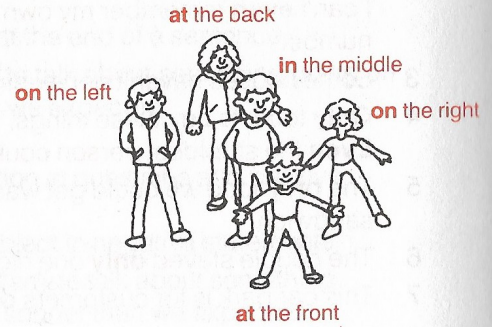
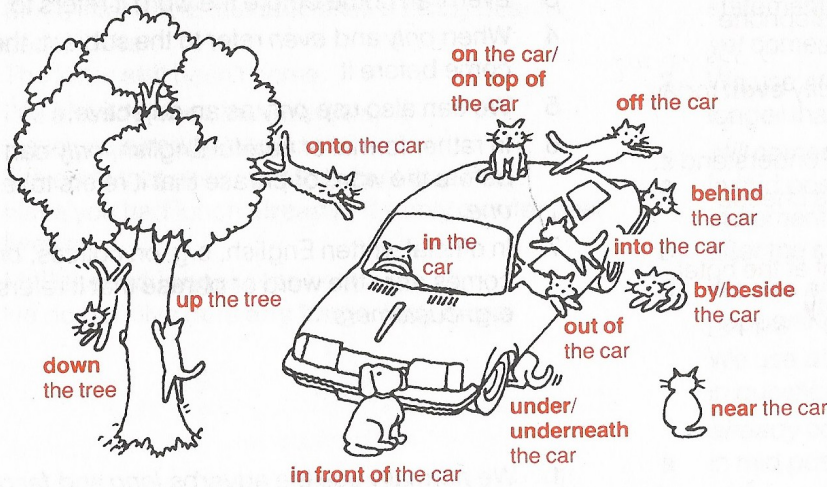


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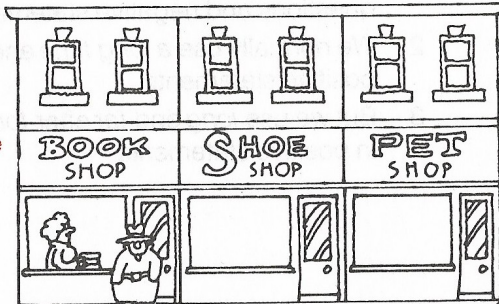
25.1 Prepositions of place and movement



The flats are **over/above** the shops.

The shops are **below** the flats.

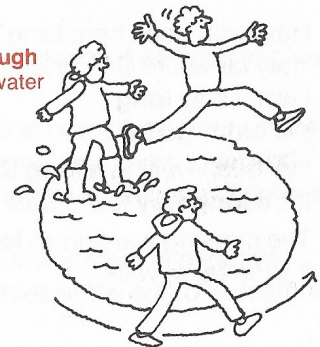
in/inside the shop



The shoe shop is **between** the book shop and the pet shop.

The book shop is **next to** the shoe shop.

through the water



round the water

across the road



waiting **outside** the shop



along the road
past the shops

opposite the shoe shop



Sports Club

He's going **from** his house **to** the sports club.

He's going to play tennis **at** the club.



towards London



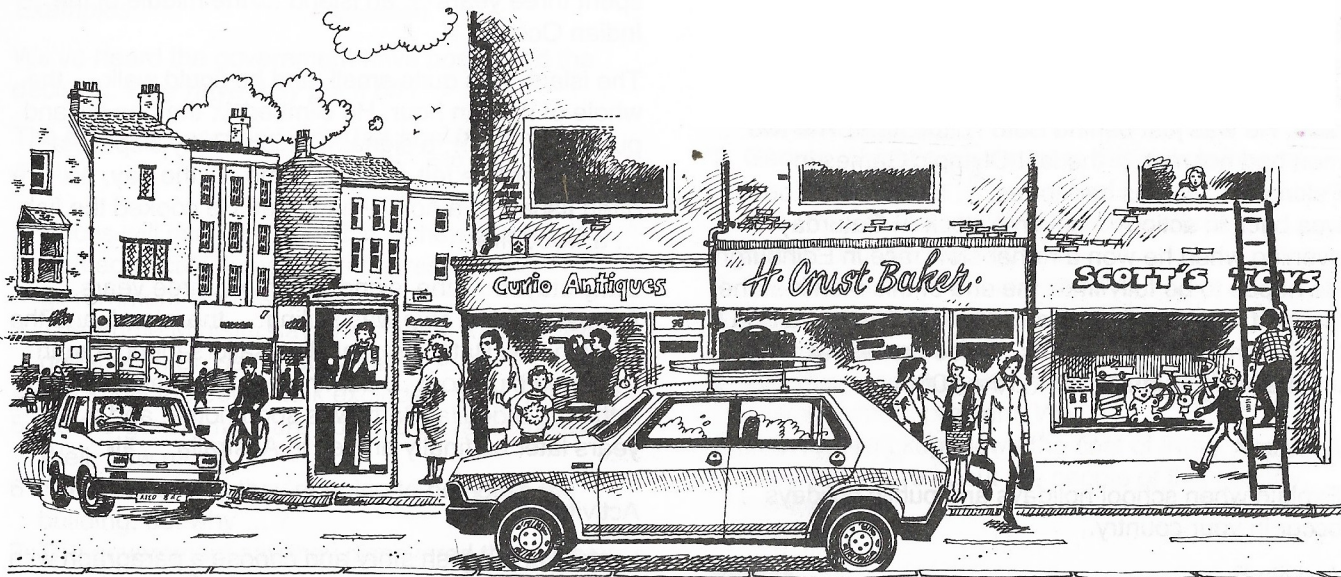
London

away from London



Prepositions of place and movement

One of Brenda Bagg's stories is going to be made into a film. It's a romantic comedy about a girl who works in a baker's shop. The picture shows how Brenda imagines the scene at the start of the film. Complete her description of the scene for the film director. Put in some of these prepositions: *above, across, along, at, behind, between, by, from, in, inside, near, off, on, opposite, out of, outside, round, through, to, towards, under, up*. (Sometimes more than one answer is correct.)



Street scene. There are three shops. ... the middle there is a baker's, which is ... an antique shop and a toy shop. The toy shop is ... the right. There is a phone box ... the left ... the corner of the street. A car is coming ... the corner. There is a man on a bike ... the car. There is also a car parked ... the baker's. This car has a suitcase ... its roof. A woman is just stepping ... the pavement to walk ... the road. She has come ... the baker's. Two girls are standing ...

the baker's. A window cleaner is climbing ... a ladder ... the window ... the toy shop. He has got a bucket ... his hand. A woman is looking ... the window. A boy is walking ... the pavement ... the ladder ... the street corner. There is a man ... the antique shop looking ... an old telescope. There is a young man ... the phone box, and three people are standing ... the pavement waiting – a woman, a man and a boy. The boy is ... the back of the queue.