



“The world is a book and those who do not travel read only one page.”

Augustine of Hippo (354 – 430), theologian and philosopher

1. Travel Discussion

1. What do you think of when you hear the word "travel"?
2. Do you enjoy travelling? Why or why not? What are the benefits of travelling?
3. When was the last time you went on holiday/vacation? Can you describe it?
4. Where would you like to go to on your next holiday/vacation?
5. What are the best places you have been to?
6. Where is the worst place you have been on holiday/vacation?
7. Where would you recommend a foreign tourist visit in your country?
8. Would you prefer to have a trip in your own country or in a foreign country? Why?

2. Travel Vocabulary

- **city break** (noun) – *a holiday/vacation to a city, usually a short trip.*
- **all-inclusive holiday (BrE) / vacation (AmE)** (noun) – *a holiday/vacation on a resort that includes all food and drink.*
- **to backpack** (verb), **backpacking** (noun) – *a style of independent travel usually involving multiple destinations and low budget accommodation.*
- **off the beaten path / track** (phrase) – *describes a tourist destination where not many people/tourists go.*
- **souvenir** (noun) – *an object to remind someone of a place, person or event.*
- **bucket list** (noun) – *a list of things a person would like to accomplish in their lifetime.*

Using the vocabulary words above, complete the following sentences (remember to use the correct form of the word, e.g. verb conjugation or plural noun)

1. We had a lovely _____ to Prague last summer.
2. North Korea is truly _____.
3. Hiking the Inca Trail to Machu Picchu is at the top of my _____.
4. Peter always buys fridge magnets as a _____ of his holidays.
5. Tanya has always dreamed of _____ around the world.
6. The only problem with _____ is that you feel like you're losing money if you leave the hotel to try one of the local restaurants.

Travel vocabulary comprehension questions

1. Where would you like to go for a city break?
2. Have you ever been on an all-inclusive holiday? How was it? What are the pros and cons of this kind of trip?
3. Would you like to go backpacking? Why or why not?
4. Have you ever been off the beaten track? Where did you go?
5. Do you bring souvenirs back from holiday? Do you have any favourites?
6. Which countries are on your bucket list? Why? What do you want to see there?

3. Travel Conversation Questions

1. Are you a traveller or a tourist? What's the difference?
2. What are some of the different types of holidays or vacations that people like to go on? (e.g., beach holidays, skiing holidays, etc)
3. Where are the best places to go for a romantic getaway?
4. When you travel somewhere, do you like to plan everything or 'go with the flow'?
5. Have you ever travelled solo? If not, would you like to travel solo?
6. Why do some people travel solo? What are the advantages and disadvantages of solo travel?
7. Would you like to travel for a year or two? If so, which destinations would you choose and why?
8. Are there any countries you would definitely not want to visit? Why?