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(Jun prepares himself for an adventure. Jun starts his strolling at the market and saw the Kee Wah bakery.)

Vendor: Sir, we have assorted Chinese cakes, a good choice to give as souvenirs back to your friends and family.

Jun: That's very mouth-watering! How much does each piece cost?

Vendor: \$6.50 each, a dozen would be \$72.

Jun: Could you lower the price to \$140 for 2 dozens?

Vendor: Ok, Sir, Here you go.

Jun: Thank you so much. Have a great day!

Vendor: Enjoy your tour Sir.

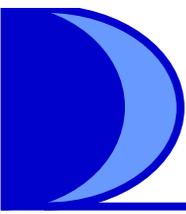
(Jun doesn't know how to get to Victoria Park so he asks someone for direction.)

Jun: Excuse me. Sorry to interrupt but could you please tell me where Victoria Park is?

Local: Are you new here?

Jun: Yes, I'm a tourist from Japan. I was born here but it's been quite awhile since I visited the country again. I'm trying to use this map but I can't figure out which way to go.

Local: Well, let me see. Now, we are in this area. So, you are three blocks away from Victoria Park.



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Jun: Uhh huh.

Local: Walk straight this street and then turn left to the first corner ahead. Are you with me so far?

Jun: Yes, I'm following.

Local: Next, walk straight for another two blocks and you can see a big crowd of people. You can't miss that. Today is the celebration of the 19th Tiananmen Massacre.

Jun: Yeah, you're right. In fact, I read it in the newspaper and a lot of people are talking about it. Thank you for your time.

Local: Not at all. Enjoy!

Useful Expressions:

1. Could you lower the price?
= Can you give me a discount?
2. Sorry to interrupt but could you tell me where the is, please?
= Do you know how to get to...?
= Could you please tell me the way to ...?

Key Words

1. Figure out – to solve
2. Massacre – killing massive number of people
3. mouth-watering – delicious ; appealing to the sense of taste