

A postcard

I can write a postcard.

Preparation

- 1 Read the postcard. Tick the activities that are mentioned. Circle the activity you can see in the photo.

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| 1 abseil ☐ | 8 kite-surf ☐ |
| 2 bungee-jump ☐ | 9 go riding ☐ |
| 3 climb ☐ | 10 swim ☐ |
| 4 cycle ☐ | 11 surf ☐ |
| 5 explore ☐ | 12 trek ☐ |
| 6 go caving ☐ | 13 watch wildlife ☐ |
| 7 kayak ☐ | 14 windsurf ☐ |

Hi Caitlin,

This is my second day in Wales. We arrived last Saturday. The journey by coach from London was very long! We're staying at a campsite near a lake in Snowdonia National Park. It's very beautiful here and the weather is fantastic – warm and sunny.

Yesterday we trekked up a mountain and then climbed up a cliff. Then we abseiled down the cliff! It was really fun. Today we explored the countryside near the lake, and then cycled to a town near here.

Tomorrow we're kayaking on the lake, and maybe we're going caving too. I can't wait!

Say hello to Jimmy. Wish you were here!

Bye for now!

Jo

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- 3 Complete the phrases with the words below.

day days hello here love soon
thinking time weather

- I'm having a great _____ in (Italy).
- This is my third _____ in (India).
- The _____ is (fabulous / OK / terrible).
- We've only got two / three / four _____ to go.
- Wish you were _____!
- _____ of you!
- Say _____ to (David).
- Give my _____ to (your brother).
- See you _____.

Writing Strategy

When you write a postcard:

- Use the present continuous to say where you are staying.
- Use the past simple to describe activities that you did. Use past time expressions where appropriate.
- Use the present continuous for future arrangements that you have made.

Writing Guide

Imagine you are on an adventure holiday in your country. Plan a postcard. Include the following information:

- where you are staying
- the weather
- activities you did
- activities you are planning

- 4 Now write your postcard

