the correct answers to complete the email.

Dear Paul,

Thank you for your email. I'm looking forward to meeting you and practising my English!

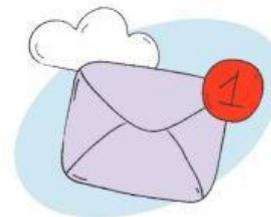
Our teacher is Señor Correia. He's going to book ¹ *a* / *the* flight for us all this week. He will send you ² *a* / *the* flight details.

Let me tell you about ³ *an* / *the* place I live in. I live with my family in ⁴ *an* / *the* apartment in Alcobendas, which is ⁵ *a* / *the* city near Madrid. ⁶ *An* / *The* city is big and busy, but it's got a lot of parks ⁷ *a* / *an* football stadium. You can travel by bus into ⁸ *an* / *the* centre of Madrid in ⁹ *an* / *the* hour.

But I think ¹⁰ *a* / *the* most interesting place to visit near me is ¹¹ *a* / *the* Rainfer Monkey Rescue Centre. It's amazing. I'll take you when you visit me!

See you soon!

Carlos



Complete the sentences. Use *a*, *an* and *the*.

- I've got a cat and _____ dog. _____ dog is black and _____ cat is white.
- There's _____ lovely fountain near my house. _____ fountain is very old.
- There's _____ dictionary and _____ grammar book on my desk. _____ dictionary is Tom's and _____ grammar book belongs to Kate.
- I watched _____ great film on TV last night. _____ film won two Oscars last year.
- There's _____ lovely café in _____ centre of _____ city. It's got _____ best milkshakes and cakes in _____ world!
- I'm going to _____ Republic of Ireland in _____ summer. It will be _____ amazing trip, I'm sure.

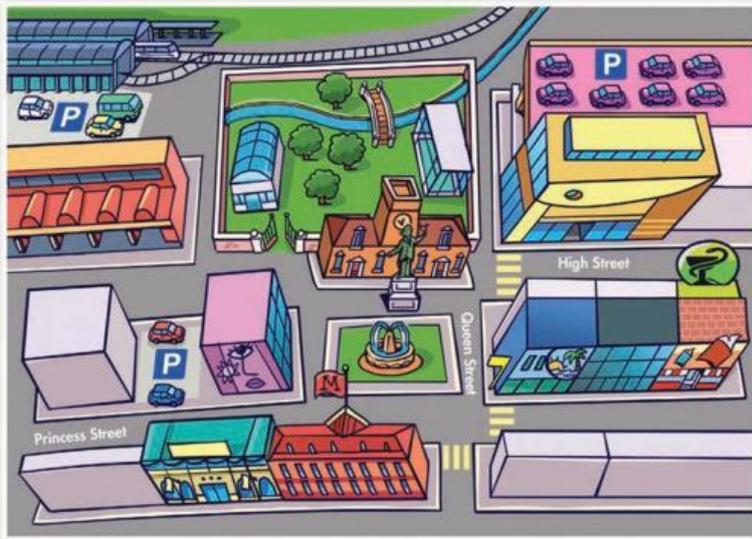
Complete the sentences with *the* or – (nothing).

- There are a lot of parks in the middle of _____ London.
- _____ most expensive shops are in _____ Oxford Street.
- _____ Emily is _____ shortest girl in our class.
- What's _____ quickest way to get to _____ Sofia in _____ Bulgaria?
- 'Who's that in the photo?'
'That's _____ Lara on _____ left and _____ Darren on _____ right.'
- _____ Mr Grant is _____ most interesting teacher in school! He teaches _____ Geography.
- I live in _____ Green Street in _____ West London. It's near _____ River Thames.

7 a Match the directions (1–8) to the pictures (a–h).

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|--|---------------------------------------|
| 1 go along the road until... | 5 go straight ahead |
| 2 go over the... | 6 turn left |
| 3 go past the... | 7 turn right |
| 4 take the second turning on the right | 8 take the second turning on the left |





a Look at the street plan of a town centre.
Complete the sentences with the words in the box

behind between in front of
in the middle of near next to
on the corner of opposite over through

- 1 There's a fountain _____ the square.
- 2 There's a statue _____ the Town Hall.
- 3 There's a museum _____ the Town Hall.
- 4 There's a park _____ the Town Hall.
- 5 The river goes _____ the park.
- 6 The bridge goes _____ the river.
- 7 The train station is _____ the park.
- 8 The tourist office is _____ Queen Street and Princess Street.
- 9 There's a bus stop _____ the Tourist Office.
- 10 There's a car park _____ the train station and the bus station.

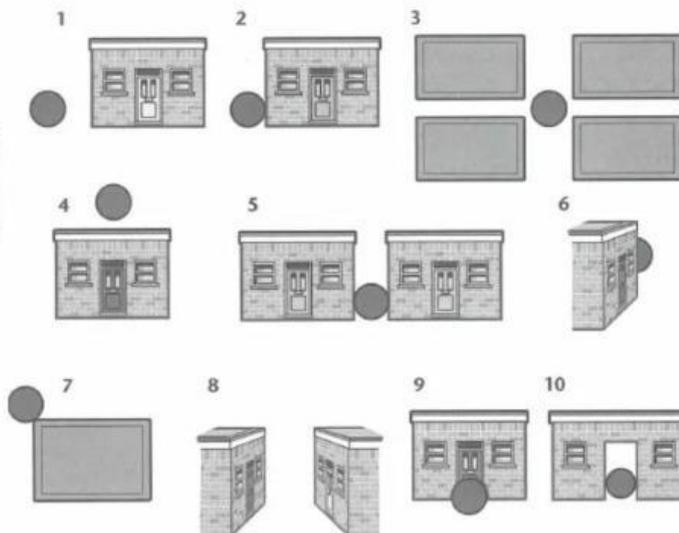
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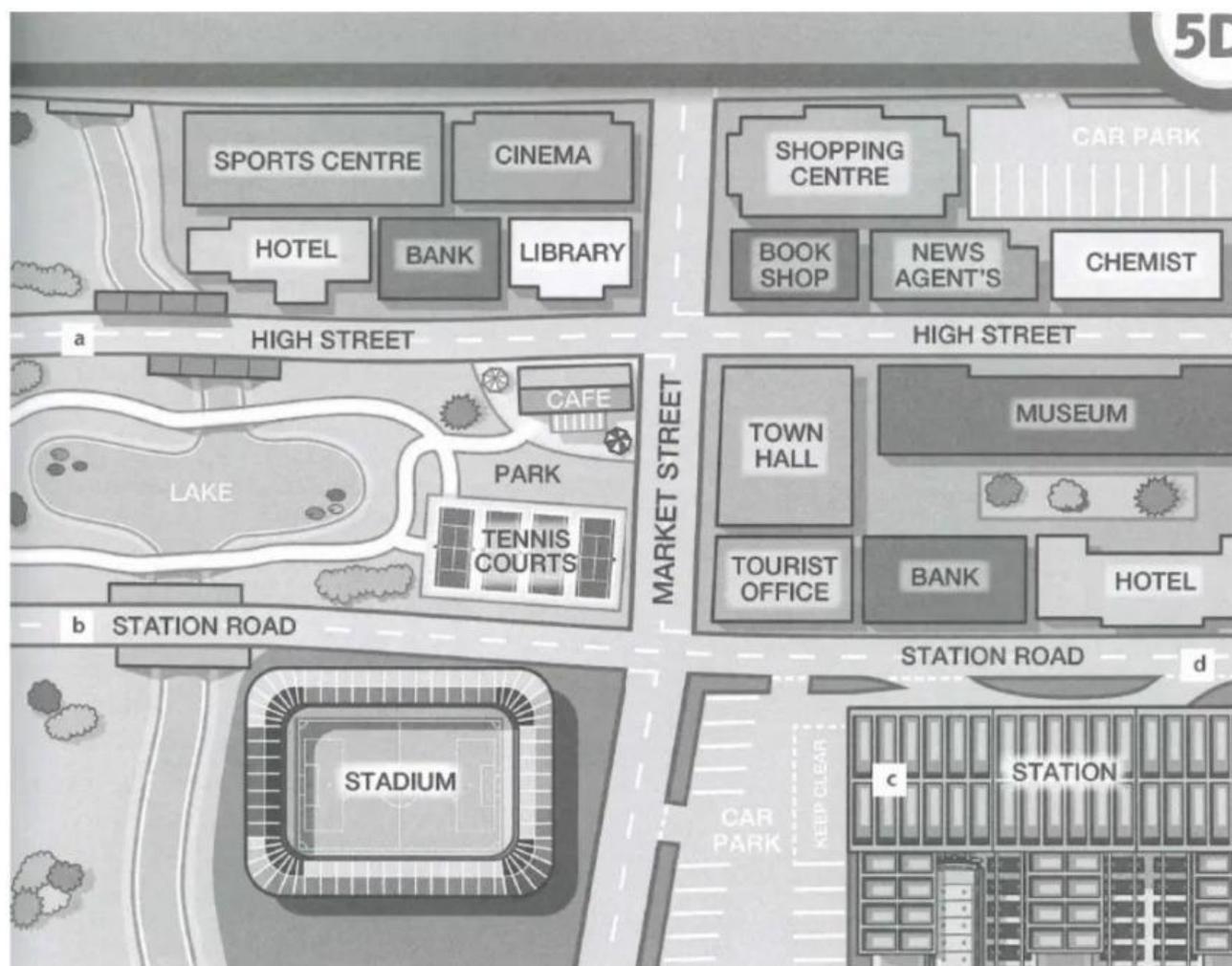
Prepositions of place

- 1 Write the correct preposition for each picture.

behind between
in front of in the middle of
near next to on the corner of
opposite over through

- 1 near
- 2 _____
- 3 _____
- 4 _____
- 5 _____
- 6 _____
- 7 _____
- 8 _____
- 9 _____
- 10 _____





- ★★ Complete the dialogue with the words in the box. Then match the people asking for directions (1–3) to their starting points (a–c).

go along (x 2) go along the road until
go over the go past the go straight ahead
take the second turning on the left
turn left (x 2) turn right (x 2)

- A Excuse me. How do I find the nearest station?

B No problem. Go along the road until you come to Market Street. _____ and then _____. You'll find the station on the right.

A Thank you.
- A Excuse me. Could you tell me how to get to the cinema, please?

B _____ Station Road. _____ bridge. _____ Stadium and _____. _____ Market Street. You'll find it on the left.

A That's great. Thanks a lot.
- A Excuse me. Could you give me directions to the bank, please?

B Certainly. Go out of the car park and _____. Then _____ and _____. The bank is on your right next to the library.

A Thanks.