

## D. LISTENING & SPEAKING

Exercise 1: Listen to the descriptions and match them with the places. (☞ Tracks 6.1 ➔ 6.7)

department store	hotel	library	police station	post office
	sport center		supermarket	

1 post office

2 hotel

3 police station

4 library

5 sport center

6 restaurant

7 department store

8 supermarket

Exercise 2: Listen and decide where each person is. (☞ Tracks 6.8 ➔ 6.13)

at work

in the car park

in a shopping centre

on a bus

on the underground

walking along a street

on a coach

on a plane

on a train

in a car

on a bycycle

on a motorbike

at an airport

at a police station

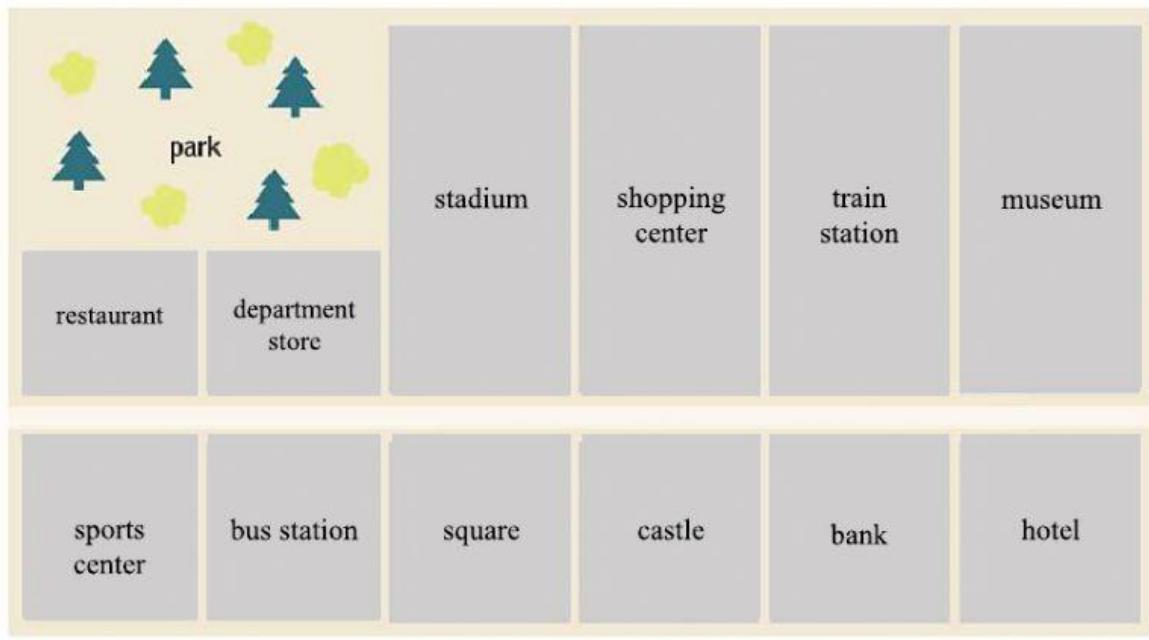
on an a plane

at a bus station

at a supermarket

at a train station

**Exercise 3: Look at the image. Complete the sentences with the words in the box.**



behind      between      left      next      opposite      right

- 1 The department store is \_\_\_\_\_ the bus station.
- 2 The square is \_\_\_\_\_ the bus station and the castle.
- 3 The hotel is to the \_\_\_\_\_ of the bank.
- 4 The museum is \_\_\_\_\_ to the train station.
- 5 The park is \_\_\_\_\_ the restaurant and department store.
- 6 The sports center is on the \_\_\_\_\_ on the bus station.

**Exercise 4: Listen to Dan talking about two towns, Greentown and Brownville. Choose the correct answers, True or False. (Track 6.14)**

- 1 Dan works in Brownville.  
 True     False
- 2 Brownville is bigger than Greentown.  
 True     False
- 3 The Greentown train station is more modern than the station in Brownville.  
 True     False
- 4 It's better to go shopping in Greentown.  
 True     False
- 5 The biggest shopping center in Brownville has over sixty stores.

True  False

6 There are more things of interest for tourists in Brownville than Greenville.

True  False

7 One of the oldest castles in the area is in Brownville.

True  False

8 Greentown has better restaurants and bigger hotels than Brownville.

True  False

9 The sport center in Brownville is cheaper than the sports center in Greentown.

True  False

**Exercise 5: Listen to a student talking about Helsinki. Complete the information with a word or a number. (Track 6.15)**

1 Helsinki is the \_\_\_\_\_ city in Finland.

2 The city's most important industries are technology and \_\_\_\_\_.

3 Helsinki airport has almost \_\_\_\_\_ million passengers a year.

4 The Kiasma Museum is a modern \_\_\_\_\_ center.

5 Some of Europe's \_\_\_\_\_ building are in Helsinki.

6 Finland has \_\_\_\_\_ lakes than any other country in Europe.

7 Helsinki is an \_\_\_\_\_ city for young people.

8 Visitors enjoy the culture, friendly people and great \_\_\_\_\_!

**Exercise 6: Complete the sentences using the comparative or superlative forms of the adjectives in brackets. Write one to three words in each gap.**

1 The Burj Khalifa is \_\_\_\_\_ building in the world. (tall)

2 A Rolls Royce car is \_\_\_\_\_ than an Audi car. (expensive)

3 A city road is \_\_\_\_\_ than a country road. (busy)

4 Tokyo is \_\_\_\_\_ city in the world. (big)

5 Australia is \_\_\_\_\_ from Africa than Europe. (far)

6 The food is \_\_\_\_\_ thing about living here. (good)

7 The hot weather is \_\_\_\_\_ thing about summer here. (bad)

8 This is \_\_\_\_\_ restaurant in the town. (popular)

**Exercise 8: Choose the correct words to complete the sentences.**

1 The city center is busy/ crowded/ full of people at the weekend.

2 My favourite/ great/ popular place in town is the park.

3 I never feel bored/ boring/ interesting in my town because there's so much to do.

4 The department store is the best place to buy latest/ new/ newest clothes.

5 My favorite café serves best/ healthy/ right food.

6 When I feel bad/ tired/ wrong I relax in the park.

**Exercise 9: Put the words in the correct order to make sentences. Practice saying the sentences.**

1 In most castle my interesting hometown is place the .

2 Of the part is the town old castle in .

3 Of the university the newest the area town is near part .

4 Do in to the best town the park thing by the river to visit is the .

5 New the best department go store is shopping place to the .

6 Bicycle I usually travel city by around the .

**Exercise 10: Talk about your hometown. Use the questions to help you. Spend a few minutes thinking about what to say.**

**Questions:**

- Where do you come from?
- Where are the best places to go shopping in your town?
- What are and where are the oldest and newest parts of your town?
- What's your favorite place in your town? Why?
- How do you travel around in your town?

#### **A. Writing**

**Exercise 1. Match the two halves of the sentence.**

1 I speak three European languages, so

2 I worked in the summer holidays so

- 3 I lived in Spain for my gap year, so
- 4 I can't drive, so
- 5 I bought a new car so

- a. *that I had some money for this year.*
- b. *they didn't offer me the job.*
- c. *they asked me to work in the European headquarters.*
- d. *that I can drive to work.*
- e. *I learnt a lot more Spanish.*

**Exercise 2. Complete the text with the words in the box.**

earn money

develop language skills

get work experience

*There are a lot of reasons to work when you are a student. I worked to (1) \_\_\_\_\_ . My course fees were very expensive. I also did it to (2) \_\_\_\_\_ because companies want candidates with experience and education. Many of my friends spent a year in another country. Which is good to (3) \_\_\_\_\_ .*

*I am doing a French course now because the company I work for is French!*

**Exercise 3. Read the text again and complete the sentences to explain the reasons.**

1 I worked so \_\_\_\_\_ .

2 I also worked so \_\_\_\_\_ .

3 My friends went to another country so \_\_\_\_\_ .

**Exercise 4. Complete the text by adding “so” in five places.**

*My brother studies Business at a University in London. It is very expensive to live in London, he works as a waiter in an Italian restaurant at the weekends. He eats for free at the restaurant, he doesn't need to buy a lot of food.*

*After his degree he wants to work for an international bank, he is also learning Spanish and German. My parents want him to get some work experience in a bank, they are not happy about his job in the restaurant. He knows my parents are right about this, he is now looking for new job in a bank.*