

Sightseeing 02: At a Tourist Information Center

Hi! How are you today?

Today's lesson is about "*At a Tourist Information Center.*"

Let's make learning English fun!

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Exercise 1 | Vocabulary and Expressions (Vocabulary and Expressions)

Directions: Listen and repeat.

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Vocabulary and Expressions	Meaning
Hello! Can you help me, please?	Hello! Can you help me, please?
Do you have these pamphlets/books in English/Thai/German/etc.?	Do you have these pamphlets/books in English/Thai/German/etc.?
What sights can I visit in this area?	What sights can I visit in this area?
Where can I try local cuisine?	Where can I try local cuisine?
Where can I find information about local events?	Where can I find information about local events?

Exercise 2 | Dialogue 1 (Dialogue 1)

Directions: Read the dialogue aloud with your teacher.

(**Directions:** Read the dialogue aloud with your teacher.)

Scene: Sean wants to find out more about the country he is visiting.

Sean: Hello! Can you help me please?

Worker: Of course! What do you want to know?

Sean: What is the history of this town?

Worker: Well... We have a few interesting tour books here!

Sean: Do you have these in English?

Worker: Yes! Here you go!

Sean: What sights can I visit in this area?

Worker: *(Opens one of the books)* Yes! There is an 18th century chapel you can visit. It's 10 minutes away from here. You can find directions and information in the book. I recommend seeing it; it's beautiful!

Sean: I will go there. Thank you very much!

Worker: You're welcome!

Exercise 3 | Dialogue 2 (Dialogue 2)

Directions: Read the dialogue aloud with your teacher.

(**Directions:** Read the dialogue aloud with your teacher.)

Scene: Hannah and her friend Daniel are in a tourist information center.

Hannah: Hello! Can you help us, please?

Worker: Certainly!

Daniel: Where can we try local cuisine?

Worker: Here! Take these pamphlets. These are good restaurants, where you can try local food. The directions are on the pamphlets. *(Shows a map on one of the pamphlets.)* You are here right now. Will you find your way?

Daniel: Yes, thank you.

Hannah: Where can we find information on local events?

Worker: There will be a beer festival next week, so you can visit it. For information about events in neighboring towns you can read this! *(Gives another pamphlet.)*

Hannah & Daniel: Thank you!

Exercise 4 | Filling the Blanks (Filling the Blanks)

Directions: Fill in the blanks below. Have a role play with your teacher.

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Scene 1: Louis is in Poland. He went to a tourist information center for help.

Louis: _____ ?

Worker: Yes, no problem. What would you like to know?

Louis: I'm a bit lost. Do you have maps?

Worker: Here you go!

Louis: _____ French?

Worker: I'm sorry, but we don't!

Louis: Don't worry, I can understand English. (*chuckle*) Thank you for your help!

Scene 2: Ray found an information center in town, so he wants to know everything!

Ray: Hello!

Worker: Hello!

Ray: What sights _____ ?

Worker: There is a history museum close by. Also, look at these pamphlets, you may find something you like.

Ray: Thanks. Where can I _____ ?

Worker: There are a few traditional restaurants on High Market Street. It's not far from here.

Ray: What about events? Where can I find _____ ?

Worker: Take this pamphlet. It has information on this. Also you can visit our information center website!

Exercise 5 | Role Play (Role Play)

Directions: Have a role play with your teacher in the situation below.

(Directions: Have a role play with your teacher in the situation below.)

Situation: You are in your teacher's hometown and you go to the tourist information center to find out about the places to visit, events, the places to eat, etc. Your teacher will act as a worker in the center. Switch roles after that.

Exercise 6 | Free Conversation (Free Conversation)

Directions: Take turns with your teacher in answering the questions.

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1. Have you ever been to a tourist information center?
2. Can you find a tourist information center in your town/city/living area?
3. Do you prefer eating street food or eating at a restaurant? Why?
4. What are your favorite places to visit? Museums/art galleries/historical sites/just city streets/other?
5. Do you like buying souvenirs? Why?