

# 9 Travel

## Vocabulary

### Different ways to travel

- 1 Circle the correct verb for each type of transportation.



1 drive / fly



3 take / sail



5 sail / take



7 fly / take



2 fly / sail



4 drive / ride



6 drive / fly



8 ride / drive

- 2 Complete the text. Use words from Exercise 1.

I love exploring Bangkok, Thailand. When I'm there, I usually <sup>1</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ a motorcycle around the city. But you can also just <sup>2</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ a taxi. To save money, <sup>3</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ a train. There are many stations and you get a great view of the city. Or <sup>4</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ down the river by boat. You can visit many famous tourist sites this way. Finally, <sup>5</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ a *tuk tuk* (a three-wheeled open vehicle). They're a fun, cheap way to travel in the evening, when it's cool.

## Reading

- 1 Look at the photos and skim paragraph 1 on page 61. Circle the meaning of "glamping."
- a camping in a small tent
  - b a comfortable camping experience
  - c camping alone with no other people around

- 2 Read the article. Where does the article say you can do these things? Check (✓) the places.

|                    | Merzouga | Juluchuca | Wicklow Hills |
|--------------------|----------|-----------|---------------|
| drive around       |          |           |               |
| go online for free |          |           |               |
| have a campfire    |          |           |               |
| enjoy music        |          |           |               |
| visit a beach      |          |           |               |
| see wildlife       |          |           |               |

## Let's go glamping!

Camping is great, but it's not for everyone. Some people don't like carrying a heavy bag or sleeping in a small tent. For these people, there's glamping. Glamping (*glamorous + camping*) is camping in an easy and comfortable way. Here are three places to go glamping.

### Merzouga, MOROCCO

Spend a few quiet nights in a beautiful tent in the Sahara Desert. Enjoy delicious seven-vegetable couscous (a famous Moroccan dish) in the restaurant tent. Ride a camel or drive around the desert during the day. At night, sit around the fire and listen to Moroccan music.



◀ Tents in Merzouga, Morocco

### Juluchuca, MEXICO

Enjoy a view of the ocean from a beautiful treehouse that is two meters in the air. These treehouses have everything you need for a comfortable stay: a large bed, a bathroom, Wi-Fi, and more. There's a beautiful beach, too.

A treehouse in Juluchuca, Mexico



### Wicklow Hills, IRELAND

Stay in a yurt (a Mongolian tent) on an Irish farm. There's a bed inside each yurt and a place to have a fire outside. Explore Ireland's green hills, and watch birds and other animals. (Wicklow Hills is a great place for bird watching). Finally, you can enjoy delicious meals in an old farmhouse.



# Grammar

## There is and There are

- 1 Complete the sentences and question with *is* or *are*.

- 1 There \_\_\_\_\_ many old buildings in my city.
- 2 There \_\_\_\_\_ a pretty beach.
- 3 There \_\_\_\_\_ many outdoor markets.
- 4 There \_\_\_\_\_ a beautiful park.
- 5 \_\_\_\_\_ there an art museum?

- 3 Circle the correct options to complete the conversation.

A: So, you're from Warsaw. What can you do there?

B: Well, <sup>1</sup>*there's* / *there are* many interesting things. People come to see the old town square, of course.

A: Are there any famous museums?

B: Yes. There are <sup>2</sup>*some* / *any* wonderful museums in the city. The National Museum is excellent.

- 2 Put the words in order to make sentences or questions.

1 train station / is / new / there / a

There is a new train station.

2 two / there / are / museums

\_\_\_\_\_.

3 is / university / there / a

\_\_\_\_\_?

4 any / there / aren't / Mexican restaurants

\_\_\_\_\_.

5 information center / there / an / is

\_\_\_\_\_?

A: <sup>3</sup>*Is* / Are there an outdoor market?

B: Yes, there <sup>4</sup>*is* / *are*. There are <sup>5</sup>*some* / *any* amazing restaurants, too. Polish food is delicious!

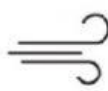
A: What about hiking? Are there <sup>6</sup>*a* / *any* mountains?

B: No, there <sup>7</sup>*isn't* / *aren't*. But there <sup>8</sup>*is* / *are* many places to walk in the city.

# Vocabulary

## The weather

- 1 Write the weather word under the pictures.



a \_\_\_\_\_ b \_\_\_\_\_ c \_\_\_\_\_ d \_\_\_\_\_

- 2 Choose the correct options to complete the descriptions.



Spring in Seoul, South Korea is great. The days are warm and dry. You don't usually need an umbrella because there isn't much <sup>1</sup>*rain* / *wind*.



Many people visit Istanbul, Turkey in the summer. It's sometimes hot because the <sup>2</sup>*sun* / *snow* is out all day, but the <sup>3</sup>*wind* / *sun* helps keep you cool.



Fall days in Montevideo, Uruguay are usually warm. But it can get really <sup>4</sup>*dry* / *wet* when the rain falls.



Winter in Reykjavik, Iceland is cold but beautiful. Sometimes, the <sup>s</sup>wind / snow falls, but it doesn't usually stay on the ground long.

- 2 9.1 Listen again. What do the advertisements say? Circle the correct options.

#### Advertisement 1

- 1 *Drive / Walk* around the park or travel by boat.
- 2 *Come / Don't come* between October and March.

## Listening

- 1 9.1 Listen to three advertisements. Match the parks (1–3) with the countries (a–c).

- |                         |       |            |
|-------------------------|-------|------------|
| 1 Chitwan National Park | _____ | a Colombia |
| 2 Samaria National Park | _____ | b Nepal    |
| 3 Tayrona National Park | _____ | c Greece   |

#### Advertisement 2

- 3 Enjoy the views and then *play / swim* in the ocean.
- 4 *Hike / Don't hike* between May and October.

#### Advertisement 3

- 5 *Relax / Swim* and enjoy the warm sun.
- 6 *Visit / Don't visit* the park in February.

## Grammar

### Object pronouns

- 1 Complete the sentences with these words.

him   her   it   me   them   us   you

- 1 This ticket is for my father. Please give \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_.
- 2 My friends are in your class. Say "hello" to \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_.
- 3 Where are Tran and Wei Ting? Can you help \_\_\_\_\_ find \_\_\_\_\_?
- 4 Phoebe needs to talk to her brother. Tell \_\_\_\_\_ to call \_\_\_\_\_.
- 5 This is Matthew's umbrella. Can you please give \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_?

- 2 Put the words in order to make sentences.

- 1 me / it / give / to  
Give it to me
- 2 him / help / they / can't  
 \_\_\_\_\_
- 3 it / to / wants / he / use  
 \_\_\_\_\_
- 4 to see / I / you / want  
 \_\_\_\_\_
- 5 us / they / traveling / like / with  
 \_\_\_\_\_

# Writing

## 1 Complete the sentences with these words.

|         |        |          |      |
|---------|--------|----------|------|
| place   | are    | vacation | love |
| amazing | things | weather  |      |

- 1 I'm on \_\_\_\_\_ in Dubai.
- 2 It's \_\_\_\_\_!
- 3 I \_\_\_\_\_ it here!
- 4 The cool \_\_\_\_\_ is perfect.
- 5 There \_\_\_\_\_ some excellent stores.
- 6 There are so many \_\_\_\_\_ to do.
- 7 It's a great \_\_\_\_\_ to relax.

## 2 Circle the reason (a or b) for using an exclamation mark (!).

- 1 This beach is perfect!  
a The writer is happy.  
b The writer is angry.
- 2 Please don't forget your passport!  
a The writer is surprised.  
b Something is important.
- 3 The weather is terrible!  
a The writer is happy.  
b The writer is angry.
- 4 Oh, wow. You're here!  
a The writer is surprised.  
b Something is important.