

READING

1. Read the blog posts about holidays. Match the questions (1–6) with the people (A–C).

Which person:

1. had nothing to do at night?
2. visited places away from the hotel?
3. liked the people at the hotel?
4. went swimming at the beach a lot?
5. wasn't happy with their room?
6. wanted to go shopping?

A Jane

We stayed at the Stella Hotel in Malaga in Spain. We had a fantastic holiday. We loved the hotel and the people were very kind to us. We went swimming every day at the lovely beach. It was only two minutes from the hotel. The rooms in the hotel were very comfortable and the food in the dining room was good. We ate a lot of chips and pizza! There weren't any Spanish dishes on the menu, but that wasn't a big problem.

B Robert

We went to a small town in Turkey and stayed in the Hotel Nova. I didn't like it because I had to stay in the same room as my brother.

Our room was very small and there wasn't a TV! We couldn't see the sea from the window, but I liked the swimming pool. That was good. There weren't any excursions, so we took a taxi to visit interesting places, but it wasn't expensive. We saw some amazing places.

C Caroline

We went to France and stayed in the Hotel Belle Vue in Cannes. It was a beautiful hotel with lots of trees and flowers. It was near the beach, but I preferred the pool at the hotel. There weren't any shops near the hotel. We wanted to buy some souvenirs, but we couldn't. We bought postcards, but they were all pictures of the hotel! The hotel was very busy, but after dinner in the evening there wasn't anything to do.

It was really boring. There were TVs in the rooms, but the programmes were in French and we couldn't understand them!

2. Read the blog posts again and write the name of the person who ...

- 1 preferred swimming at the beach.
- 2 didn't have a good time in the evenings.
- 3 did a lot of sightseeing.
- 4 wasn't staying near the sea.



3. Choose the best answers, A, B, C or D.

1. It was _____ from the Stella Hotel to the beach.

- A a lovely walk
- B a long way
- C a short distance
- D 20 minutes



2. The Stella Hotel didn't serve any

- A local food
- B fast food
- C English food
- D food Jane liked

3. Robert wasn't happy because

- A he didn't like the beach
- B he didn't have enough space
- C the swimming pool was too small
- D everything was expensive

4. Robert and his family took a taxi to

- A get to the beach
- B go shopping
- C go on excursions
- D go sightseeing

5. There weren't any shops so Caroline

- A didn't buy anything to take home
- B couldn't buy any food
- C didn't find any postcards
- D was very happy

6. The _____ only had pictures of the hotel.

- A TV
- B souvenirs
- C postcards
- D programmes

