

Reading

1 Read the sentences. Decide what kind of word is missing from each gap. Then complete.

- I _____ lots of photos at the airport yesterday.
What verb do we use with *photo*? What tense is the verb?
- We went _____ the hotel in a taxi.
What preposition do we often use with *go*?
- Which plane _____ you flying on?
Which auxiliary verb do we use with the present continuous? What form do we use with *you*?
- There are lots of people on the beach and _____ are having a barbecue.
Which pronoun do we use for plural nouns?
- This hotel is smaller _____ the one we stayed in last year.
How do we form comparative sentences?
- She's _____ travelling around Asia for the last six months.
How do we form the present perfect continuous?

2 Complete the sentences with a suitable word.

- Thank you _____ your email. (preposition)
- They _____ been waiting for the bus for hours.
(auxiliary verb)
- I haven't lost my boarding pass. _____'s in my pocket. (pronoun)
- When we arrived at the hotel, I _____ a shower.
(verb)
- We've been swimming in _____ sea every day. (article)
- I'm very tired _____ I've been travelling all day. (connecting word)

Exam Tip!

When you have decided on the answers, read the sentences or text to yourself again, and check that your answers sound right. If anything sounds wrong, think about it again.

3 Complete the email. Write one word for each gap.

From: Jessica To: Daniel

Hi Daniel,

How are you? I'm very well. I'm ¹ _____ holiday at the moment with my family. We've ² _____ travelling around Europe for the last three weeks and I'm having ³ _____ really good time. Today, we're in Athens, in Greece, and we're staying in ⁴ _____ best hotel I've ever been to. It's fantastic! Next week, we're going to Istanbul, in Turkey. I can't wait! I'll ⁵ _____ you an email from Istanbul with some photos of my trip. I'm going to have breakfast with my mum now. ⁶ _____ says that they serve delicious breakfasts in the hotel.

Bye for now, Jessica