

9 I love my town

LESSON

1 Words

1 Put the letters in order. Tick (✓) the places that you can see in the picture.

1 apishlot

hospital



3 parketmuser

5 féac

7 sub pots

2 orpsst recent

4 maicne

6 trekam

8 arc arpk



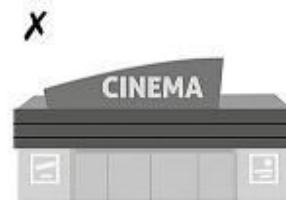
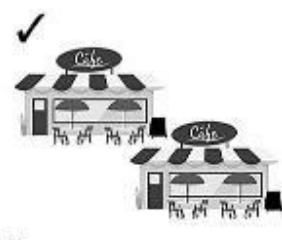
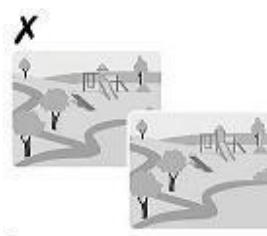
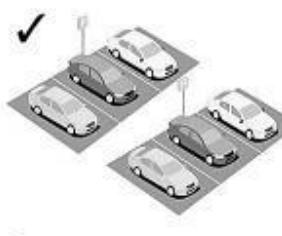
2 Listen and write. What is it? TR: 37

1 car park

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1 Look at the picture on page 72.Write **was**, **were**, **wasn't** or **weren't**.A: In the 1950s, was there a hospital in the town?B: Yes, there was, but it wasn't smaller than the hospital we've got now.A: And wasn't there any cinemas?B: Yes, there was. Watching films was very popular. But there wasn't a sports centre. There wasn't only a swimming pool.A: Wasn't there a café?B: Yes, there was a nice café near the market. There weren't any big supermarkets in 1950. There wasn't only shops and markets.**2** Look and write about the town in 1990.1 There was a shop.2 There weren't any bus stops.3 There was a cinema.4 There was a supermarket.5 There were cafes.6 There was a park.7 There were sofas.8 There were cars in the parking lot.**3** Ask someone in your family about your town in 1990. Write questions and answers.1 Were there any shops? ? Yes, there were. .2 Was there a park? ? Yes, there was. .3 Was there a cinema? ? Yes, there was. .4 Was there a supermarket? ? Yes, there was. .

1 Write the words.1 s _____
c _____

2 f _____

3 s _____

2 Read. Write the sentences (A-F).

A megacity is a city with more than ten million people. In 2017, there were sixteen megacities in the world. _____ In China, a lot of cities are getting bigger and bigger. _____

This is Shenzhen. _____ But forty years ago, it was very different. In those days, it was a small town with only 30,000 people. But the big companies arrived then. _____ There were new buildings everywhere!

_____ More than eighteen million people live in and around Shenzhen.

What things in *your* house are from Shenzhen, do you think?

- A It's a very big city in China.
- B Six of them were in China.
- C These days, there are huge supermarkets, shopping centres and skyscrapers.
- D They build a new skyscraper every five days!
- E They make things like mobile phones, tablets and computers now.
- F Very soon, there were big factories and a lot of jobs for people.

3 Read again. Circle the correct word.

- 1 Megacities have got more than ten *thousand / million / billion* people.
- 2 There were *six / sixteen / sixty* megacities in China in 2017.
- 3 In China, there are *six new buildings / factories / skyscrapers* every month.
- 4 In 1980, Shenzhen was *much smaller / the same size / much bigger* than today.
- 5 More than *eight / eighteen / eighty* million people live in and around Shenzhen.