UNIT 1: HOLIDAY NEWS

LESSON 2: READING

(Page 8 + 9 + 10 – Workbook Academy Stars 4)

Task 1:

Label the pictures.

			forest
1	2	3	hill
			lake
volcano			river
			waterfall
			~~volcano~~
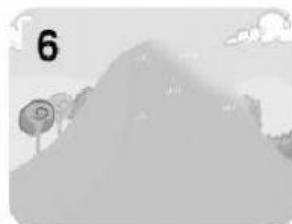
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4	5	6

Task 2:

These are places you can live. Find the words and label the pictures.
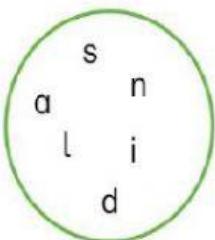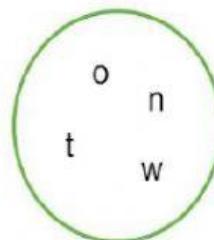
1 _countryside_   2 _____   3 _____   4 _____

Task 3: Solve the clues. Use the words in Task 1 and Task 2.

1 There are trees, flowers and farms in this place.   <u>countryside</u>

2 You can see lots of things from the top of this.   _____

3 You can go to this place by boat.   _____

4 There are lots of houses, streets and cars in this place.   _____

5 This starts in the mountains and goes to the sea.   _____

6 This place is full of trees.   _____

Task 4:

Match the sentences to the photos.
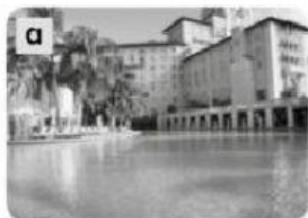
1 We went camping near the beach.   `f`

2 We stayed in a hotel below some mountains.   ☐

3 Outside the hotel there was a swimming pool.   ☐

4 We went sailing to an island in the lake.   ☐

5 My dad and I went fishing but we didn't catch any fish.   ☐

6 We saw a beautiful waterfall.   ☐

Task 5:

Read the text messages on Pupil's Book pages 10–11.
Circle the correct words to complete the text.

Dina stayed in a hotel. Sometimes she played ¹**inside** / **outside** in the games room. She also went swimming ²**inside** / **outside** in the pools. She went mountain biking twice. One day she went ³**camping** / **sailing** to an island and had a picnic.

Alisa went ⁴**to a hotel** / **camping** with her family. They stayed in a forest ⁵**inside** / **above** a lake and ⁶**outside** / **below** a waterfall. They went ⁷**fishing** / **sailing** and cooked dinner under the stars. She also went ⁸**swimming** / **boating** one day.

Task 6:

Read the text messages on Pupil's Book pages 10–11. Then read the sentences and write *T* (True) or *F* (False).

Dina …

1	stayed in a hotel next to a beach.	T
2	went mountain biking once.	___
3	had a picnic at a volcano.	___
4	loved the food at the hotel.	___

Alisa …

5	went camping near the beach.	___
6	went swimming every day.	___
7	didn't like boating.	___
8	sometimes ate dinner in the village.	___

Task 7:

Write *D* (Dina), *A* (Alisa) or *B* (both).

Who likes …

1 swimming?	B		5 playing outside?	☐
2 fruit salad?	☐		6 taking photos?	☐
3 her cousins?	☐		7 camping?	☐
4 eating fish?	☐		8 going on holiday?	☐

Values

Why are holidays good for you?

1 Look at the smartphones. Circle the answers.

   1 The people writing are …
   a   mother and daughter.   b   two brothers.   c   two friends.

   2 They are writing …
   a   text messages.   b   emails.   c   letters.

2 Scan the text. Underline the new words from Lesson 1.

3 🔊 1.6 👤 Read the text. Do you prefer Dina's or Alisa's holiday? Why?

Dina
online

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Hi, Alisa! How are you? I got back from my holiday last night. It was great! 👍   3:01 PM
Dina

Hi, Dina! Welcome home! It's nice to hear from you! Where did you go? 🙂   3:06 PM
Alisa

We went to a fantastic hotel next to a beach. It wasn't near a town, but there was a lot to do. Inside the hotel there was a big games room and outside there were three swimming pools! ☀️ 🏊 3:19 PM
Dina

Wow! The hotel looks really cool! 😎   3:42 PM
Alisa

Yes, it was. I made some new friends. We played team games on the beach, and one day we went sailing to an island and had a picnic. We went mountain biking, too – once in a forest and once next to a volcano. What about you?   3:46 PM
Dina

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Alisa: I went camping with my mum, dad, aunt, uncle and cousins. We were in a forest, above a lake and below a waterfall. It was amazing! 🌲🙂 4:03 PM

Dina: Wow! It looks beautiful! What did you do there? 4:10 PM

Alisa: I played with my cousins and we went swimming every morning. The water was really cold, but it was lots of fun. The best day was the boating trip. We went across a huge lake between some beautiful hills. 4:12 PM

Dina: Cool! It sounds brilliant! Oh! Let me tell you about the food at our hotel. It was delicious! They made great burgers and pizzas and there was fruit salad. All my favourites! What was your food like? 🍔🍕 4:32 PM

Alisa: Lucky you! Some evenings, we went fishing and then we cooked the fish on a fire next to the lake, under the stars. It was really cool! Other evenings, we walked to the nearest village and had dinner there. 🐟 4:51 PM

Dina: Sounds lovely! I've got lots of photos. Can you come to my house after school tomorrow? 5:16 PM

Alisa: I'd love to! 5:20 PM

| above | below | camping | inside | outside | sailing |

Learning to learn

How do you learn best?

In class you can work in different ways:

on your own   *in pairs*   *in groups*   *as a class*

Which way of working do you think is best for these?

1 singing a song
2 reading a text
3 answering comprehension questions
4 doing a grammar activity
5 practising a conversation