



In Town Transcript

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Hello everyone, I'm Hannah, an English teacher at Virtually Fluent and today you are joining me on the high street of my local city, Winchester. Listen out for all that key in town vocabulary.

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The high street is just around the corner and our first stop is the cinema, which you can see behind me. This is a place where all the latest films are released.

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Right opposite the cinema we have the pub, you can see behind me. This is the cornerstone of social life in England and we have many pubs along our high street in Winchester.

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We are very close to the high street now behind me you can see a hairdresser's, which is where you get your hair done.

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We've arrived at the top of Winchester high street, you can see all the way down behind me and we're going to visit some of the shops and review that key vocabulary.

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Behind me is one of the biggest banks in the UK- HSBC. A bank is a place where you deposit and withdraw money.

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And behind me we also have a restaurant chain. There are lots of restaurants on our high street. A restaurant is a place where you eat food that is prepared for you by somebody else.

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Our high street is also full of clothes shops, which are places that sell clothes. The word SHOP is used very easily in English. We say the type of shop that it is - PET shop, TOY shop, CLOTHES shop and the word SHOP directly after.

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Behind me is Waterstones, which is a bookshop, a place that sells books. Be careful with the difference between a BOOKSHOP and a LIBRARY. A bookshop is a place where you buy books, a place where you give money and you take the book home with you. A library is where you borrow a book. It's a big collection of books. You don't own them, you can take them home, read them and return them back to the library.

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Behind me are lots of different types of shops. First, we have Specsavers which is an opticians, a place to get your eyes tested and buy glasses. We also have, over here, Caffè Nero, which is a café, a place to buy a coffee, a snack, a biscuit.

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Now we're at the bakery, which is a place to buy fresh bread and sometimes pastries.

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Behind me is the post office, which is a place that you can post your letters and parcels.

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Now we're at the pharmacy, also called a chemist's in British English, which is a place to buy medication.

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Behind me is the town hall. Most cities and towns will have this town hall and it's a part of the government where all of the administration takes place.

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