

SOLUTIONS
ELEMENTARY 3
UNIT 5: PLACES
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In the city

Vocabulary

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Places

I can describe places in a city.

1 Complete the names of these places and match them with the pictures (a–h) below.

1 town hall e

6 sq_____r_____

2 c_____r p_____rk

7 sw_____mm_____ng

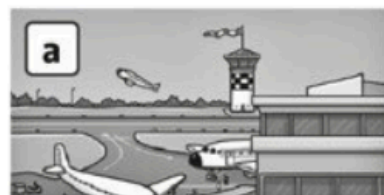
3 _____rp_____rt

p_____l_____

4 f_____r_____st_____t_____n_____

8 b_____s st_____t_____n_____

5 g_____m_____



2 Match the sentences with the places in town below.

bank cinema hospital hotel library museum
park police station post office shopping centre
train station zoo

1 'Hello. I'm Doctor Langton. How is your arm today?'

2 'Excuse me. I'm looking for a book about the rainforest.'

3 'The 9.35 from London to York is arriving at platform four.'

4 'I need to report a crime.'

5 'Can I have a room for three nights, please?'

6 'I need to send this letter to Canada, by air.'

7 'Excuse me. Where are the lions and tigers?'


8 'Look at that Greek plate. It's 3,000 years old!'

9 'I'd like to change some money into euros, please.'

10 'Be quiet! The film is starting!'

11 'Let's play football, then have a picnic.'

12 'You can stay here in the café. I need to go to the clothes shop and then the bookshop.'

3  1.28 Look at the pictures and listen to the sentences.
Are the sentences true or false? Tick the correct answer.



1 a True False b True False c True False



2 a True False b True False c True False



3 a True False b True False c True False



WHAT IS YOUR FAVOURITE
COUNTRY?

WHY DO YOU LIKE IT?





1 **SPEAKING** Describe the photos. Which is New York and which is Los Angeles? How do you know?



2 Read the internet forum. Which city should Cassie choose, in your opinion?



@Cassie I'm planning a short holiday in the USA. Should I visit New York or LA? Can I have some advice, please?

@Grace What do you want to do? LA is a more relaxing city. It has wider streets and lower buildings than New York. New York is bigger and noisier. People call it 'the city that never sleeps.'

@Jack When are you going? The climate in Los Angeles is better, I reckon – winters are sunnier and summers are more comfortable.

@Ben Do you like flying? For Europeans, Los Angeles is further than New York: the flight is four hours longer.



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- 3 Read the **Learn this!** box. Then complete the table below with comparative forms from the text in exercise 2.

LEARN THIS! Comparative adjectives



a We can compare two things using a comparative adjective and *than*:

Today is warmer than yesterday.

b We can also use a comparative form before a noun:

We're looking for a bigger house.

Short adjective	Comparative	Rule
long	1 _____	+ <i>-er</i>
big	2 _____	double consonant + <i>-er</i>
sunny	3 _____	<i>-y</i> → <i>-ier</i>
wide	4 _____	+ <i>-r</i>
Long adjective	Comparative	Rule
comfortable	5 _____	<i>more</i> + adjective
Irregular adjective	Comparative	
good	6 _____	
far	7 _____	
bad	worse	

4 Write sentences comparing New York and Los Angeles. Use information from the text in exercise 2 and the comparative form of these adjectives.

1 be / small

Los Angeles is smaller than New York.

2 be / quiet

3 have / narrow / streets

4 have / tall / buildings

5 have / bad / climate

6 be / near

5 Write questions about the cities below using the comparative form of the adjectives.

1 large / Moscow or Paris?

Which is larger, Moscow or Paris?

2 polluted / Warsaw or Mexico City?

3 expensive / Prague or Tokyo?

4 sunny / Cairo or Istanbul?

5 safe / Cape Town or New York?

6 crowded / Athens or Lisbon?

7 dry / London or Milan?

6 SPEAKING Work in pairs. Ask and answer the questions in exercise 5. Make a note of your answers.

Which is larger, Moscow or Paris?

Moscow.

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- 7  **2.31 PRONUNCIATION** Listen, repeat and check your answers to exercise 6. Pay attention to the pronunciation of: a) the *-er* ending of comparative forms, and b) *than*.

8 Find one mistake in each sentence and correct it.

- 1 The afternoons are often sunnier than the mornings.
- 2 The shops in the town centre are more expensive the shops in the shopping centre.
- 3 I enjoy maths, but I'm gooder at English.
- 4 The houses are more expensive and more larger in the west of the city.
- 5 Big cities are always more exciting that small cities.

9 SPEAKING Work in pairs. Compare places that you know. Use the comparative form of the adjectives below.

attractive busy exciting expensive noisy
rainy safe small sunny warm

I think Budapest is more attractive than ...

I agree. / I disagree. I think ...

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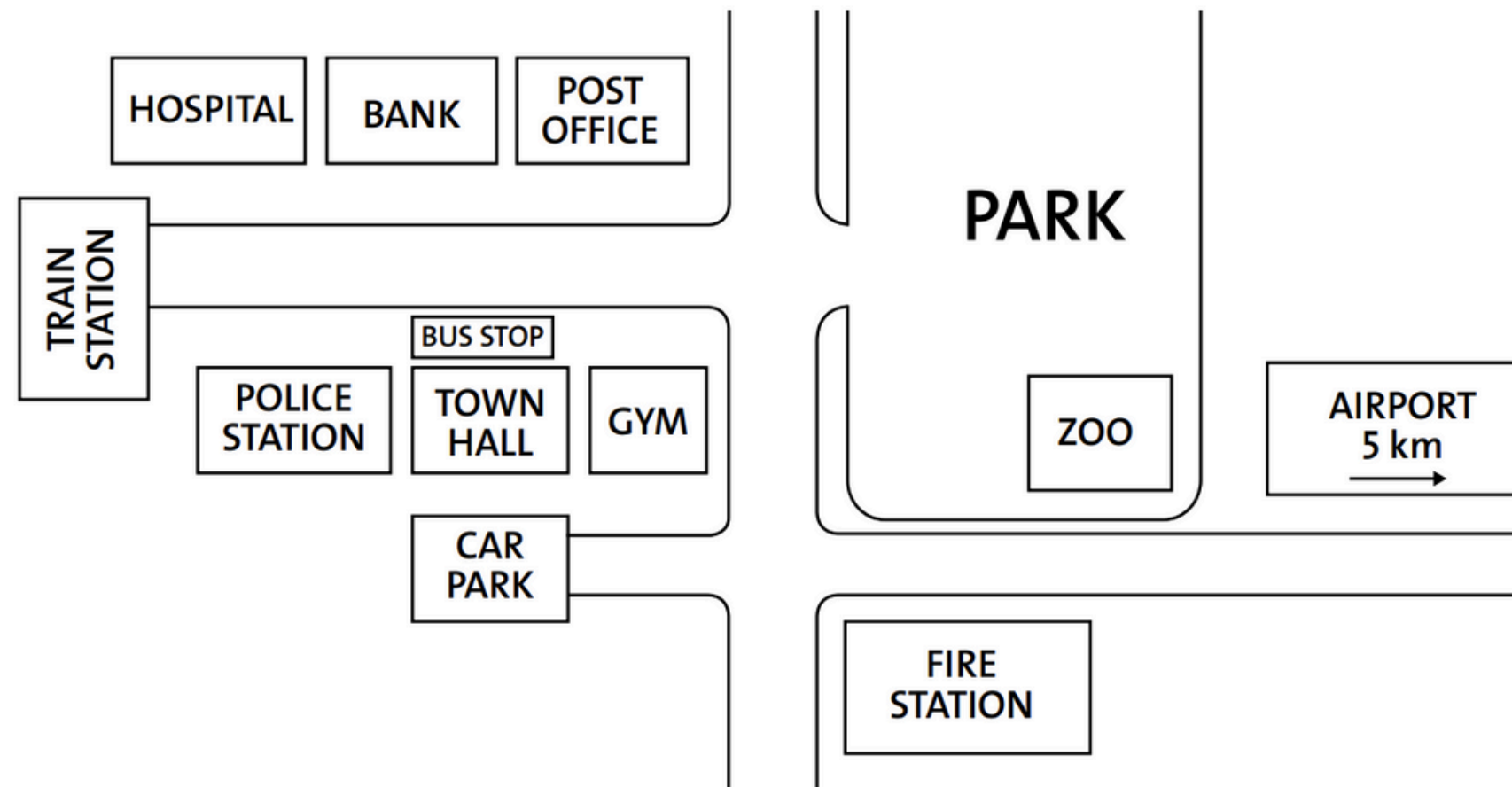
Places

1 Read the sentences. Match them with the places below.

airport bus station cinema hotel library museum shopping centre square swimming pool

- 1 'There's so much to see and learn about the history of our country here. It's so interesting.' _____
- 2 'Where does our plane leave from?' _____
- 3 'Here's the key to your room. Breakfast is from 7.30 to 9.30 tomorrow morning.' _____
- 4 'The water is really cold today.' _____
- 5 'I'm looking for a book about the geography and history of the UK.' _____
- 6 'It's warm so let's sit down over there and enjoy the nice weather.' _____
- 7 'Here are your tickets. It leaves in five minutes from stop number eight.' _____
- 8 'I don't want to watch that. It looks awful. I want to watch something funny.' _____
- 9 'I want to buy some new shoes and then we can go over there for a coffee.' _____

2 Look at the map and complete the sentences with the correct prepositions.



- 1 The post office is n_____ t_____ the bank.
- 2 The hospital is o_____ the police station.
- 3 The bus stop is i_____ f_____ o_____ the town hall.
- 4 The car park is b_____ the town hall.
- 5 The bank is b_____ the post office and the hospital.
- 6 The train station is n_____ the police station.
- 7 The zoo is i_____ the park.
- 8 The gym is o_____ the post office.
- 9 The fire station is c_____ t_____ the zoo.
- 10 The airport is o_____ the city centre.

- 3** **SPEAKING** Work in pairs. Student A: think of a city centre that you know. Describe it to your partner. Student B: draw the city centre that your partner describes. Then change roles.

There's a large shopping centre next to a hotel.



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