

Speak Hmong 101

Lesson 14 Asking Direction

Phrases to Learn

1. Koj puas paub kev mus California?
2. Thov qhia kev rau kuv mus Sacramento.
3. Mus tom kiab khw, mus li cas?
1. Do you know the way to California?
2. Please tell me the way to Sacramento.
3. How do you go to the store?

Do you know the way to California?

1. Koj
2. Koj puas
3. Koj puas paub kev
4. Koj puas paub kev mus
5. Koj puas paub kev mus California?

Please tell me the way to Sacramento.

1. Thov
2. Thov qhia
3. Thov qhia kev rau
4. Thov qhia kev rau kuv mus
5. Thov qhia kev rau kuv mus Sacramento.

How do you go to the store?

1. Mus
2. Mus tom
3. Mus tom kiab khw
4. Mus tom kiab khw mus
5. Mus tom kiab khw mus li cas?

- 1) Koj puas paub kev mus ...
- 2) Thov qhia kev rau kuv mus...

You may substitute with a name of a place, city, or state.

Mus tom ... mus li cas?

You may substitute with a name of a place or location.

Practices

1. How do you go to the restaurant?

Mus tom tsev noj mov, mus li cas?

2. Do you know the way to New York?

Koj puas paub kev mus New York?

3. Please tell me the way to the bank.

Thov qhia kev rau kuv mus tom tsev tso nyiaj.

4. Do you know the way to go work?

Koj puas paub kev mus ua hauj lwm.

5. How do you go to the hospital?

Mus tom tsev kho mob, mus li cas?

6. Please tell me the way to LA.

Thov qhia kev rau kuv mus LA.

New Vocabulary

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| 1. | puas paub | do know |
| 2. | kev | road , path |
| 3. | qhia | tell |
| 4. | rau | to , for |
| 5. | mus tom | go to |
| 6. | li cas | how |

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Lesson 15

Asking Questions with “Why” & “How”