

Going travelling? Read our tips and you should fit right in.

- Travelling can be lonely, so pack some favourite photos or music. You **ought** to plan to keep in touch with friends and family regularly too.
- You can't learn everything about where you're visiting, but you may find it helps to read about the history and culture – especially in regards to local customs, so you understand what you're supposed to do (and what you're not supposed to do) in different circumstances.
- Explore the shops and restaurants and try the local food – you **might** love it!
- You don't have to be fluent but you must try to learn some key phrases or do a language course before you go. You'll be able to find a wide variety of online language courses so there must be one in the language you need.
- You **mustn't** worry if you can't see or do everything in each place you visit. Be selective and enjoy what you do.
- Don't slavishly follow your guidebook. Try speaking to locals and getting recommendations from them.

LEARN THIS! Advice, obligation and necessity

- 1 We use _____ to give advice.
- 2 We use _____ for obligation, strong advice or possibility.
- 3 We use _____ to say that something isn't allowed or for strong negative advice.
- 4 We use _____ to express lack of obligation or necessity.
- 5 We use _____ to talk about rules and also about what people believe or expect.

LEARN THIS! Possibility, probability and certainty

- 1 We use _____ to talk about the possibility of something happening.
- 2 We use _____ say that something will probably happen, in our opinion.
- 3 We use _____ to express certainty and *can't* to express impossibility.
- 4 We use _____ for future possibility.
- 5 We use _____ and _____ for general truths or strong possibilities.

Match the sentence halves.

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| 1 This is supposed | ☐ | 4 He needn't | ☐ |
| 2 It can | ☐ | 5 It can't | ☐ |
| 3 You'll be able to | ☐ | 6 Everyone ought | ☐ |

- a take a boat trip tomorrow if the weather improves.
- b be easy travelling on your own as you may get lonely.
- c to be the most beautiful city in the world.
- d to keep an open mind about other cultures.
- e be extremely hot in Australia at Christmas.
- f check out of the hotel yet.

Complete the second sentence so that it means the same as the first. Use modal verbs.

- 1 Sometimes our neighbours are very noisy.
Our neighbours _____ very noisy.
- 2 You may not have another opportunity to see this film.
This _____ last opportunity to see this film.
- 3 I'm sure we're not late because we left on time.
We left on time so _____ late.
- 4 Surely you recognise that woman from TV?
_____ that woman from TV!
- 5 I hope it'll be possible to go skiing in the winter.
I hope I _____ go skiing in the winter.
- 6 It's possible that tomorrow's match will be cancelled.
Tomorrow's match _____ cancelled.