



## **LAURA'S MAP DOCUMENT**

**Look at the map of the town that Laura drew. Can you answer these questions about it?**

Remember to use expressions like **next to** or **beside**, **close to**, **far from**, **on the corner**, **above**, **behind**, **on**, **in**, **between**

1. Where is the movie theater?
2. Where is the pharmacy?
3. What is next to the school? What color is it?
4. Where is the airplane?
5. On which street is the hospital?
6. Where is the town hall?
7. Where can I take my dog for a walk?
8. What buildings are at the corner of Maple Street and Second Street?
9. What is at the crossroads of Elm Street and Maple Street?
10. Where can I go in this town if I want some exercise?
11. Where could I go to use a computer and make a copy and get some books to read?
12. Where would I go to buy a gift for my five-year-old nephew?
13. What could I buy at the bakery?

**READ ALONG WITH ME:**

Today is Saturday, and I am running some errands. First, I need to pick up my son's cough syrup at the pharmacy. While I am waiting for the pharmacist to fill the prescription, I can look for some cough drops for him, too. He likes the honey-lemon ones. Also, I can buy some green tea and some honey. When I get home, I will make him tea with honey and lemon to make his sore throat feel better.

My next stop is the post office, which is right next to the pharmacy. I want to mail a package to my sister; it's a gift for her birthday next week. I also need to buy a book of stamps. Close-by is the library, where I want to pick up some information about art classes for my children. The classes begin next week, so I want to register my children for them. Also, I want to borrow a book about Ireland. My family is planning a trip there in October and I want to plan an itinerary. The library also has computers where I can search for more information. Finally, I need to stop at the bakery to pick up a blueberry muffin and a coffee to go, because I also need to do the grocery shopping. I have a long list of things I need to buy for this coming week.

Saturday mornings are busy times at my house! As soon as all my errands are done, I can relax this afternoon for a little bit. Maybe tonight, if I'm not too tired, I can convince my family to go see a good movie. There's a new one out that I think we would all like to see. After a long day, I think I would really enjoy that!

**Look on the next page for the answers to the first activity.**

**Answers to activity 1-----**

1. The movie theater is on the corner of Elm Street and Second Street, near the toy store.
2. The pharmacy is next to the post office on Maple Street.
3. There is an American flag next to the school. It is red, white, and blue.
4. The airplane is flying above the airport.
5. The hospital is on Second Street.
6. The town hall is between the coffee shop and the office building on First Street.
7. I can take my dog for a walk on the walking trail in Firefly National Park.
8. The grocery store and the post office are at the corner of Maple Street and Second Street.
9. At the crossroads of Elm Street and Maple Street there is a traffic light.
10. If I want some exercise I can go to the gym, or to the national park.
11. The library is a place I could go to use a computer and make a copy and get some books to read.
12. I could go to the toy shop to buy a gift for my five-year-old nephew.
13. I could buy bread and cookies, cakes, pies and other sweets at the bakery. Usually, I can also get coffee.