

Lesson 6: Exercises

Part I: Map Exercise

a) Fill in the blanks (including the lettered landmarks) with Cantonese Romanization

[A] Subway Station _____

[B] and [E] Bus Stop _____

[C] and [F] Taxi Stop _____

[D] Light Rail Station _____

Berkeley St _____ V	North Bay St _____ V	Canton Street _____ V	
Church _____ [D]	Gym [C] _____	Hospital _____	Parking Lot _____
1st St _____			
[A] Cafe _____	[B] Bookstore _____	Shopping Mall _____	Supermarket _____
2nd St _____			
Library _____	University _____	Post Office _____ [F]	Bank _____ [E]
3rd St _____			Chinatown
Airport _____	Hotel _____	Train Station _____	Restaurant _____

b) Find a partner and practice asking each other for directions, starting with the following situations. Note that some places have two exits. You may not take public transportation!

- * Restaurant → Church
- * Supermarket → Light Rail Station [D]
- * Taxi Stop [C] → Bank
- * Parking Lot (Canton St) → Post Office
- * Bus Stop [E] → Gym
- * Bus Stop [B] → Airport

- * Library → Shopping Mall (2nd St)
- * Hospital → Train Station
- * University → Chinatown
- * Bookstore → Hotel
- * Subway Station [A] → Taxi Stop [F]

Part II: Translate the following in Cantonese

- a) I am waiting for you at the bus station.
- b) As soon as I exited the plane, I called my friend.
- c) He does not know where I live.
- d) My teacher says I do not know how to write Chinese.
- e) How do I get from Chinatown to the airport?
- f) I have decided to go to Hong Kong next semester.
- g) Please wait a moment. I am looking for your book.
- h) Earlier (a moment ago), I couldn't think of what his name was.
- i) I have not gotten to (walked to) ^{8th} Street yet.
- j) Have you ever seen a restaurant this big before?

Part III: For the following sentences, either provide an answer to the question or complete the sentence. Use the patterns when required.

- a) nei³ gam¹ yat⁶ fong³-jo² hok⁶ heui³ bin¹ a³? (yat¹...jau⁶...)
- b) nei³ jou⁶-jo² gung¹fo³ mei⁶ a³? (QW + dou¹ + V)
- c) keui⁵ dang²-jo² hou² noi⁶ la⁴?
- d) nei⁵ tai²-m⁴-tai² dou² ngo⁵ kei² hai² bin¹ a³?
- e) nei⁵ wui⁵-m⁴-wui⁵ hai² Ga¹Jau¹ wan² gung¹ jou⁶ a³?
- f) ngo⁵ yi⁵wai⁴ _____, yun⁴loi⁴ keui⁵ mat¹ye⁵ dou¹ mei⁶ _____
- g) keui⁵ hai² din²wa² tung⁴ nei⁵ gong² mat¹ye⁵ a³?

Part IV: Fill in the blanks with the correct term

- a) ngo⁵ pang⁴yau⁵ _____ ngo⁵ m⁴ sik¹ _____ Gwok³Yu² (gong²; wa⁶)
- b) nei⁵ _____-m⁴-_____ ngo⁵ _____ da² mong⁵kau⁴ ga³? (ji¹; sik¹)
- c) keui⁵ _____ ngo⁵ hai³ Mei⁵Gwok³Yan⁴, kei⁴sat⁶ ngo⁵ hai⁶ Ying¹Gwok³Yan⁴ (gok³dak¹, yi⁵wai⁴)
- d) ngo⁵ yi⁴wai⁴ yiu³ dang² _____, daan⁶hai⁶ ngo⁵ jing⁶hai⁶ dang²-jo² _____ je¹ (hou²noi⁶, yat¹jan⁶)