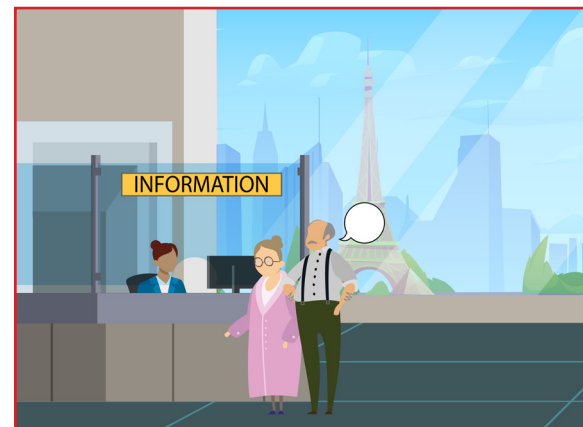
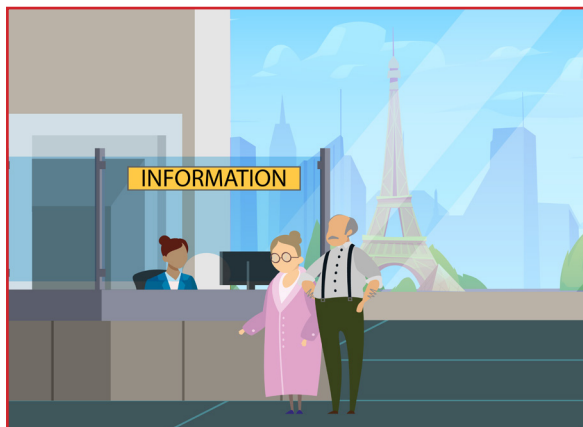


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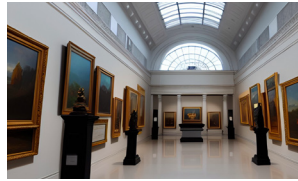
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SECTION A

KEY VOCABULARY



Underground



Museum



Shopping mall



Buildings



Car park and Parking lot



Square



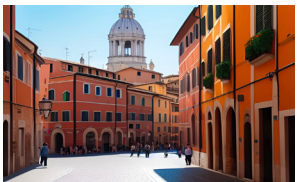
Theatre



Roundabout



Opera



City center



Traffic jam



Hotel



Pedestrian crossing



Traffic Lights and Street lights



Crossroads



Art gallery



Restaurant



SECTION B

What you might hear and see



- How can I help you?
- There's a new art exhibition tomorrow.
- The museum is in the center of town.
- You should take bus number 19 to go to the city center.



SECTION C

What you might need to SAY or ASK in this place

<i>Greetings</i>	Hello Good morning Good afternoon
<i>Thanking</i>	Thank you Thanks a lot
<i>Customers ordering drinks and food</i>	How do I get to the city center? Have you got a map of the city center? Where can I find a bus timetable, please? What are the main tourist attractions? Can you recommend any good hotels - restaurants? Is there public parking near the museum? Where's the best place to go shopping for clothes?
<i>Leave-taking expressions</i>	Good bye Have a good day

SECTION D

Basic Dialogues in the City

Taking a taxi



Taxi driver: Hello, where would you like to go?
Passenger: I want to go to the Vatican City, please.
Taxi driver: Shall I put your bag in the trunk?
Passenger: No, thanks. I'll keep it with me. How long will it take?
Taxi driver: It takes about fifteen minutes.
Passenger: Oh, that's fine.
Taxi driver: Here is the Vatican City.
Passenger: Thank you. How much do I owe you?
Taxi driver: 25 euros please.
Passenger: Here's 30 euros, keep the change.
Taxi driver: Thank you. Don't forget your belongings. Enjoy your day!
Passenger: Okay, thanks. Good bye.

Asking for directions



Tourist: Excuse me. How do I get to the railway station?
Passerby: It's about a five-minute walk. Go across the roundabout, take the first street on your right. You will see a bank and go straight on, and then turn left at the crossroads. It's about 100 meters on your right. You can't miss it!
Tourist: Thanks a lot!
Passerby: You're welcome.

Tourist: Excuse me. I'm looking for the post office. Could you help me, please?
Passerby: Okay. Go straight on and on your left you'll see the opera building. Go past the opera building and it's about 50 meters on your left.
Tourist: Thank you. Have a great day.

SECTION D

Basic Dialogues in the City

Exchange office



Tourist: I would like to exchange some money.

Staff: Okay. I need an ID card or a passport.

Tourist: Okay. I have a passport, here it is.

Staff: What currency do you have?

Tourist: I have dollars and I want to exchange 300.

Staff: Okay, here is your money and receipt.

Asking for information at a Travel



Tourist: Hello, good morning.

Office worker: Good morning. Can I help you?

Tourist: I would like to do your sightseeing tour today. Could you tell me more about the tour?

Office worker: We offer many different tours. Is there anything special you'd like to see?

Tourist: Well, I think I want the classic Rome experience. Vatican City, the Colosseum and so on.

Office worker: In that case, I recommend our original sightseeing tour.

Tourist: Perfect! How long does it take?

Office worker: The whole tour takes about eight hours.

Tourist: And how much are tickets?

Office worker: They are 120 euros, including the entrance fee.

Tourist: That sounds great. Thanks for your help!

SECTION D

Basic Dialogues in the City

Asking for information at a Tourist



Assistant: Hello, how are you?

Tourist: I am fine. Thanks.

Assistant: How can I help you?

Tourist: I need some information, please. The museum is closed. What time will it open?

Assistant: It is open from 10 a.m to 5 p.m., and it is closed on Mondays.

Tourist: Thanks. Have a nice day.

Assistant: Hello! How can I help you?

Tourist: Well, I've just arrived here, so I have a few questions.

Assistant: Okay, go ahead. What would you like to know?

Tourist: I'd like to learn more about the history of this town. Do you have any pamphlets, brochures, or some books to recommend?

Assistant: Well. We have a few interesting tour books here.

Tourist: That sounds great. Do you have these in Spanish?

Assistant: Yes, here you are.

Tourist: Thank you very much. Bye

Assistant: You're welcome. Have a great day!



Tourist: Hello.

Tourist office: Hi! How can I help you today?

Tourist: I'd like to know where I can try local cuisine.

Tourist office: Take these pamphlets, please. Here are the names and addresses of some special restaurants. They serve great local cuisine.

FINAL STEP

Exercises

Write down the words used for the pictures below.



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Fill in the Dialogue below.

Tourist: Excuse me! Where's the nearest pharmacy?

Passerby:

Tourist: Okay, how many minutes should I go?

Passerby:

Put a tick next to the statements you say during your visit in the city.

- Do they give good exchange rates?
- The train station is in the center of the town.
- Put your luggage on the scale.
- Is there a new art exhibition today?
- Is lunch included in the price?
- Go to Platform 5, please.
- Can you recommend any good restaurants?
- Your flight has been cancelled.

FINAL STEP

Exercises

Dialogue at the tourist office: Elene and Erasmus want to exchange some money, so they visit the tourist office to find a good place.



Read the dialogue below and fill in the blanks with the most appropriate option.

- a) Let me show you
- b) Please carry a map at all times
- c) Is there anything else
- d) Until seven o'clock tonight
- e) How may I help you
- f) Don't have hidden fees
- g) Where can we get the best rate

Erasmus: Excuse me, ma'am. Can you help us, please?

Tourist office: Certainly sir,

Erasmus: We are here for vacation and we need to exchange some money.around here?

Tourist office: I can suggest Globe Exchange, they have the best rates in town.

Erasmus: Do you think they are open now?

Tourist office: Yes, they are open

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Erasmus: Okay, and do they get commission?

Tourist office: Not at all. No commission and they

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Erasmus: Thank you so much!

Tourist office: I can help you?

Elene: Well, actually yes. Have you got a map of the city center?

Tourist office: Yes, sure. Here is the map and where you are now.

Elene: Thank you, it's very kind of you.

Tourist office: My pleasure. It is difficult to know where you are in this city, so

Elene: Thank you very much for your help. Have a nice day.



VIDEOS

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