

## Vocabulary Builder

### Task I

Use *visit*, *pick up*, or *taste* to fill in the blanks. Change the word form if necessary.

1. Could you \_\_\_\_\_ some groceries at the market for me?
2. He's going to \_\_\_\_\_ Berlin during the summer.
3. You should \_\_\_\_\_ the apples from our apple tree.
4. Have you ever \_\_\_\_\_ San Francisco?
5. Peter brought some wine back from France. You must \_\_\_\_\_ it.
6. I've already \_\_\_\_\_ my clothes from the dry cleaner's.

### Task II

Read the dialogue and fill in the blanks.

try shop view tour climb experience relax check

**Ted:** Hey! Do you want to take a(n) 1. \_\_\_\_\_ of Prague next month?

**Helen:** Sure! I love to 2. \_\_\_\_\_ new cultures.

**Ted:** Cool. We can 3. \_\_\_\_\_ for clothes and electronics.

**Helen:** I don't want to go shopping. Instead of going abroad, let's stay here and 4. \_\_\_\_\_ out the countryside.

**Ted:** Well, I like cities, but I'll give it a(n) 5. \_\_\_\_\_.

**Helen:** Excellent. We can 6. \_\_\_\_\_ in the country. Do you like to 7. \_\_\_\_\_ mountains?

**Ted:** Yeah. I'd like to see the 8. \_\_\_\_\_ from the top of the mountain over there.

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## Language Center

### Task I

Use the correct form of the words to fill in the blanks.

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Have you 1. \_\_\_\_\_ Ireland before? If you 2. \_\_\_\_\_ history, be sure to go to Waterford. Waterford is Ireland's oldest city. You 3. \_\_\_\_\_ stay in Lismore Castle. It's nearly 1,000 years old. If you're a nature 4. \_\_\_\_\_, you can check out its gardens. 5. \_\_\_\_\_ of art shouldn't 6. \_\_\_\_\_ the art museum in Greyfriars. Waterford's city walls are definitely 7. \_\_\_\_\_ a visit. 8. \_\_\_\_\_ to go to the towers. There are six of them left.

### Task II

Use the correct form of the words to fill in the blanks.

a lot kind pleasure dish problem serve tomato look taste appreciate

**Cathy:** Hey, Terry. Can you tell me about Mexican food, please? I want to try real local food.

**Terry:** No 1. \_\_\_\_\_. Mexican food has lots of garlic, onions, 2. \_\_\_\_\_, and chilies.

**Cathy:** What does it 3. \_\_\_\_\_ like?

**Terry:** There are lots of 4. \_\_\_\_\_. Some of them are spicy, and some are sweet.

**Cathy:** I like spicy food. What should I try?

**Terry:** You could try a taco. It 5. \_\_\_\_\_ like a roll. The outside is a(n) 6. \_\_\_\_\_ of bread, and it has meat and beans inside. It's usually 7. \_\_\_\_\_ with rice.

**Cathy:** Thanks 8. \_\_\_\_\_! I really 9. \_\_\_\_\_ it.

**Terry:** It's my 10. \_\_\_\_\_.

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## Grammar

### Task I

Write **exp** for experience, **con** for continuing action, or **com** for completion.

1. Ivan has just bought a new car. \_\_\_\_\_
2. Sarah has never eaten meat. \_\_\_\_\_
3. They have had their dog for four years. \_\_\_\_\_
4. He has been to Russia before. \_\_\_\_\_
5. I've been here for over an hour. \_\_\_\_\_
6. Kevin has already cleaned his room. \_\_\_\_\_
7. Patricia has read that book twice. \_\_\_\_\_
8. Joe has worked there since 2010. \_\_\_\_\_
9. She has made dinner for us. \_\_\_\_\_

### Task II

Use these words to make sentences or questions using the **present perfect**.

1. you / see / today / Mike  
→ \_\_\_\_\_?
2. I / not / Paul / the exam / yet / tell / about  
→ \_\_\_\_\_.
3. eat / lunch / already / they  
→ \_\_\_\_\_?
4. Larry / four times / call  
→ \_\_\_\_\_.
5. make / The dog / a mess / in the house  
→ \_\_\_\_\_.
6. Ellen / take / the train / Hualien / many times / to  
→ \_\_\_\_\_.
7. They / for / go / Switzerland / vacation / to / a  
→ \_\_\_\_\_.

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## Reading

Read the following fun facts about travel customs. Fill in the blanks with the choices provided: journey, forgotten, considered, set, luck, custom, unlucky, destination, travelers, success.

### Customs about Travel

- ◆ When planning your 1. \_\_\_\_\_, you should choose your dates carefully. It's 2. \_\_\_\_\_ bad luck to start your journey on a Friday. The only thing worse than a regular Friday would be traveling on Friday the 13th.
- ◆ When you are 3. \_\_\_\_\_ to go, try not to look back toward home. It's 4. \_\_\_\_\_ to pick up something you may have 5. \_\_\_\_\_. It's better to replace the item when you reach your 6. \_\_\_\_\_.
- ◆ Any lucky charm can bring good 7. \_\_\_\_\_ when you're on the road. According to 8. \_\_\_\_\_, a St. Christopher medal plays a huge role in the 9. \_\_\_\_\_ of a trip. 10. \_\_\_\_\_ may wear it around the neck or just carry it in the pocket for luck.

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