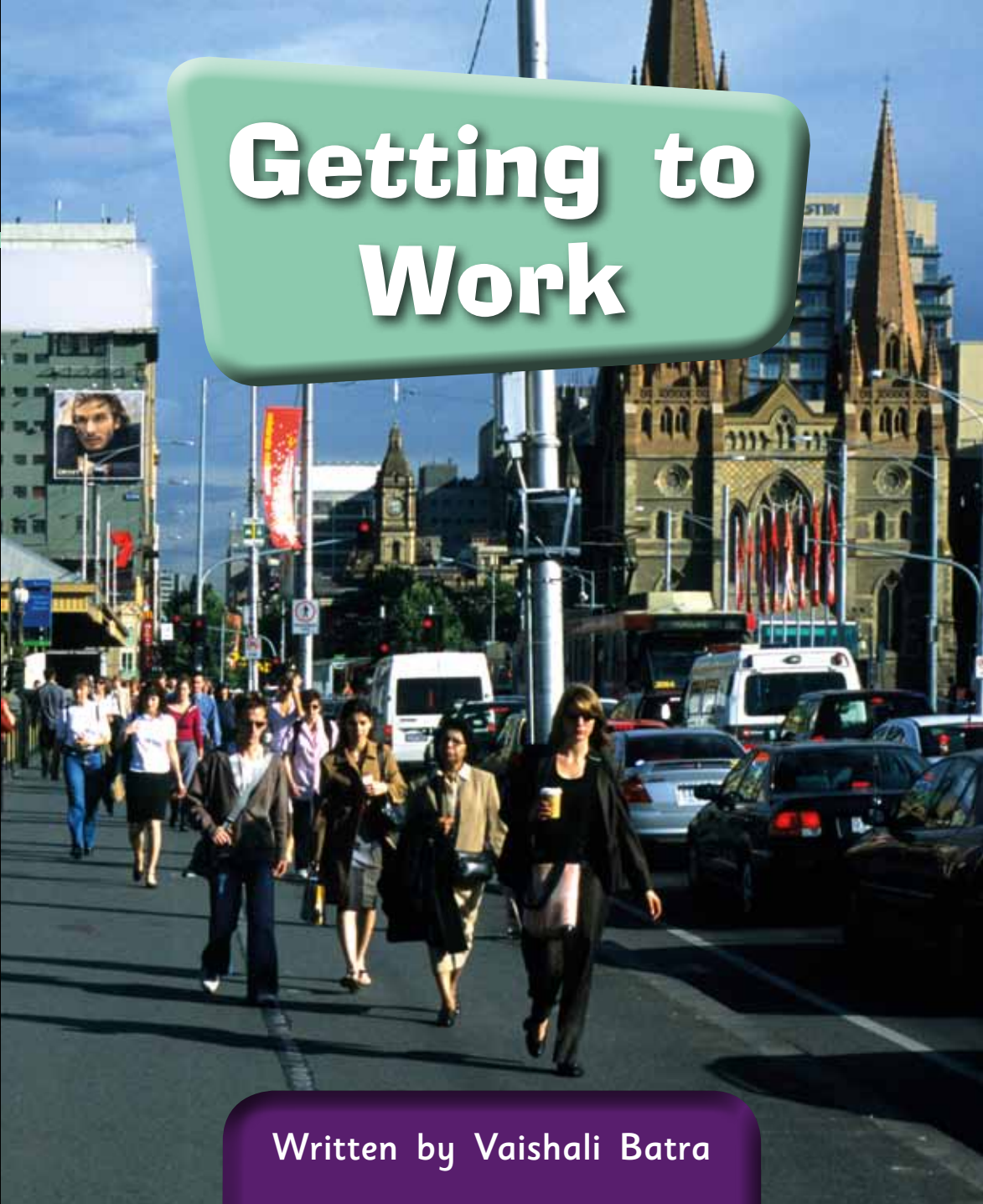
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Introduction

Do you see people rushing to work every day?
There are many ways of getting about.
They are called **forms of transport**.
Some forms of transport are good for our planet.
Others are not.



People choose all kinds of ways of getting to work. How many can you see in this picture?

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Cars

Cars are a common form of transport.
Driving a car gives you the freedom
to come and go as you please.
You can take people with you
or go by yourself.



Everybody driving to work
at once can cause traffic jams.

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A car needs a source of energy,
or **fuel**, to run.
As a car's engine burns fuel,
it gives off fumes.
These fumes hang in the air
and dirty, or **pollute**, it.

This woman is putting fuel in her car at a petrol station.



Car fumes pollute the air we breathe.



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