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## THE TRIP



### Before listening to the story

#### Lead in...

1. How do you and your family find the way when you are going someplace you haven't been before? Do you use a map, ask people for directions, do you try to find your way on your own or do you use a GPS?
2. How do you think people in old times, before GPS and maps, found their way when they were going somewhere they had never been before?



## While listening to the story

### Details – true or false

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1. A guide says to the family: "Welcome to your vehicle I'll be with you on your journey."		
2. The mother is smiling but the father has a sweet voice.		
3. Anna is careful when riding bikes on roads.		
4. The first thing that happens when the family drives away with the rental car is that they nearly crash with another car.		
5. Anna likes to be on the beach but dislikes visiting ruins when she is on holiday.		
6. Anna's parents want to go to the mountains in order to prevent the family from getting a sun tan.		
7. Anna hears things from the GPS that her parents don't hear, like the voice saying her name.		
8. Anna's parents believe her when she tells them about the GPS.		
9. Anna's parents turn off the GPS and turn the car around.		
10. The view at the top of the mountain is nice.		

## After listening to the story

### Discussion

GPS is short for  
Global Positioning System

A few years ago a boat went straight into a lighthouse in the archipelago. The investigation afterwards found that the captain had followed the GPS instructions instead of looking at the waters ahead, and the GPS system wasn't totally accurate.

- What conclusions can be drawn from examples like this?
- What advantages have the GPS system brought?
- What disadvantages can there be?
- Have you ever used a GPS? When? Where?



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## Grammar – genitive

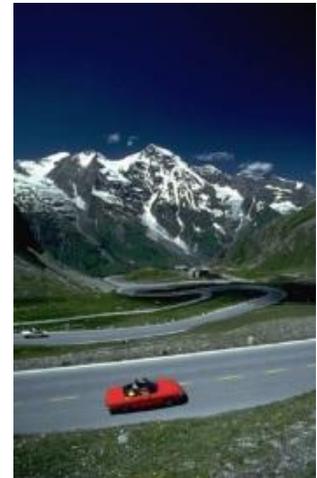
### Translate into English

1. Flickans cykel
2. Flickornas cyklar
3. Förälderns bil
4. Föräldrarnas bilar
5. Bilens motor
6. Bilarnas motorer
7. Radions röst
8. Radions röster

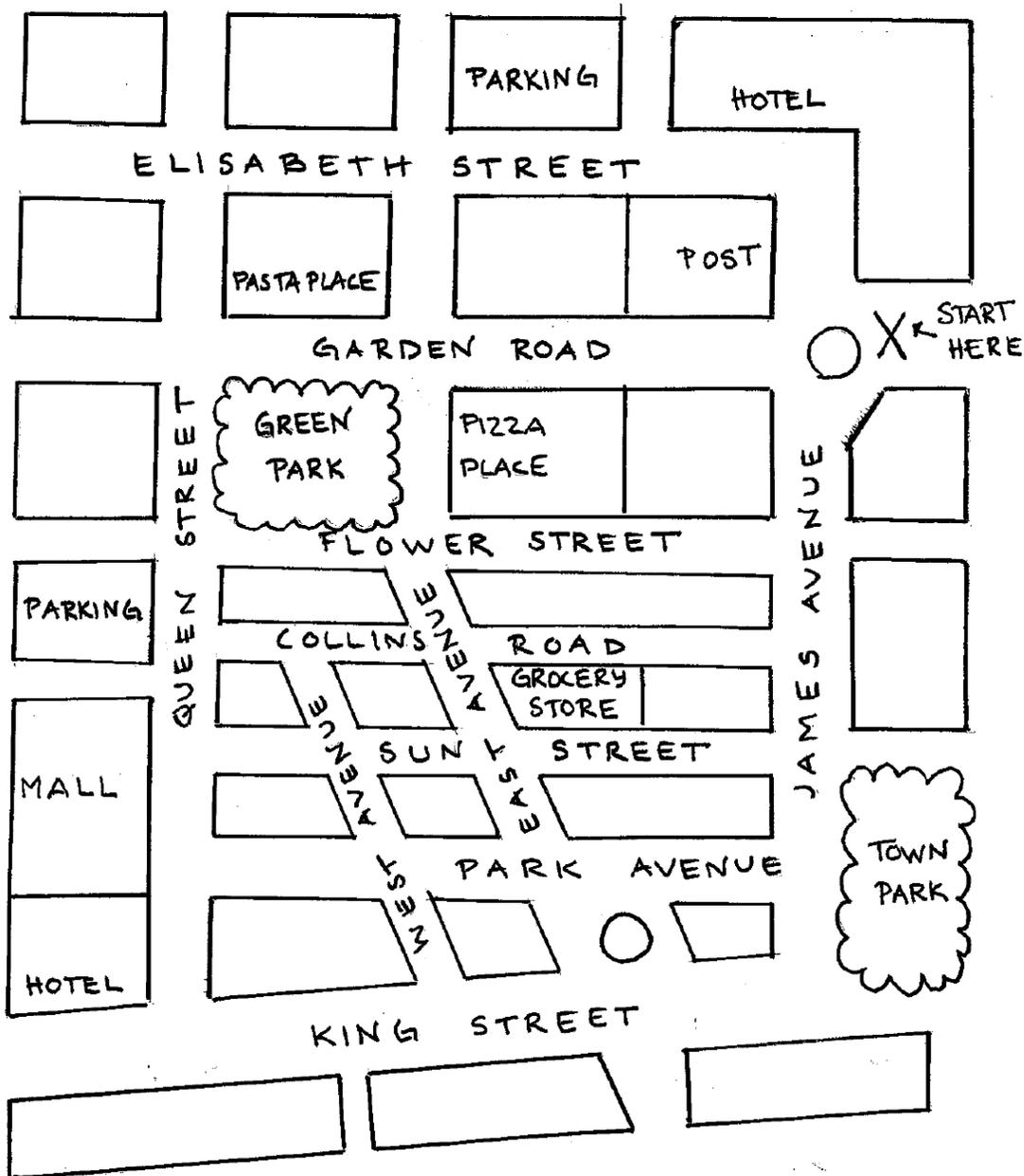
Write some sentences of your own with genitive and let a friend translate them.

## Creative writing and drawing

- What do you think Anna's parents would think and feel after the trip if they had realised that their daughter had tried to warn them about the car? Write what they say to her.
- Draw or paint a picture of the mountain with the dangerous road that Anna's family was driving on. Make sure you get the trees, the stone walls, the farmhouses and the donkey!
- Write an alternative ending to the story!
- Write a story about a machine with a life of its own!



Read the map, follow the instructions!



- Turn left at James Avenue and then turn right at Sun Street. Go straight ahead on Sun Street. Stop when you hit Queen Street. What is in front of you?
- Go straight ahead on Garden Road until you reach Queen Street. Turn left on Queen Street and then left again on Flower Street. Look towards Garden Road. What do you have on your left hand side?
- Test yourselves! Work in pairs and take turns instructing each other on how to get to different parts of the city.

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## Key:

### Details – true or false

1. False
2. False
3. True
4. True
5. True
6. False
7. True
8. False

### Grammar – genitive

#### Translate into English

1. Flickans cykel = The girl's bike
2. Flickornas cyklar = The girls' bikes
3. Förälderns bil = The parent's car
4. Föräldrarnas bil = The parents' car
5. Bilens motor = The engine of the car
6. Bilarnas motorer = The engines of the cars
7. Radions röst = The voice of the radio
8. Radions röster = The voices of the radio.

### Read the map

1. The mall
2. The Green park