

## LESSON NOTES

# Cantonese Listening Comprehension for Beginners #6 Getting Cantonese Directions

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## TRADITIONAL CHINESE

1. 一個女人喺度問緊一個男人巴士站喺邊。
2. 巴士站喺邊度?
3. 唔好意思，你知唔知呢度附近有冇巴士站?
4. 有呀。呢度直行，到第二個紅綠燈轉右。
5. 然後去到書店嗰個街口轉左，就會見到間銀行。銀行前面就係巴士站喇。
6. 我明喇。唔該晒!

## JYUTPING

1. jat1 go3 nei5 jan2 hai2 dou6 man6 gan2 jat1 go3 naam4 jan2 baa1 si2 zaam6 hai2 bin1.
2. baa1 si2 zaam6 hai2 bin1 dou6?
3. m4 hou2 ji3 si1, nei5 zi1 m4 zi1 ni1 dou6 fu6 gan6 jau5 mou5 baa1 si2 zaam6?
4. jau5 aa3. ni1 dou6 zik6 haang4, dou3 dai6 ji6 go3 hung4 luk6 dang1 zyun3 jau6.
5. jin4 hau6 heoi3 dou3 syu1 dim3 go2 go3 gaai1 hau2 zyun3 zo2, zau6 wui5 gin3 dou2 gaan1 ngan4 hong4. ngan4 hong4 cin4 min6 zau6 hai6 baa1 si2 zaam6 laa3.
6. ngo5 ming4 laa3. m4 goi1 saai3!

## ENGLISH

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1. A woman is asking a man where the bus stop is.
2. Where is the bus stop?
3. Excuse me, do you know if there's a bus stop near here?
4. Yes. First go straight, and turn right at the second traffic light.
5. Then, turn left at the corner of a book store, and you can see a bank. The bus stop is in front of the bank.
6. Got it. Thank you so much!

## VOCABULARY

Traditional	Romanization	English	Class
前面	cin4 min6	in front of	adverb
唔好意思	m4 hou2 ji3 si1	sorry, excuse me	phrase
附近	fu6 gan6	near	adverb
知	zi1	to know (something)	verb
直行	zik6 haang4	to go straight	verb
轉左	zyun3 zo2	turn left	phrase
轉右	zyun2 jau6	turn right	phrase
書店	syu1 dim3	bookstore	noun
銀行	ngan4 hong4	bank	noun

## SAMPLE SENTENCES

<p>我哋喺遊客詢問處前面見啦。 ngo5 dei6 hai2 jau4 haak3 seon1 man6 cyu3 cin4 min6 gin3 laa1.</p> <p>Let's meet in front of the tourist information.</p>	<p>唔好意思，我唔可以同你去。 m4 hou2 ji3 si1, ngo5 m4 ho2 ji3 tung4 nei5 heoi3.</p> <p>Sorry, I can't go with you.</p>
<p>唔好意思，你有冇見過我隻狗？ m4 hou2 ji3 si1, nei5 jau5 mou5 gin3 gwo3 ngo5 zek3 gau2?</p> <p>Excuse me, have you seen my dog?</p>	<p>唔好意思，洗手間喺邊？ m4 hou2 ji3 si1, sai2 sau2 gaan1 hai2 bin1 ?</p> <p>Excuse me, where is the washroom?</p>
<p>大廈附近唔可以玩煙花。 daai6 haa6 fu6 gan6 m4 ho2 ji5 waan2 jin1 faa1.</p> <p>It is not allowed to use fireworks near buildings.</p>	<p>我哋可能永遠都唔會知呢個習慣嘅起源。 ngo5 dei6 ho2 nang4 wing5 jyun5 dou1 m4 wui5 zi1 ni1 go3 zaap6 gwaan3 ge3 hei2 jyun4.</p> <p>We will probably never know the origins of this habit.</p>
<p>我知佢叫咩名。 ngo5 zi1 keoi5 giu3 me1 meng2.</p> <p>I know her name</p>	<p>我知道你好唔滿意，不過呢個只係臨時嘅安排。 ngo5 zi1 dou3 nei5 hou2 m4 mun5 ji3, bat1 gwo3 ni1 go3 zi2 hai6 lam4 si4 ge3 on1 paai4.</p> <p>I know you are dissatisfied, but this arrangement is only temporary.</p>
<p>我唔知。 ngo5 m4 zi1.</p> <p>I don't know.</p>	<p>一路直行就到郵局喇喇。 jat1 lou6 zik6 hang4 zau6 dou3 jau4 guk6 gaa3 laa3.</p> <p>If you go straight you will finally arrive at the post office.</p>
<p>向前直行大概一百米。 hoeng3 cin4 zik6 haang4 daai6 koi3 jat1 baak3 mai5.</p> <p>Walk straight for about one hundred meters.</p>	<p>第一個紅綠燈轉左。 dai6 jat1 go3 hung4 luk6 dang1 zyun3 zo2.</p> <p>Turn left at the first traffic light.</p>

<p>一陣轉左。 <i>jat1 zan6 zyun3 zo2.</i></p> <p>Turn left in a bit.</p>	<p>我頭先唔記得轉右，而家唔知點行。 <i>ngo5 tau4 sin1 m4 gei3 dak1 zyun3 jau4, ji4 gaa1 m4 zi1 dim2 hang4.</i></p> <p>I forgot to turn right somewhere and now I don't know where to go.</p>
<p>前面轉右。 <i>cin4 min6 zyun3 jau6.</i></p> <p>Turn right at the front.</p>	<p>第三街有間好出名嘅書店。 <i>dai6 saam1 gaa1 jau5 gaan1 hou2 ceot1 meng2 ge3 syu1 dim3.</i></p> <p>There is a famous bookstore on 3rd Avenue.</p>
<p>我好鍾意書店嗰陣味。 <i>ngo5 hou2 zung1 ji3 syu1 dim3 go2 zan6 mei6.</i></p> <p>I love the smell of book stores.</p>	<p>樓下有間書店。 <i>lau4 haa6 jau5 gaan1 syu1 dim3。</i></p> <p>There's a bookstore downstairs.</p>
<p>佢要搵間服務好啲嘅銀行。 <i>keoi5 jiu3 wan2 gaan1 fuk6 mou6 hou2 di1 ge3 ngan4 hong4.</i></p> <p>He has to find a bank that offers a better service.</p>	<p>聽講呢間銀行尋日俾人打劫。 <i>teng1 gong2 ni1 gaan1 ngan4 hong4 cam4 jat6 bei2 jan4 daa2 gip6.</i></p> <p>I heard that this bank was robbed yesterday.</p>