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SIMPLE PAST: REGULAR VERBS

Look at the verbs in bold. What do they have in common?

When Michael was five years old, he **attended** school for the first time. He **arrived** early in the morning with his parents. The teacher **opened** the door and **received** him very warmly. Marco **liked** her immediately.



We use it to talk about events in the past.

Ex. We **studied** all night.

To form the **simple past in regular verbs**, add "**-ed**" at the end.

GRAMMAR

AFFIRMATIVE

SUBJECT

VERB
in past form
(-ED / -D)

COMPLEMENT



Examples:

- ✓ I **started** a new business.
- ✓ You **started** a new business.
- ✓ He **started** a new business.
- ✓ She **started** a new business.
- ✓ We **started** a new business.
- ✓ You **started** a new business.
- ✓ They **started** a new business.



SPELLING OF PAST FORMS OF REGULAR VERBS

1. Add **'-ed'** in **most verbs**.

WALK → WALKED

2. When the verb ends in **'-e'**, add **'-d'**.

LIVE → LIVED

3. When the verb ends in a **consonant** and **'-y'**, **take off the '-y'** and add **'-ied'**.

CARRY → CARRIED

4. When the verb ends in a **vowel** and **'-y'**, just add **'-ed'**.

PLAY → PLAYED

5. When the verb ends in a **vowel** and a **consonant** and that **vowel is stressed**, **double the last consonant** and add **'-ed'**.

PERMIT → PERMITTED

6. When the verb ends in **'-l'**, **double the '-l'** and add **'-ed'**

CANCEL → CANCELLED

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GRAMMAR

NEGATIVE



Examples:

- ✓ I **didn't** play tennis.
- ✓ He **didn't** paint my bedroom.
- ✓ It **didn't** cross the street.
- ✓ We **didn't** erase the notes.
- ✓ They **didn't** remember anything.



GRAMMAR

INTERROGATIVE



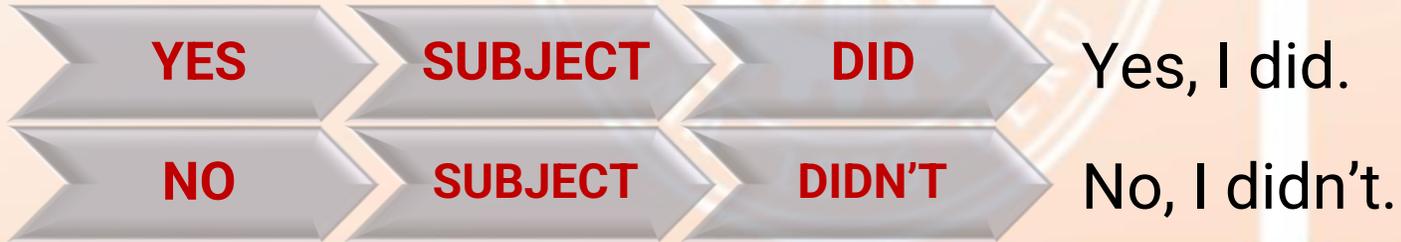
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Examples:

- ✓ **Did** you **stay** a lot of hours?
- ✓ **Did** she **jump** in the competition?
- ✓ **Did** we **laugh** so loud?
- ✓ **Did** they **agree** in the meeting?

SHORT ANSWERS



EXERCISES

Complete the following sentences with
the past form.

Example:

AFFIRMATIVE

My mother divided (divide) the cake.

NEGATIVE

My mother didn't divide the cake.

INTERROGATIVE

Did my mother divide the cake?

ANSWERS

Yes, she did. / No, she didn't.

1. My family planned (plan) a trip to the UK.
2. Mr. Harris carried (carry) the heavy boxes.
3. Priscila copied (copy) the Math homework.
4. The car stopped (stop) in the middle of the street.
5. Baby Philip clapped (clap) his hands with joy.

EXERCISES

Choose the correct answer.

1. My children didn't visit their grandparents two days ago.

- a) visits  b) didn't visit c) did visited

2. My sister didn't enjoy the party last weekend.

- a) were enjoy b) did enjoyed  c) didn't enjoy

3. Did you help my dad yesterday?

- a) Did – helped b) Were – helped  c) Did – help

4. Did the teacher arrive one hour ago?

-  a) Did the teacher arrive
b) The teacher did arrived
c) Did the teacher arrived



EXERCISES

Complete the text with the verbs in past.

walk – not watch – talk – visit – practice – not like – listen – want - cook

We visited a lot of interesting places in England: The Tower of London, The Tower Bridge, The British Museum and many others. We walked many kilometers everyday because we wanted to enjoy the city. We practiced our English a lot because we talked to many people from England and other parts of the world who didn't speak Spanish. In the evening, we cooked our dinner because we didn't like English food. After dinner, we listened to music. We didn't watch TV because we didn't understand most of the programs. They spoke very fast!



REGULAR VERBS

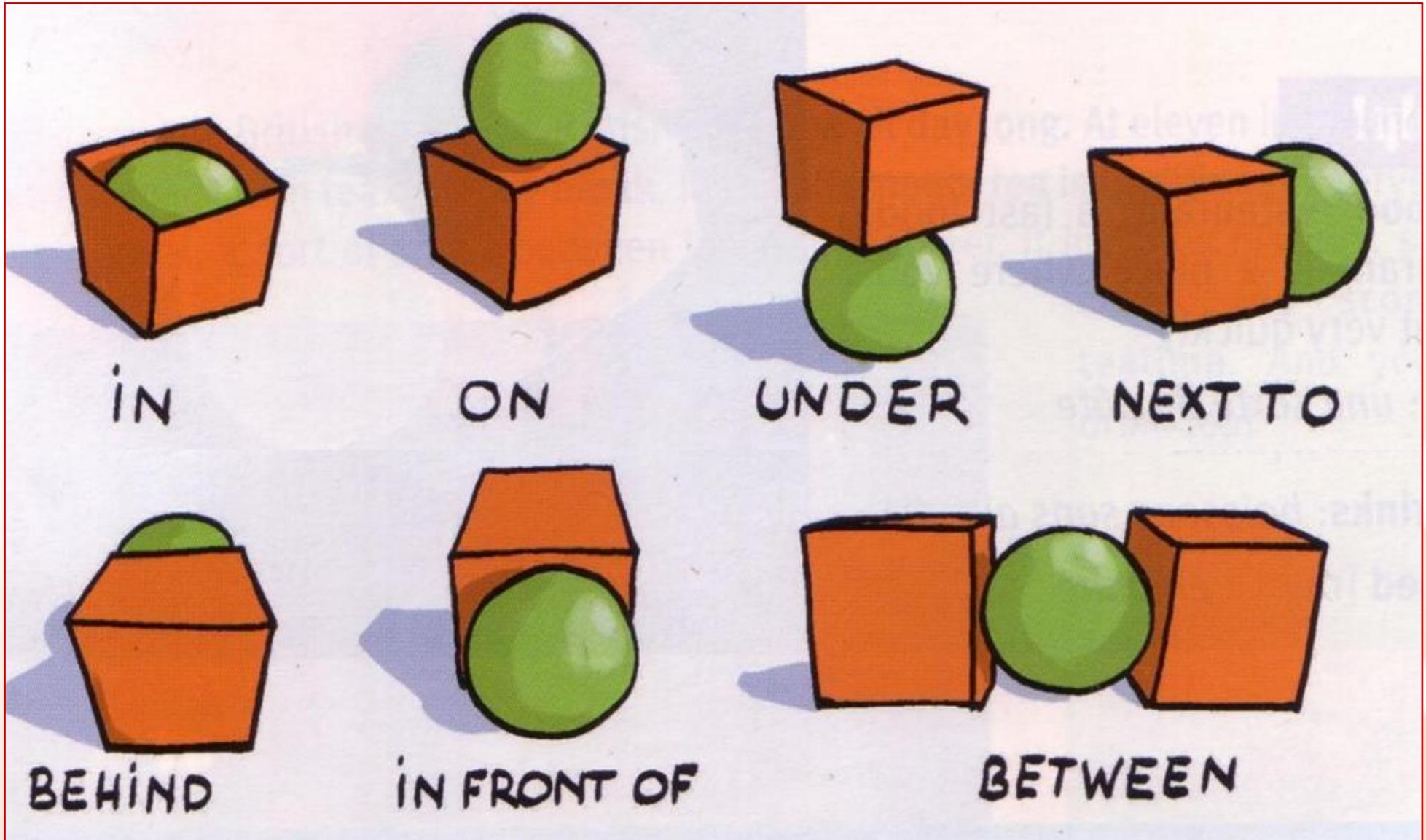
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answer	answered	miss	missed
arrive	arrived	move	moved
ask	asked	need	needed
behave	behaved	offer	offered
call	called	order	ordered
carry	carried	play	played
close	closed	prefer	preferred
change	changed	rain	rained
dance	danced	relax	relaxed
decide	decided	rest	rested
guess	guessed	return	returned
hate	hated	save	saved
invite	invited	stress	stressed
learn	learned/learnt	talk	talked
like	liked	wait	waited
listen	listened	work	worked
live	lived	visit	visited
look	looked	call	called
love	loved	stay	stayed



PREPOSITIONS OF PLACE

To refer to a place where something or someone is located

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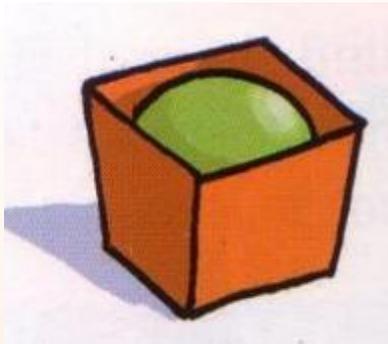
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SUBJECT

VERB
TO BE

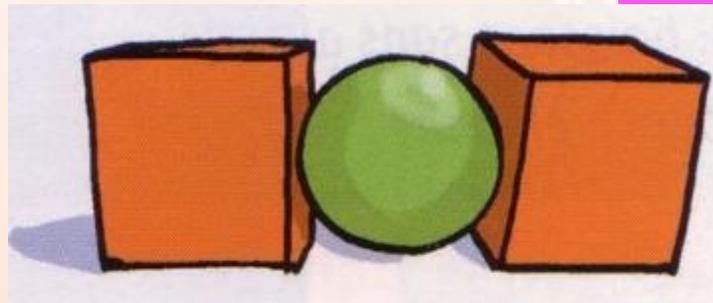
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OF PLACE

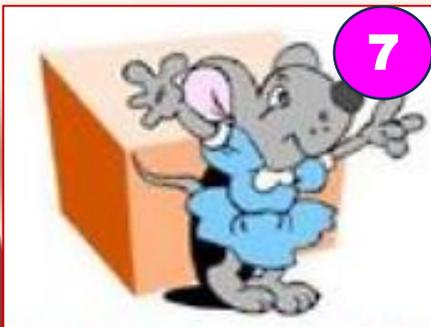
LOCATION
(other
object)



Examples:

- The ball is in the box.
- The ball is between the boxes.





EXERCISES

Complete the sentences with the prepositions of place.

1. The dog is under the table.
2. The rabbit is behind the door.
3. The boy is between the two dogs.
4. The frog is on the box.
5. The toys are in the box.
6. The woman is next to the house.
7. The mouse is in front of the box.
8. The books are on the shelf.



ASKING AND GIVING DIRECTIONS

To ask for the location of a place

Asking For Direction

- Where is...?
- How do I get to ...?
- How do you get to the ...?
- Where can I find the...?
- Is there...near here?
- How can I get to...from here?
- Can you show me the way to...?
- Can you tell me how to get to...?
- What's the best way to get to...?
- Can you give me directions to the...?
- Is there a... around here?
- What's the quickest way to get to...from here?
- What's the easiest way to get to the...from here?



Giving Directions

- Go+ direction (right/left/down/up/through)
- Turn left/right
- Take the first (turning) to the left/right.
- Go past the restaurant/school...
- The...is beside/in front of/next to...the...
- The easiest way is to...
- The quickest way is to...
- The best way is to...
- Take + road name
- Stay on + road name for + distance or time
- It's on + street name...
- It's across from...
- It's opposite...
- It's near...

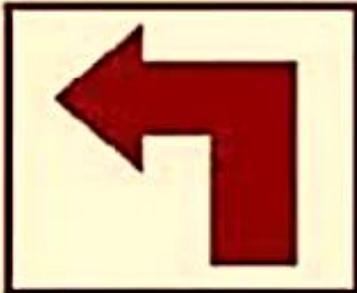




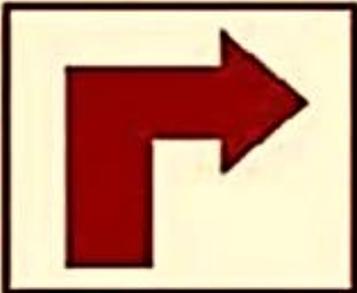
Giving Directions

PART ONE: Learn / revise some words and expressions related to directions.

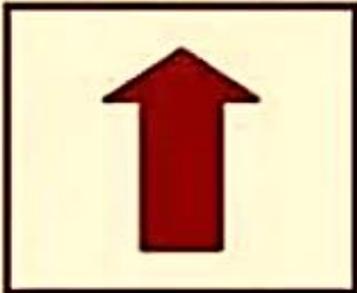
VERBS



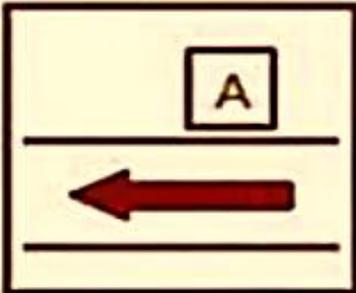
turn left



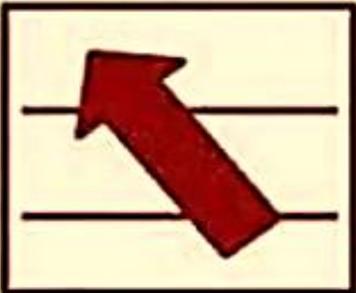
turn right



go straight ahead

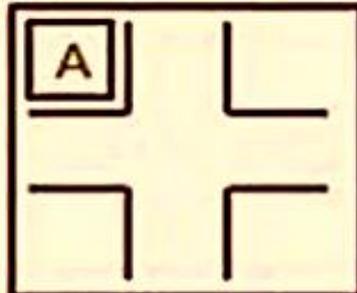


go past ...

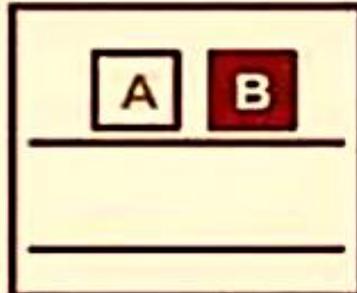


cross

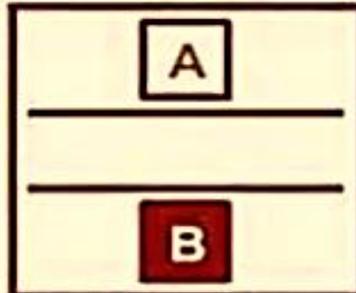
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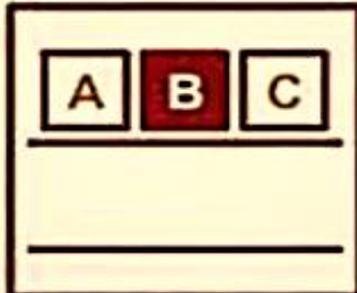
at the corner of ...



next to



opposite



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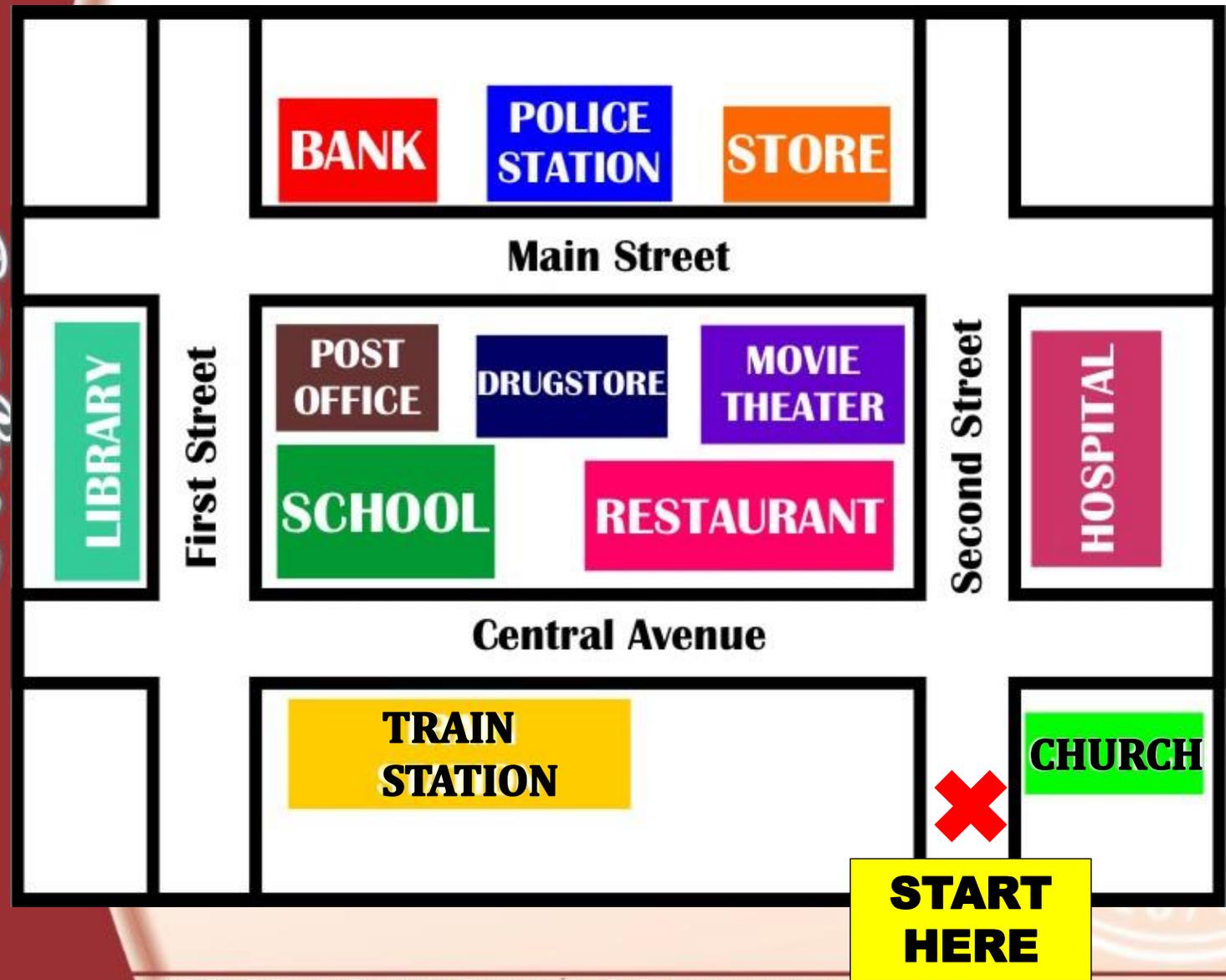
Complete the sentences.

1. The drugstore is across the police station.

2. The train station is in the corner of Central Avenue and First Street.

3. – How can I get to the police station?
– Go straight on Second Street. Turn left on Main Street and go past the store.

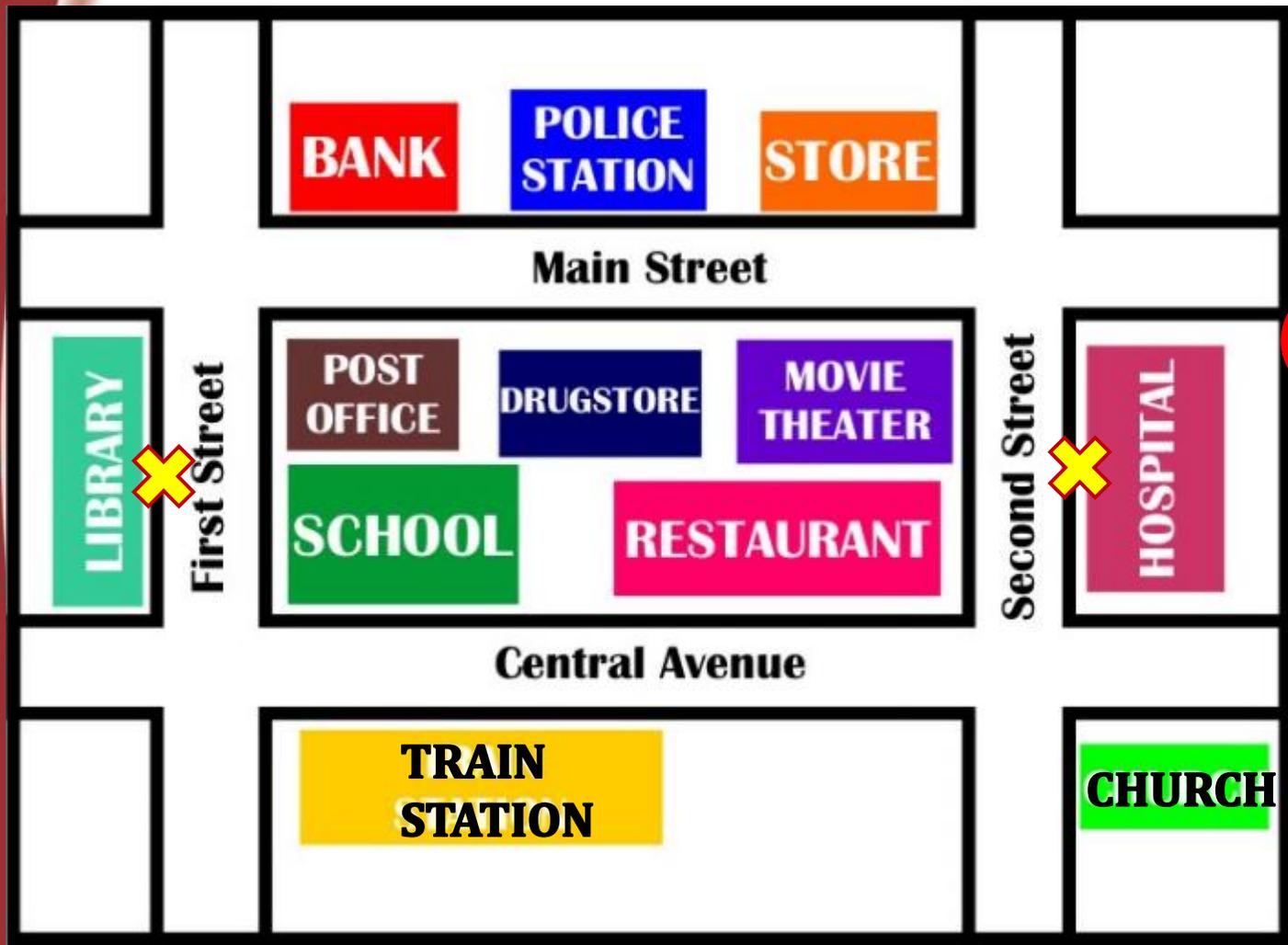
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How can I get to the hospital from the library?

A) Go right on First Street, then turn left on Central Av. Then, turn right on Second Street. Finally, go past the church.

 B) Go left on First Street, then turn right on Main Street. Finally, turn right on Second Street. It's across from the movie theater.

C) Go left on First Street, then turn right on Main Street. It is in the corner of First Street and Main Street.



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