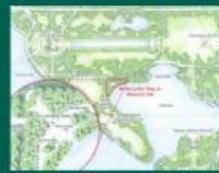
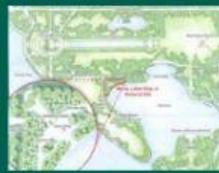
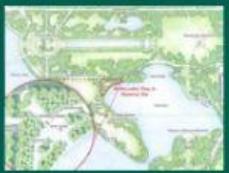


# Washington D.C. (2)



Watch the video again.



## A. Comprehension

### A1. Select all the correct answers.

The two children in the video live in D.C.  
The two children are visitors in D.C.  
They go to Washington D.C. by train.  
They go to Washington D.C. by plane.

They tour the city on an open-top bus  
They walk around the city.  
You can visit the Washington Monument.  
The Washington Monument dominates the D.C. skyline.

### A2. Select the other landmarks mentioned in the video

The National Mall  
The Empire State Building  
The Eiffel Tower  
The White House  
Gettysburg National Military Park  
The Thomas Jefferson Memorial  
The National Air and Space Museum

The Lincoln Memorial  
The Pentagon building  
The Statue of Liberty  
The National Zoo  
Disneyland  
The National Museum of National History  
The U.S. Capitol Building

## B. The District of Columbia-Fun Facts

Read the text, and select yes or no to answer each question below.

Not a state, this area is both the city of Washington and the District of Columbia.

The official name is Washington, D.C. The Washington is after George Washington and the C (Columbia) is after Christopher Columbus.

The flag of D.C. was based off of George Washington's family's coat of arms.

The states of Maryland and Virginia ceded land for Washington D.C.

The land was originally called Federal City. It was renamed officially by congress in 1790.

Residents of D.C. must pay federal taxes, but they do not have representation in congress.

George Washington never got to live in the White House. It wasn't officially called the White House until 1901. Before that it was referred to as the President's House or Palace.

Is the District of Columbia a state?

YES	NO

Is the area just a city?

Was it named after George Washington only?

Was it always called the same?

Was it renamed in the 18<sup>th</sup> century?

Do inhabitants pay federal taxes?

Are there representatives of D.C. in Congress?

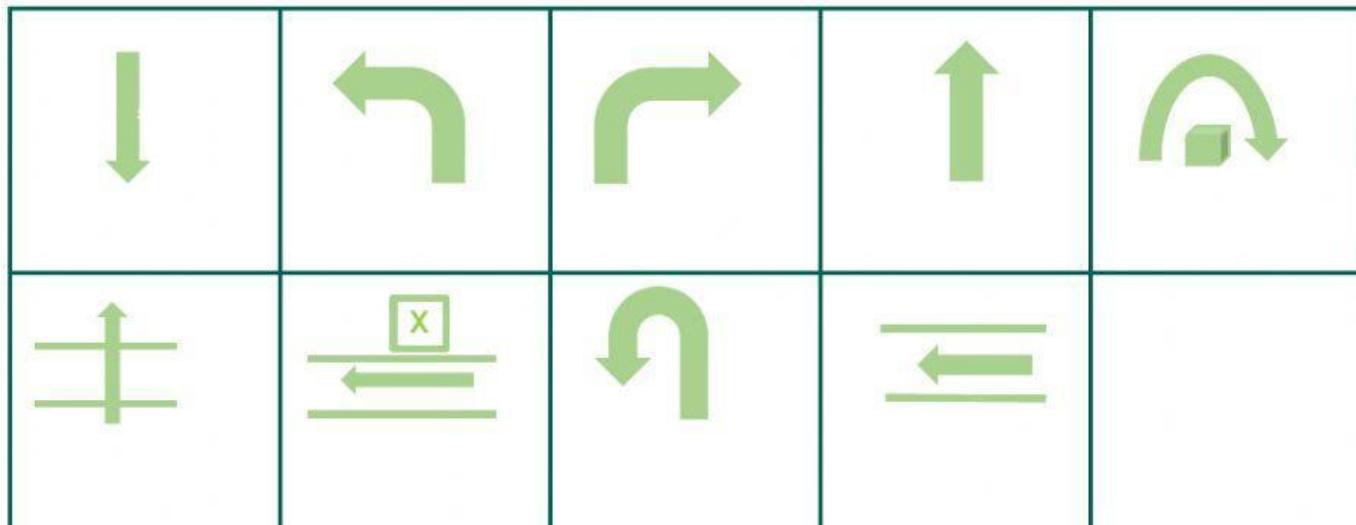
Did George Washington ever live in the White House?

Was it called the White House in the 19<sup>th</sup> century?

## C. Asking for directions

C1. Drag the phrases below under the correct drawings.

cross      go along      go back      go over      go past      go straight ahead      turn left  
turn right      turn round



C1. Watch the video and fill in the blanks with one of the words or phrases from the box. You can use them more than once.

along; give me directions; go along; go past; how do we get to; how far is it; I don't know my way around; next to; on the left; on the right; opposite; over; over there; turn left; turn right

I.

Woman: Excuse me, is there a newsagent near here?

Man: Yes, there's one in Bury Street.

Woman: Where is that?

Man: \_\_\_\_\_ this road and \_\_\_\_\_. That's Bury Street. \_\_\_\_\_ the pub.

The newsagent is \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ the supermarket.

Woman: So, I \_\_\_\_\_ this road and \_\_\_\_\_, then I \_\_\_\_\_ the pub and...

Man: And the newsagent is \_\_\_\_\_.

Woman: \_\_\_\_\_ the supermarket. Oh great! Thanks a lot.

Man: No problem.

II.

Man: Excuse me?

Young man: Can I help you?

Man: Yes! Where is the post office?

Young man: The post office? It's \_\_\_\_\_. \_\_\_\_\_ the café.

Man: Ah, yes, I can see it. Thanks. Sorry, I'm on holiday here and \_\_\_\_\_

Young man: No problem. Bye.

Man: Goodbye.

Young man: And have a nice holiday.

Man: Thanks a lot

III.

Girl: Excuse me, \_\_\_\_\_ the market?

Woman: You \_\_\_\_\_ this street, and \_\_\_\_\_ the bridge. That's New Road, and the market's \_\_\_\_\_.

Girl: So that's, er, \_\_\_\_\_ this street, er

Boy: \_\_\_\_\_ the bridge and the market's \_\_\_\_\_?

Woman: Yes, in New Road. You can't miss it.

Girl: \_\_\_\_\_?

Woman: Oh, it's not far. Only about five minutes' walk.

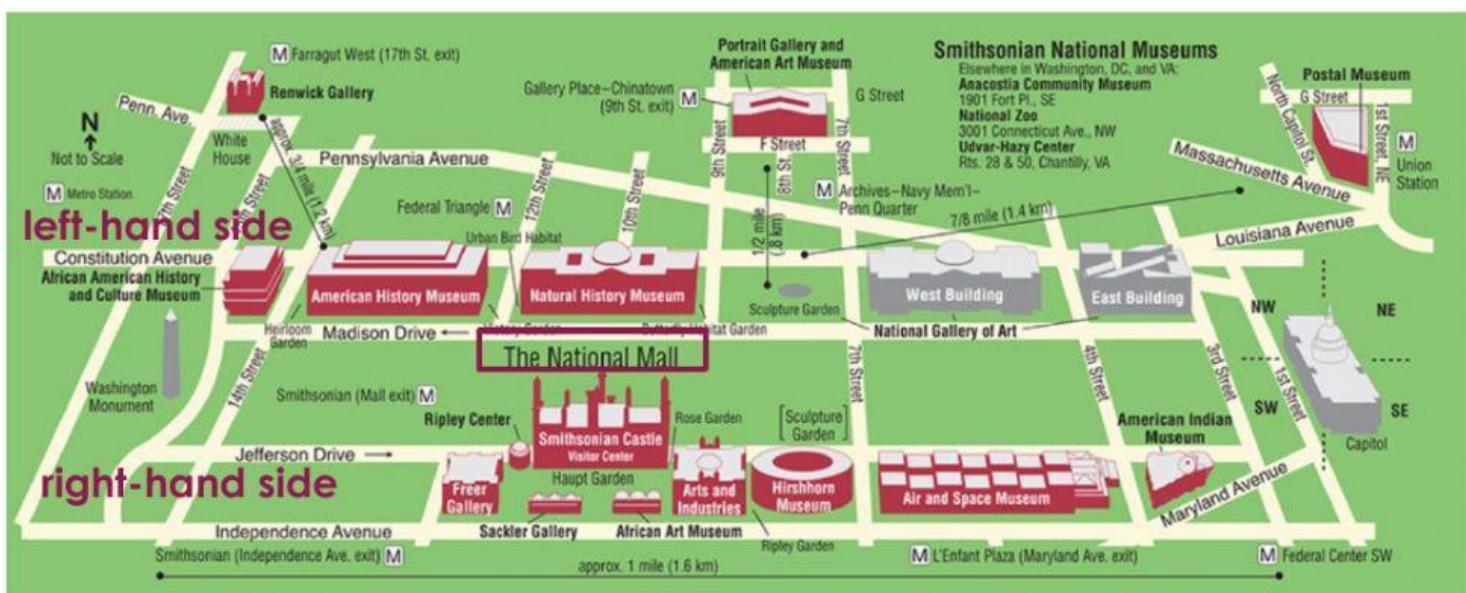
Girl: Thanks a lot. Right. Let's go. Do you remember the way? I never listen when people

## C. Positions

Observe the words in green in the table and use them to complete the sentences describing the map below.

				
<p>The circle is <b>between</b> the squares.</p>	<p>The circle is <b>behind</b> the square.</p>	<p>The circle is <b>on the left hand-side</b> of the street</p>	<p>The circles are <b>next to</b> the square.</p>	<p>The circle is <b>in the middle of</b> the street.</p>

### The National Mall



1. The U.S. Capitol building is \_\_\_\_\_ of the Mall.

2. The Air and Space Museum is \_\_\_\_\_ of the Mall and  
\_\_\_\_\_ the West building of the National Gallery of Art.

3. The National History Museum is \_\_\_\_\_ of the Mall,  
\_\_\_\_\_ the African American History and Culture Museum.

4. The Air and Space Museum is \_\_\_\_\_ the Hirshorn Museum and the  
American Indian Museum.

5. The African Art Museum is \_\_\_\_\_ the Smithsonian Castle.

6. The Smithsonian Castle is \_\_\_\_\_ the Sackler Gallery.

7. The Washington Monument is \_\_\_\_\_ the Mall.