

Reading

Read the text and choose the correct letter (a, b, c or d) for each space.

WILD PLACES

More and more people now ¹ visiting wild places for their holidays. Trips to hot deserts or ² cold northern countries are becoming more and more popular. A lot of places that were ³ difficult to get to in the past are now only a plane ride away. Scientists too are studying the wild places of the world, hoping to ⁴ new and unusual plants and animals.

Of course, tourists who visit these places

⁵ their best not to cause any damage

and they certainly don't ⁶ to harm the natural world. They just want to experience the natural beauty of the places and take photos that they can ⁷ with their friends. But is tourism killing

these wild places that we love so much? They have remained in a natural state ⁸ thousands of years. Do we really ⁹ to change this and turn them into holiday resorts? So, before you

¹⁰ the decision to go to one of the world's wild places, maybe you should stop and think.

If you haven't been there ¹¹, maybe it's best to stay away.



Example:

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| 1 a choose | b enjoy | c decide | d hope |
| 2 a cool | b chilly | c freezing | d mild |
| 3 a really | b completely | c absolutely | d totally |
| 4 a look | b discover | c have | d find out |
| 5 a make | b put | c do | d attempt |
| 6 a realise | b think | c mean | d enjoy |
| 7 a show | b bring | c upload | d share |
| 8 a for | b since | c before | d ago |
| 9 a like | b stand | c want | d accept |
| 10 a do | b get | c have | d make |
| 11 a never | b yet | c ever | d just |