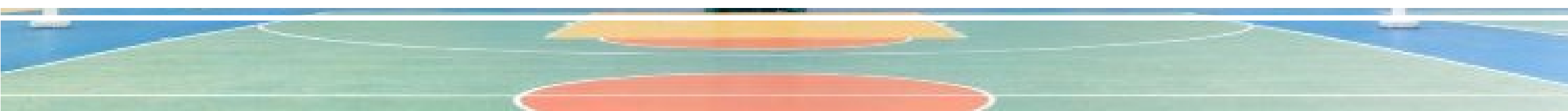




**Cantonese I  
Week 8**



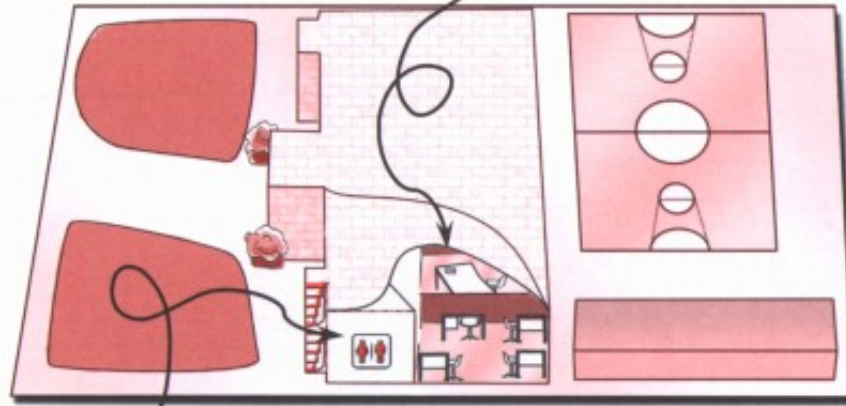
## A. To indicate position of something in relation to another element

(Track 193)

hăau zóeng sāt hái lǎu sī gè bãan gūng sāt cìn mǐn.

校 長 室 喺 老 師 嘅 辦 公 室 前 面。

(The school principal's office is in front of the teachers' office.)



lǎu sī gè bãan gūng sāt fū gān jǎu jāt gò cì só.

老 師 嘅 辦 公 室 附 近 有 一 個 廁 所。

(There is a washroom near the teachers' office.)

Place Word / Noun

Position Word

1. bãan gūng sāt 辦公室 (office)
2. sái sáu gān 洗手間 (washroom)
3. hăau zóeng sāt 校長室 (principal's office)

1. fū gān 附近 (nearby)
2. gǎak lèi 隔離 (next to)
3. dèoi mǐn 對面 (opposite to)

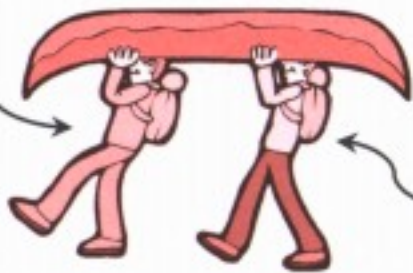
Position Words: 🎧 (Track 194)

1. sǒng 上 (above/on)
2. hǎa 下 (below)
3. zó 左 (left)
4. jǎu 右 (right)
5. cìn 前 (front)
6. hǎu 後 (behind)
7. cēot 出 (out)
8. jǎp 入 (in)
9. ngǝi 外 (outside)
10. lǝoi 裏 (inside)



mǐn 面 (face; side)  
(bīn 便 side)  
(bīn 邊 side; edge)

cìn mǐn  
前 面  
(front)



hǎu mǐn  
後 面  
(behind)

lǝoi mǐn  
裏 面  
(inside)



ngǝi mǐn  
外 面  
(outside)



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| 11. dèui mǐn  | 對面 | (opposite side)            |
| 12. zūng gān  | 中間 | (in the middle of; centre) |
| 13. gǎak lèi  | 隔離 | (neighboring; next to)     |
| 14. pòng bīn  | 旁邊 | (beside; by the side of)   |
| 15. jāk bīn   | 側邊 | (beside; by the side of)   |
| 16. fū gān    | 附近 | (vicinity; nearby)         |
| 17. zāu wài   | 周圍 | (around; surroundings)     |
| 18. làu sōeng | 樓上 | (upstairs)                 |
| 19. làu hǎa   | 樓下 | (downstairs)               |
| 20. dèi háa   | 地下 | (ground floor)             |

zūng gān  
中 間  
(in the middle of)



làu sōeng  
樓 上  
(upstairs)

làu hǎa  
樓 下  
(downstairs)

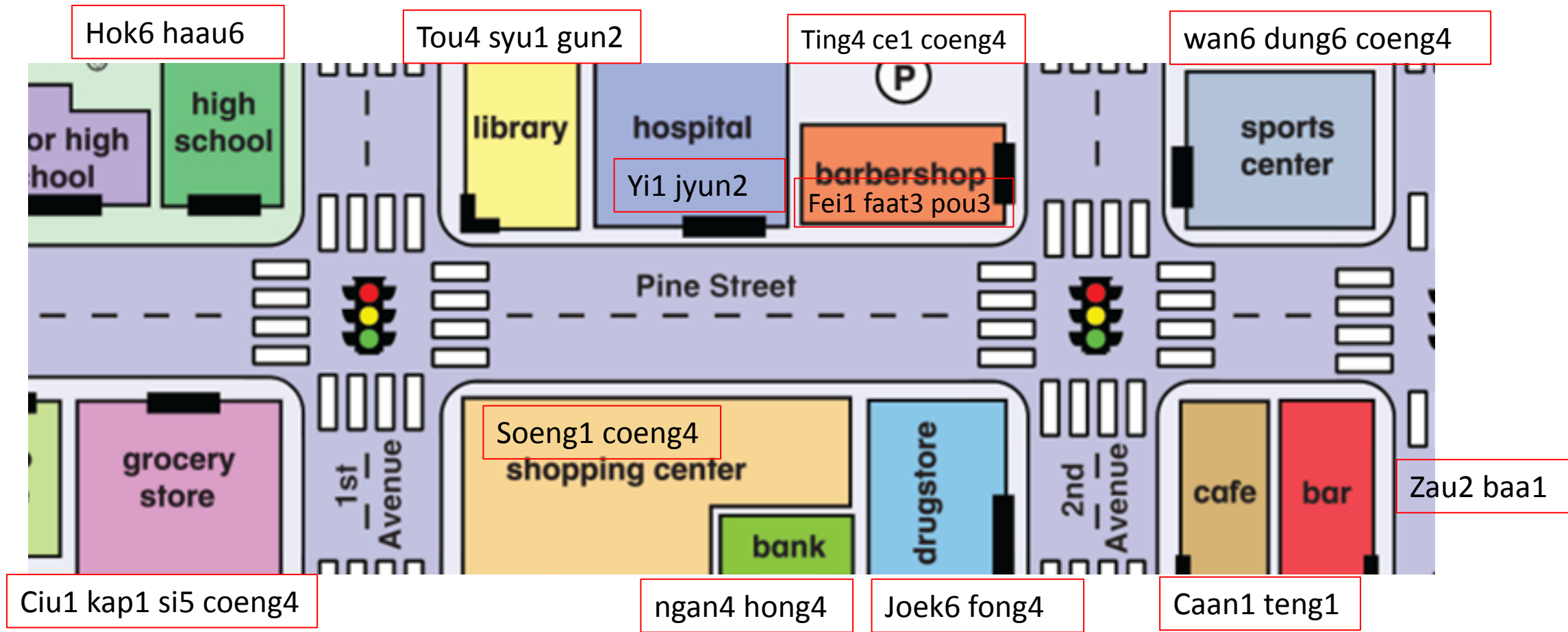




Where is (place)?

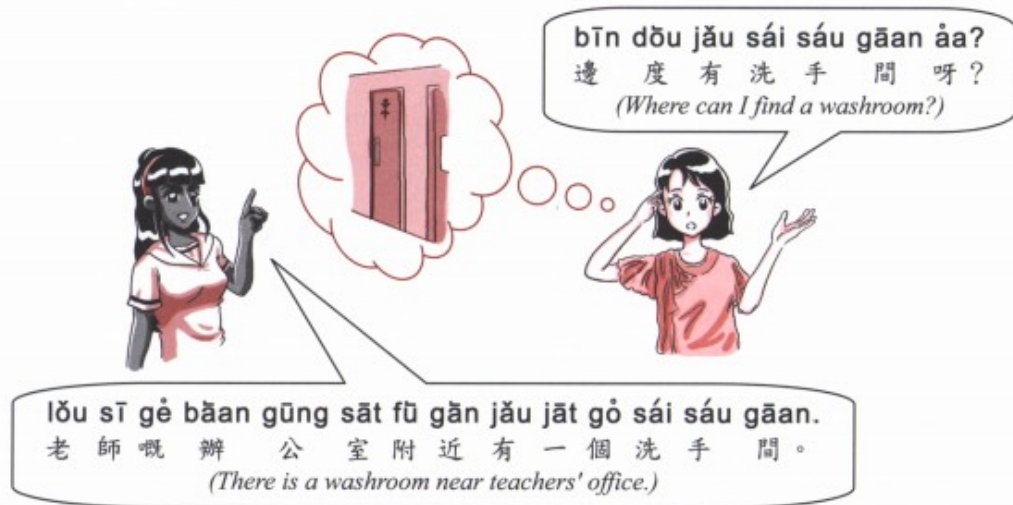
(Place) + hai2 bin1 dou6 aa3?

喺邊度呀？



Answer : (Place) hai2 (Place B) (position word)

**D. To ask where one can find something or a place** 🎧 (Track 198)



bīn dōu jǎu sái sáu gān ǎa?  
 邊度有洗手間呀?  
 (Where can I find a washroom?)

lǒu sī gè bàan gūng sāt fū gān jǎu jāt gò sái sáu gān.  
 老師嘅辦公室附近有一個洗手間。  
 (There is a washroom near teachers' office.)

<b>Q:</b>	bīn dōu 邊度 (where)	jǎu 有 (have)	<u>(Noun)</u>	ǎa? 呀? [Pt]
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- 1. gūng jýun 公園 (park)
- 2. jàu gúk 郵局 (post office)
- 3. cāan tēng 餐廳 (restaurant)
- 4. gíng gúk 警局 (police station)
- 5. dīk sí zǎam 的士站 (taxi station)

<u>Place Word</u>	<u>Position Word</u>	jǎu 有 (have)	<u>(Noun).</u>
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- 1. jī jýun dèoi mīn 醫院對面 (opposite to hospital)
- 2. ūk cýun lǒi mīn 屋邨裏面 (inside the public estate)
- 3. hēi jýun ngōi mīn 戲院外面 (outside the cinema)
- 4. góng tīt zǎam cìn mīn 港鐵站前面 (in front of the MTR station)
- 5. sōeng còeng hǎu mīn 商場後面 (behind the shopping mall)

<i>Q:</i>	bīn dōu 邊度 (where)	jǎu 有 (have)	<u>(Noun)</u>	ǎa? 呀? [Pt]
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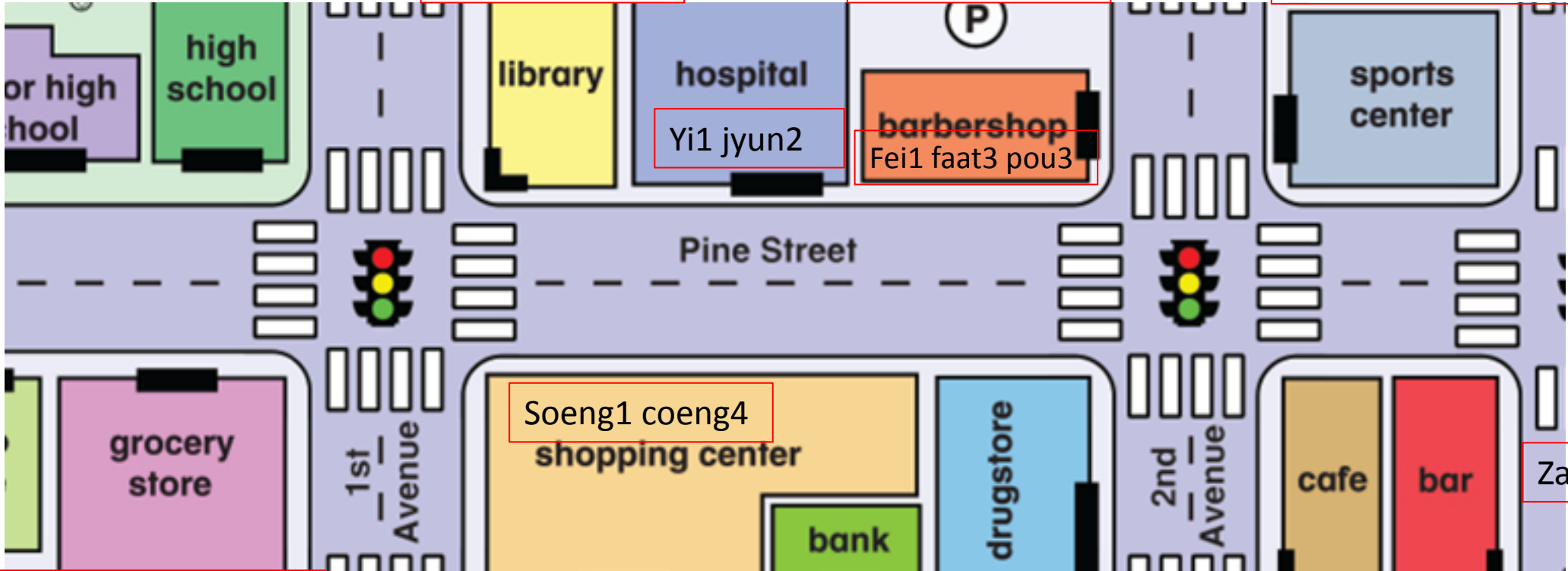


Hok6 haau6

Tou4 syu1 gun2

Ting4 ce1 coeng4

wan6 dung6 coeng4



Yi1 jyun2

Fei1 faat3 pou3

Soeng1 coeng4

Zau2 baa1

Ciu1 kap1 si5 coeng4

ngan4 hong4

Joek6 fong4

Caan1 teng1

<u>Place Word</u>	<u>Position Word</u>	jǎu 有 (have)	<u>(Noun).</u>
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**B. To express the existence of something in a certain place** (Track 195)  
 ('there is' and 'there isn't')



There is :

<u>Place word</u>	jǎu 有 (have)	<u>(Nu + MW)</u>	<u>Noun.</u>
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1. gǎau hōk làu 教學樓 (teaching block)
2. fō sāt lǎoi mǐn 課室裏面 (inside the classroom)
3. Hōeng Góng 香港 (Hong Kong)
4. gó dōu fū gǎn 嗰度附近 (near there)
5. nī dōu 呢度 (here)



1. hóu dō fō sāt 好多課室 (many classrooms)
2. hōk sāng tùng lǎoi sī 學生同老師 (students and teachers)
3. jāt gò gēi còeng 一個機場 (one airport)
4. jāt gān cān tēng 一間餐廳 (one/a restaurant)
5. lǎeng gò wái 兩個位 (two seats)



<u>Place word</u>	mǒu 冇 (have not)	<del>(Nu + MW)</del>	<u>Noun.</u>
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1. dēi tīt zāam jǎp bīn 地鐵站入便 (inside the MTR station)
2. ngǒ hōk hāau 我學校 (my school)
3. kěoi ūk kái 佢屋企 (his/her home)
4. Gáu Lùng 九龍 (Kowloon)
5. hōk hāau fū gān 學校附近 (near the school)
6. gó gò sōeng còeng 嗰個商場 (that shopping mall)
7. ngǒ ūk kái fū gān 我屋企附近 (near my home)

1. sái sáu gāan 洗手間 (washroom)
2. wīng cì 泳池 (swimming pool)
3. dīn sī 電視 (television)
4. dīn cē 電車 (tram)
5. jī jýun 醫院 (hospital)
6. hěi jýun 戲院 (cinema)
7. cīu káp sǐ còeng 超級市場 (supermarket)



<b>Q:</b> <u>Place word</u>	<b>jǎu</b> 有 (have)	<b>mǒu</b> 有 (have not)	<u>Noun</u>	<b>ǎa?</b> 呀? [Pt]
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- 1. ǒu Mún      澳門      (Macau)
- 2. Hōeng Góng      香港      (Hong Kong)
- 3. něi gè hōk hāu      你嘅學校      (your school)
- 4. nī gò sōeng còeng      呢個商場      (this shopping mall)
- 5. něi ūk kái      你屋企      (your home)



- 1. gēi còeng      機場      (airport)
- 2. hùng māu      熊貓      (panda)
- 3. lǎng hēi      冷氣      (air-condition)
- 4. ngàn hòng      銀行      (bank)
- 5. dīn nǒu      電腦      (computer)

Amy meets the receptionist in the lobby.

Amy: zóu sǎn.  
早 晨。  
(Good Morning.)

Receptionist: zóu sǎn, hěoi bīn dōu ǎa?  
早 晨，去 邊 度 呀？  
(Good Morning, where are you going?)

Amy: ngǒ sóeng hěoi sīk zóu cān.  
我 想 去 食 早 餐。  
(I would like to go to have breakfast.)

céng mǎn bīn dōu jǎu cān tēng ǎa?  
請 問 邊 度 有 餐 廳 呀？  
(May I ask where there's a restaurant?)

Receptionist: jī lóu jǎu jāt gān cà cān tēng.  
二 樓 有 一 間 茶 餐 廳。  
(There is a Hong Kong style café on the second floor.)

Amy: gám, nī dōu jǎu mǎu ngàn hòng ǎa?  
噉，呢 度 有 有 銀 行 呀？  
(Well, is there a bank around here?)

Receptionist: mǎu, nī dōu mǎu ngàn hòng,  
冇，呢 度 冇 銀 行。  
(No, there is no bank around here.)

něi hěoi ngàn hòng zōu māt jě ǎa?  
你 去 銀 行 做 乜 嘢 呀？  
(What are you going to the bank for?)

Amy: ngǒ sóeng hěoi ngàn hòng ló jāt dī cín.  
我 想 去 銀 行 攞 一 啲 錢。  
(I want to go to the bank to withdraw some money.)

nī dōu fū gān jǎu mǎu ATM ǎa?  
呢 度 附 近 有 有 ATM 呀？  
(Is there an ATM nearby?)

Receptionist: ngǒ m zī dōu ǎa. bāt gwǒ dēi tīt zāam lěoi mīn  
我 唔 知 道 呀。不 過 地 鐵 站 裏 面  
(I don't know. But I know inside the MTR station)

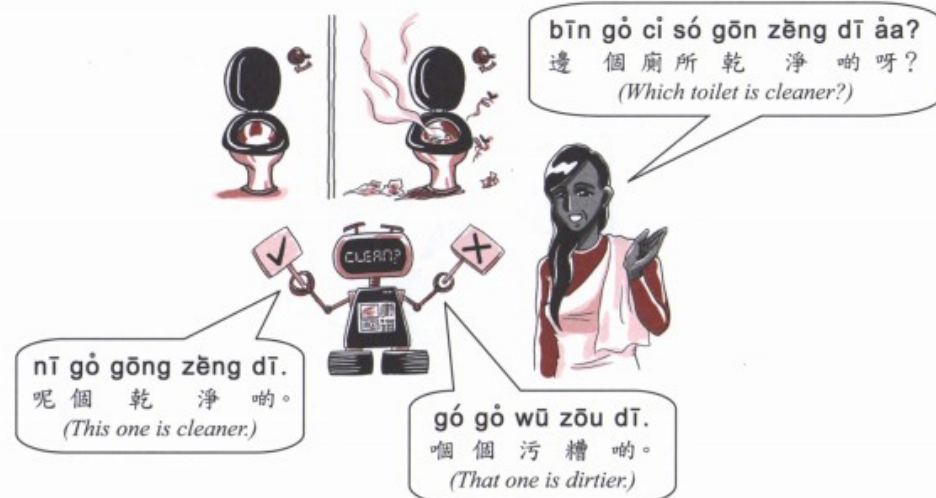
jǎu ngàn hòng tùng zī dǔng gwāi jùn gēi.  
有 銀 行 同 自 動 櫃 員 機。  
(there are a bank and an Automatic Teller Machine.)

Amy: hóu ǎak, m gōi. bāai bāai.  
好 呢，唔 該。拜 拜。  
(Okay, thank you. Bye-bye.)

Receptionist: m sái m gōi, bāai bāai.  
唔 使 唔 該，拜 拜。  
(Not at all. Bye-bye.)



**3. To express the comparative degree 'Adjective-er'** (Track 200)



<u>Subject / Topic</u>	<u>Adjective</u>	dī. 啲。 [Pt]
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1. dǎai 大 (big)
2. sǎi 細 (small)
3. fèi 肥 (fat)
4. sǎu 瘦 (thin)
5. nàan 難 (difficult)
6. jī 易 (easy)

1. lǎo sī gè bān gōng sāt 老師嘅辦公室 (teachers' office)
2. hǎu zóeng sāt 校長室 (school principal's office)
3. Càn sāng 陳生 (Mr. Chan)
4. Càn táai 陳太 (Mrs. Chan)
5. Zūng Mán 中文 (Chinese)
6. Jīng Mán 英文 (English)



Bin1 go3 (adj.) di1 aa3?

A



B



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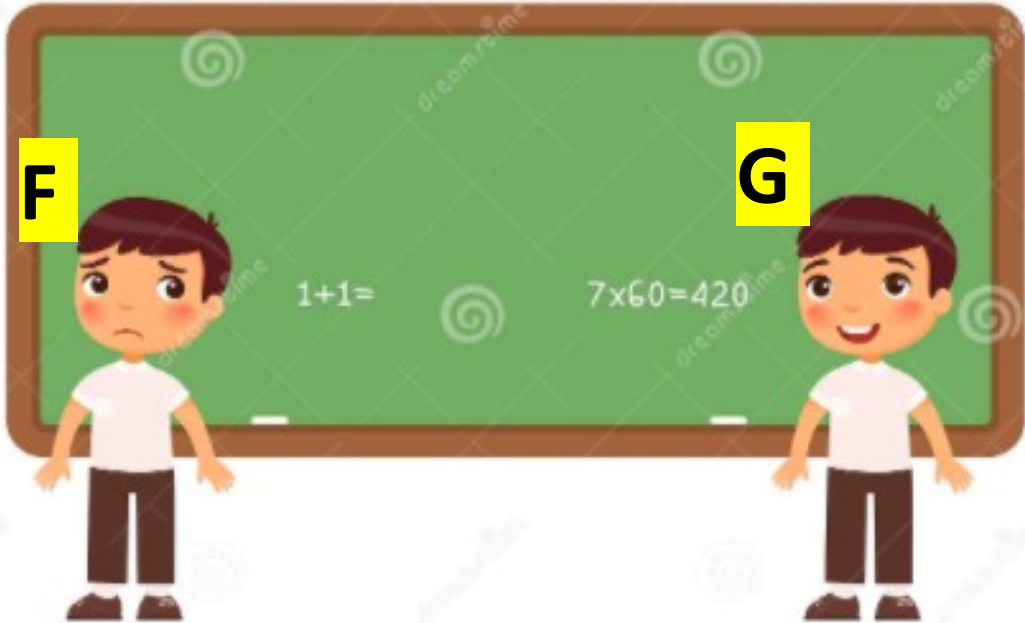
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G

H



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Young

細個

sai<sup>3</sup> go<sup>3</sup>

後生

hau<sup>6</sup> saang<sup>1</sup>

年青

nin<sup>4</sup> cing<sup>1</sup>

Old

老 (old)

lou<sup>5</sup>

成熟 (mature)

sing<sup>4</sup> suk<sup>6</sup>



高 (Tall)  
gou<sup>1</sup>

矮 (Short)  
ai<sup>2</sup>

肥 (Fat)  
fei<sup>4</sup>

瘦 (Thin)  
sau<sup>3</sup>





可愛 (cute)  
ho<sup>2</sup> oi<sup>3</sup>

得意 (cute)  
dak<sup>1</sup> ji<sup>3</sup>

靚 (beautiful)  
leng<sup>3</sup>

醜 (ugly)  
cau<sup>2</sup>





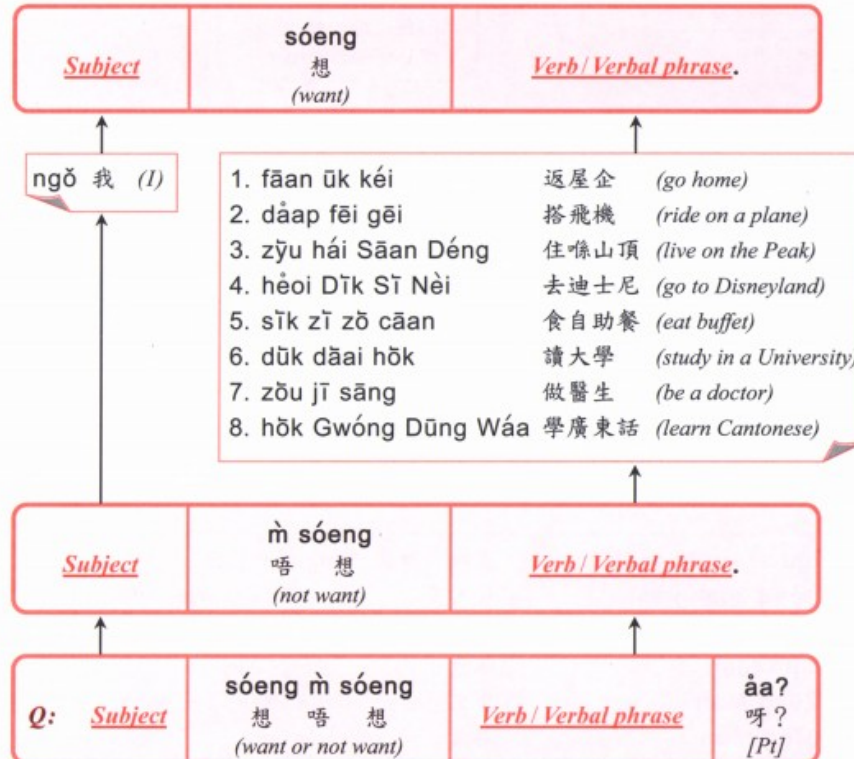
聰明 (clever)  
cung<sup>1</sup> ming<sup>4</sup>

叻 (smart)  
lek<sup>1</sup>

蠢 (stupid / dumb)  
ceon<sup>2</sup>



**E. To express one's wish or desire to do something** (Track 199)



邊個	Who	Bin1 go6
咩 / 乜嘢	what	Me1 / Mat1 je5
邊度	Where	Bin1 dou6
幾多	How many/ much	Gei2 do1

鍾意	To like	zung1 ji3	m4 zung1 ji3
識	To know (a skill, a person	sik1	m4 sik1
知	To know (information, news)	zi1	m4 zi1
去	To go	heoi3	m4 heoi3
有	To have	jau5	Mou5 (冇)
要	To want (something)/have to	jiu3	M4 jiu3
講	To speak	gong2	M4 gong2
做	To do	zou6	M4 zou6
想	To want (to do something) / wish/desire	soeng2	M4 soeng2