

Do the preparation task first. Then listen to the audio and do the exercises.

Preparation

Listening A1: Finding the library - preparation

Match the words with the definitions.

A place where people can use or borrow books, newspapers, CDs, etc.

a lecture theatre 

Something you wear over your ears to listen to music

a lecture 

The process of writing down students' information at the start of the academic year

a library 

A big room with many seats where students listen to teachers

an office 

A room or building where people work

headphones 

A talk to teach many people about a subject

registration 





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Transcript

Student: Hi. Excuse me.

Student B: Yes?

Student: Where's the library?

Student B: The library? It's next to the registration office.

Student: Ah ... sorry, I'm new. Where's the registration office?

Student B: No problem. See the big building over there?

Student: Yes.

Student B: OK, so that's the lecture theatre. Next to that, on the right, is the registration office. And next to that is the library.

Student: I see. Thanks!

Student: Hello?

Librarian: Hello.

Student: Is this the library?

Librarian: Yes, it is. Quiet, please.

Student: Oh, sorry. Thank you.

Librarian: Can I help you?

Student: Er, yes, please. I want to borrow some books. What do I need?

Librarian: You need a library card. Here's the application form. You can take up to six books maximum today.

Student: OK. Six books.

Librarian: Yes. You have two weeks to read the books. Then you bring them back.

Student: And if I'm late?

Librarian: Every day you are late there is a fee of fifty pence.

Student: OK, 50p a day. Er, anything else?

Librarian: Mobile phones must be switched off in the library. You can bring your laptop, but please use headphones to watch videos or listen to music.

Student: OK, great.

Librarian: And you can't bring food or drink.

Student: No food, no drink. And ...?

Librarian: And please speak quietly! People are working here.

Student: Oh! Oh, OK. Thank you.

Librarian: You're welcome.

Listening A1: Finding the library - 1

Put the events in the order you hear them.

The librarian explains the rules.



The student asks someone for directions.



The student asks to borrow some books.



The librarian gives the student an application form.

