

31 I can ask for and give directions 🎧

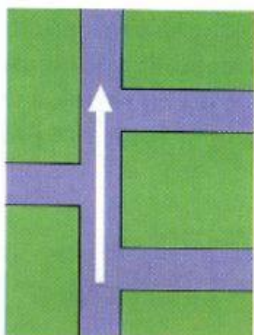
Excuse me. How do I get to the river from here?

Excuse me. Do you know the way to the railway station?

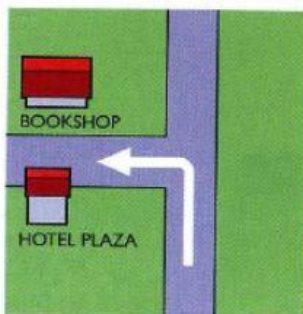
Excuse me. Is there a hotel near here?

spotlight *Excuse me...*

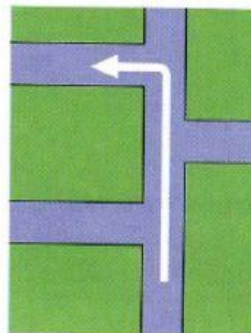
It is polite to say **excuse me** to someone you don't know when you ask them a question.



Go straight on. OR Just keep going.
It's about ten minutes.



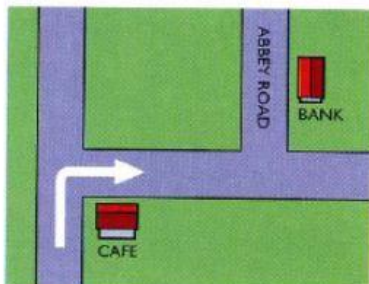
Go along here and turn left.
The bookshop is **opposite** the Hotel Plaza.



Go along here and **take the second turning on the left.**



It's **the third turning on the right.**
There's a cinema **on the corner.**



Turn right at the café, then **left into** Abbey Road, and the bank is **on your right.**

Thanks very much.



1 Make sentences from the words.

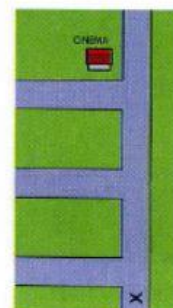
- turn / and / go / right / here / along Go along here and turn right.
- 1 excuse / I / get / do / bank / the / me / how / to / ? _____
- 2 here / left / along / and / turn / go _____
- 3 bank / me / near / there / is / a / excuse / here / ? _____
- 4 the / turning / it's / right / on / the / third _____
- 5 way / the / excuse / to / know / me / do / bank / the / you / ? _____
- 6 left / Road / into / Foster / turn _____

2 Complete the phrases.

- Turn left or right.
- 1 Take the second _____.
- 2 Thanks very _____.
- 3 On the _____.
- 4 Excuse _____.
- 5 Keep _____.
- 6 Go straight _____.
- 7 Go along _____.
- 8 Do you know the _____?

3 Complete the dialogues. Use the maps to help you.

- 1 A Excuse ► me. How do I (1) _____ to the cinema from here?
 B OK. Go (2) _____ on, and it's the second... no, the third (3) _____ on the (4) _____.
 A Thanks very (5) _____.
 B You're welcome.
- 2 A (1) _____ me. Is there a post office (2) _____ here?
 B Yes. Go (3) _____ here and (4) _____ the second (5) _____ on the (6) _____. The post office is (7) _____ the bank.
 A (8) _____ very much.
 B That's OK. No problem.
- 3 A Excuse me. Do you know the (1) _____ to the Bonham Hotel?
 B No, I'm sorry, I don't.
 A OK. Thanks... Excuse me. Do you know the Bonham Hotel?
 C Yes. (2) _____ left (3) _____ Frith Street and the hotel is on the next (4) _____ on your (5) _____.
 A Thanks very much.
 B Not at all.



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Test yourself. Cover the words on page 82, and look at the maps. Can you remember the directions?