

**Phrases to know**

**Ask for the way**

Excuse me, sir / madam, can you tell me the way to...?

Excuse me, could you tell me where the .... is please?

**Answers:**

Sure.

Of course.

I'm sorry. I can't help you. I'm a stranger here myself.

If you want to say something about a building or a place, you can say:

**It is tall.**

**It is exciting.**

If you compare this with another building or place, you can say:

**It is taller than that building.** when it is a short word

**It is more exciting than that place.** when it is a longer word

If there is no other building or place as tall as this one, you can say:

**It is the tallest building.** when it is a short word

**It is the most exciting place.** when it is a longer word

How to explain the way:

**go straight on**

**turn left / right**

**take the first / second / third street / turning on the right / left**

**you come to...**

How to use **to go**

Today:

**I go shopping.**

**you go shopping.**

**he / she goes shopping.**

Yesterday:

**I went shopping.**

**you went shopping.**

**he / she went shopping.**

How to use **it**

I have a car.

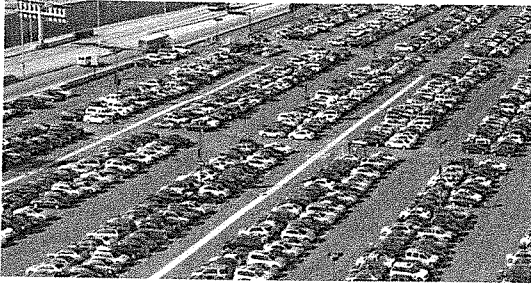
**It goes very fast.**

**It went very fast.**

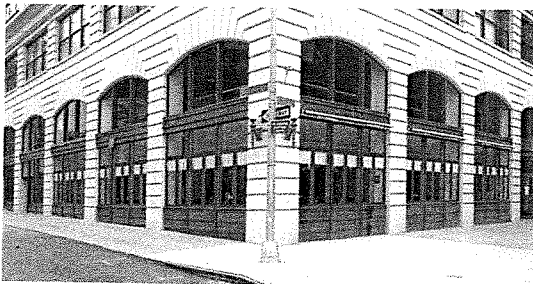
You use **it** when the thing you are talking about is not a person.

## Words to know

a big city	een grote stad
a view	uitzicht
a waste of time	tijdsverspilling
across	tegenover
attraction	attractie
behind	achter
bookshop	boekwinkel
car park	parkeerterrein



church	kerk
cinema	bioscoop
city centre	stadscentrum
city map	stadskaart
corner	hoek



crossroads	kruispunt
department store	warenhuis
first, second, third	eerste, tweede, derde
get a taxi	een taxi nemen
impossible	onmogelijk
in front of	voor
mosque	moskee

museum	museum
near	dichtbij
next to	naast
pavement	trottoir
railway station	treinstation
sightseeing	bezichtigen
signpost	wegwijzer
souvenir shop	souvenirwinkel
square	plein



swimming pool	zwembad
the post office	het postkantoor
the town hall	Het gemeentehuis
to cross the road	de straat oversteken



to discover	ontdekken
to read a map	kaartlezen
to show the way	de weg wijzen
trip	uitstapje
turning	draaien, afslaan
useful	handig
village	dorp