

3d In a new city

Vocabulary places in a city

1 Read these comments from different tourists in a city. Which places do they talk about?

aquarium hotel library museum park
parking lot theater tourist-information-center

- 1 "I need information about the city."
tourist information center
- 2 "Where can I learn about the history of this city?"

- 3 "Let's relax outside on the grass."

- 4 "Where can we leave the car?"

- 5 "This is an old building. It's full of books!"

- 6 "What's on tonight? Is there a play or a musical?"

- 7 "I need a room for the night."

- 8 "Let's go here. The children love looking at sea life."

Real life giving directions

2 Complete the conversations.

across away here Go near
past straight take turn Where

T = Tourist, L = Local person

- 1 T: Excuse me. I need a bank. Is there one ¹ _____ here?
L: Yes, it's near. Go ² _____ up this street and take the first street on the right. Then ³ _____ left and it's there.
- 2 T: Hello. ⁴ _____ is the theater? The play starts in ten minutes.
L: That's OK. It's about two minutes ⁵ _____. Go across this road and go ⁶ _____. a parking lot on your right. Then ⁷ _____ the first street on the left. It's on the corner.
- 3 T: Hello. Is the tourist information center near ⁸ _____?

L: It's about ten minutes away. ⁹ _____ straight up this street and turn left at the end. Go ¹⁰ _____ a small park and the information center is on the other side of it.

3 In each conversation in Exercise 2, where does the tourist want to go?

- 1 _____
- 2 _____
- 3 _____

4 Read the conversations again and mark the correct place (A, B, or C) on each map. The tourist is on X.

