

Functional language

Ask for, follow and give directions

1 Put directions a–f in the correct order 1–6.

- Start at the theatre on Main Street. Go ... 1
- on down Wellington Street and then turn right _____
- along Main Street until you get to the bank. Turn _____
- at the supermarket. Go along Bute Street until you get to the library. Cross _____
- over the road at the library and the Tourist Information Centre is next to the bus station. _____
- left when you get to the traffic lights after you pass the bank. Go straight _____



2 Put the words in the correct order to complete the conversations.

- A: Excuse me, can you tell me how to get to the library?
 B: road on / the left / Sure. Walk / this street, / and take / the first / along
1 Sure. Walk along this street and take the first road on the left.
 A: OK.
 B: opposite / It's / park / the
2
- A: way / the quickest / What's / to Glen Street / ?
3
 B: I'm not sure, actually. Try the tourist information office.
 A: there / get / How / I / do / ?
4
 B: Sorry, I don't know. I'm new here.
- A: Go straight on / is / on your / left / and / the swimming pool
5
 B: I'm sure I went that way before...
 A: next to / It's / supermarket / a big
6
 B: Oh! I know where it is, thank you!
- A: Do you know where Gigi's Italian restaurant is?
 B: It's / Yes, / the theatre / across from
7
 A: The theatre, I don't remember where that is ... Is it far?
 B: It's / 15 minutes' / about / walk
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Listening

1 3.01 Listen to three people talking about how they have kept in touch with friends. Match statements a–c with speakers 1–3.

- It's easy to stay in touch if you want to. _____
- Friends come and go. _____
- Catching up with old friends is an annual tradition. _____

2 Listen again and answer the questions.

- How many cities has speaker 1 lived in?

- Which group of friends are difficult for speaker 1 to meet?

- How many times a year does speaker 1 meet her childhood friends?

- How did speaker 2 use to communicate with friends?

- How does speaker 2 communicate with friends these days?

- Why did speaker 3 move around so much?

- How many friends does speaker 3 keep in touch with?

- Why does speaker 3 think that it's difficult to stay friends with people from her past?

3a Which speaker 1–3:

- thinks some friendships can last forever? _____
- feels their life is not the same as some of their friends? _____
- thinks social media makes keeping in touch easy? _____
- thinks people are sometimes too lazy to keep in touch? _____
- feels that it's easy to be friends with people they work with? _____
- says we shouldn't feel too sad about losing friends? _____

b Listen again and check.