

Where Do People Buy Things?

Where Do People Live?

Where Do People Play?



## ELL Beginning Answer Key for Vocabulary Assessment

### Where Do People Buy Things?

Shopping Center  
Strip Mall  
Theater ?  
Industries ?  
Post Office ?

### Where Do People Live?

Apartment  
Prison?  
Jail?  
Low Income Housing

### Where Do People Play?

Park  
Library?  
Golf Courses  
Theater

## ELL Intermediate Assessment for Vocabulary

Cut the captions off of a set of the vocabulary cards. Have the students match the captions to the pictures.



# ELL Intermediate

# Assessment for Vocabulary

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Period \_\_\_\_\_

Choose the correct word to match its definition.

geographer	theater	prison	landfill
post office	park	mail	strip mall
library	apartment	restaurant	industries
freeway	government office	shopping center	office complex

- \_\_\_\_\_ a large building where people can shop
- \_\_\_\_\_ a building where plays are performed or movies are shown
- \_\_\_\_\_ road that cars use for fast travel
- \_\_\_\_\_ a place where people work for the government
- \_\_\_\_\_ a home in a large building
- \_\_\_\_\_ large companies that make things to sell
- \_\_\_\_\_ a place where people can buy food and eat it
- \_\_\_\_\_ a group of stores that share a parking lot
- \_\_\_\_\_ a place where people can read and borrow the books
- \_\_\_\_\_ a place to mail letters
- \_\_\_\_\_ buildings where people work
- \_\_\_\_\_ a place where trash and waste are stored
- \_\_\_\_\_ an area with trees, grass, and playgrounds
- \_\_\_\_\_ a locked place where people must stay for a long time as punishment
- \_\_\_\_\_ a person who studies the earth
- \_\_\_\_\_ to send letters



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## Writing Prompt for Class

You are a geographer with exceptional skills as an urban planner.

You wish to be hired by the new town council of

\_\_\_\_\_ that will be hiring urban planners to create a city near \_\_\_\_\_, Arizona. The town council has determined that the city will have all of the features included on the Create a City diagram sheet. In order for you to get this job that will pay very well, you need to persuade the town council that you have the best ideas for the new city. So with your group, you need to plan a city on a piece of construction paper that will promote all of the positive aspects of growth that were listed. Then you will write a 2-page speech that would be presented to the town council stating why you located these features in such a way as to create a wonderful new town.



## Assessment for Class

In your 2-page written speech, you need to include:

1. Why city services (government offices, school, library, post office, landfill, jail, fire and police departments, and prison) were placed in certain areas?
2. Why businesses (office complex, industries, strip malls, and shopping center) were located in certain areas?
3. Why recreational (golf course, parks, and theater) facilities were located in certain areas?
3. Why housing (homes and apartments) were located in certain areas?
5. Why roads (freeways) were placed in certain areas?

Your written speech will be graded on voice and ideas, so make sure your speech has formal language that would be used in a town council meeting, and you have answered all of the 5 questions above.



Sentence Starters

My Name \_\_\_\_\_

The library is near the \_\_\_\_\_ because

\_\_\_\_\_.

The shopping center is near the \_\_\_\_\_ because

\_\_\_\_\_.

The theater is near the \_\_\_\_\_ because

\_\_\_\_\_.

The apartments are near the \_\_\_\_\_ because

\_\_\_\_\_.

The freeway is near the \_\_\_\_\_ because

\_\_\_\_\_.

