

Transport announcements

Match the definitions (1–8) with the words in bold letters in the sentences (a–h) by writing down the alphabet in the box next to the definition.

Definitions

1. train
2. a section of a train
3. to leave
4. to get on a plane, train or boat
5. to end
6. to be careful about
7. more or less
8. space

Sentences

- a. Move to the front of the **carriage**.
- b. **Approximately** five minutes.
- c. Your plane is **boarding** at Gate 1.
- d. Your plane will **depart** soon.
- e. Some **rail** services are delayed.
- f. **Mind** where you walk.
- g. There is a **gap** between the platform and the train.
- h. This train **terminates** here.

Listen to some transport announcements below and fill in the blank with the word you hear!



A

The next train to at Platform 2 is the 12.20 to Bristol Temple Meads, at Reading, Oxford and Bristol Parkway. Platform 2 for the 12.20 to Bristol. First class is in the carriage.

B

This is a platform announcement for for the 12.20 service to Bristol Temple Meads. This train is by approximately 8 minutes. The train will now from Platform 9. Passengers for the 12.20 train to Bristol, please make your to Platform 9.

C

Passengers for Flight EB380 to Paris please make your way to Gate 13 for . Gate 13 for flight EB380 to Paris. Please have your and boarding passes ready. Your flight is ready to .

D

This is a London Underground to Liverpool Street. The next station is Liverpool Street. Upon , the first set of doors will not open. in the first carriage, please move towards the doors to leave the train. The next station is Liverpool Street. Change here for Central Line, Circle Line, Hammersmith & City Line and Metropolitan Line and Main Line Suburban rail . Please mind the gap between the train and the platform. This train at Redbridge.

State true or false based on the text that you listen in the former task!

1. The Bristol train is at 20.12.
2. First class is at the back of the train.
3. Passengers for Oxford are delayed by 8 minutes.
4. The Paris flight is EV318.
5. People in the front of the train carriage can get out easily at Liverpool Street.
6. The back doors won't open.
7. Liverpool Street has lots of other underground lines.
8. Redbridge is the last stop.

Write the numbers mentioned in the listening text!

13 9 8 3

1. The number of stops before Bristol Temple Meads.
2. The number of minutes delay to the Bristol train.
3. The new platform for the Bristol train.
4. The gate for the Paris flight.