

52 Places

A General place words

Come **here**, please. [to me, to where I am]

Have you been to Lima? I'm going **there** in April. [not here, another place]

Jim is coming **back** from Portugal in May. [to here again, to this place]

There are books and papers **everywhere** in my room. [in all parts / all places]

(See Unit 40: Come / came / come.)

B Prepositions

Luke is **in** the kitchen, making dinner.

There are two restaurants **in** the village.

Martha lives **in** Seoul / South Korea / Asia.

I'll meet you **at** the station.

I always sit **at** the front of the class.

I like that photo **on** the wall.

Don't put your books **on** the chair. I want to sit **on** it!

in

at

on

C Positions



the **top** of the mountain



the **middle** of the road



the **bottom** of the glass



the **front** of the car

parte delantera



the **side** of the car

al costado



the **back** of the car

the **beginning** of the motorway

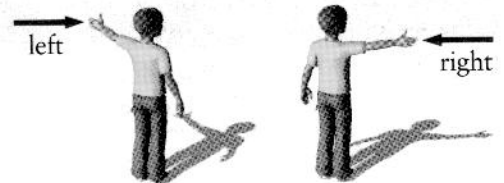
the **end** of the motorway



D Left and right

This is his **left** hand. This is his **right** hand.

In York Street, there is a cinema **on the left** and a restaurant **on the right**.



E Home and away

Is Mary **at home**? [in her house / flat]

No, sorry, she's **out**. [not here for a short time, e.g. at the shops or at work]

No, sorry, she's **away**. [not here for a longer time, e.g. on holiday]

No, sorry, she's **abroad**. [in another country]

Exercises

52.1 Fill the gaps with *here*, *there*, *back* or *everywhere*.

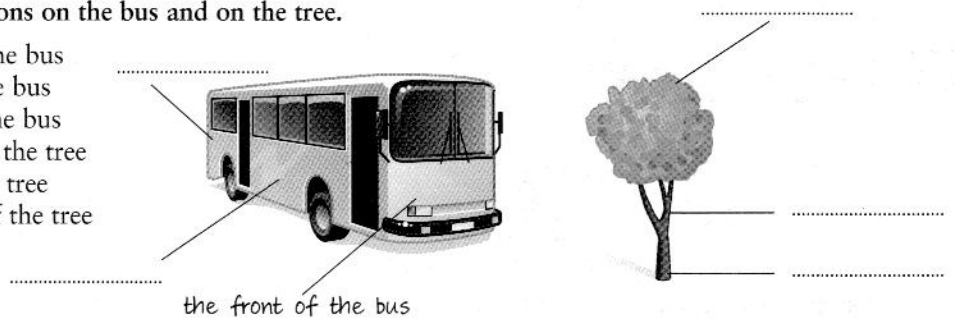
- 1 Thanks for lending me your dictionary. I'll bring it *back* soon. (See Unit 42: Bring / brought / brought.)
- 2 Come Emma! Don't go near the road! (See Unit 40: Come / came / come.)
- 3 This letter is for a teacher at the university. Can you take it (See Unit 41: Take / took / taken.)
- 4 I opened the washing machine too soon. Now there's water !
- 5 I want to leave this letter in Nora's office. Are you going ?
- 6 I'm going to Italy tomorrow, but I'm coming on Friday.

52.2 Fill the gaps with the correct preposition.

- 1 My brother works *in* Paris.
- 2 Why do you always sit the back of the class?
- 3 Let's go and sit the sofa.
- 4 What time do you arrive? I'll meet you the bus station.
- 5 There was a picture of an old man the wall.
- 6 Do you usually study your bedroom or the living room?

52.3 Mark the positions on the bus and on the tree.

- 1 the front of the bus
- 2 the side of the bus
- 3 the back of the bus
- 4 the middle of the tree
- 5 the top of the tree
- 6 the bottom of the tree



52.4 Fill the gaps with *out*, *away* or *abroad*.

- 1 I'd like to work *abroad* and learn about a new country.
- 2 Is Lily here? No, she's but she'll be back in about five minutes.
- 3 I'm going tomorrow. I'm going to stay with my sister for a few days.
- 4 When we go we like to go and see new countries.

52.5 Answer these questions about yourself and about this book.

- 1 Are you studying English at home or abroad?
- 2 Are you going away this year?
- 3 What have you got in your left or right hand at the moment?
- 4 What is there at the end of this book?
- 5 Where is Unit 3 in this book? (beginning / middle / end?)
- 6 Where is Unit 36 in this book? (beginning / middle / end?)