

D. Listening & Speaking

Exercise 1: Listen to the descriptions and match them with the different kinds of holiday.

(*Tracks 4.1 – 4.6*)

1. City break		
2. Language exchange		
3. Sailing holiday		
4. Wildlife holiday		
5. Adventure holiday		
6. Beach holiday		

Exercise 2: Listen to people talking about activities they like to do on holiday and match them with the pictures. (*Tracks 4.7 – 4.12*)



1. _____



2. _____



3. _____



4. _____



5. _____



6. _____

Exercise 3: Listen to John talking about the different places he's visited. Match the countries with the main reasons he went to them. (*Track 4.13*)

1. Turkey	●	● So he could study art.
2. Morocco	●	● Because he loves mountain climbing.
3. Italy	●	● So he could improve his language skills.
4. Thailand	●	● So he could try the food.
5. Russia	●	● Because he loves beach holidays.
6. Spain	●	● Because his grandmother lives there.

Exercise 4: Listen to Cristina talking about her holiday. Choose the correct answers. ( Track 4.14)

1. Cristina usually goes on	<input type="radio"/> Adventure holidays.	5. Cristina and her friends went to the Palace of Versailles
<input type="radio"/> Beach holidays.	<input type="radio"/> By bus.	
<input type="radio"/> Sailing holidays.	<input type="radio"/> By car.	
2. Cristina and her friends stayed	<input type="radio"/> By train.	6. Cristina
<input type="radio"/> In a gueshouse.	<input type="radio"/> Didn't enjoy her holiday.	
<input type="radio"/> In a hotel.	<input type="radio"/> Enjoyed her holiday.	
<input type="radio"/> With a family.	<input type="radio"/> Wasn't sure if she enjoyed her holiday.	
3. On the first day, Cristina and her friends visited	7. Cristina thinks that Paris is	
<input type="radio"/> The Eifel Tower.	<input type="radio"/> Expensive	
<input type="radio"/> The Louvre museum.	<input type="radio"/> Great.	
<input type="radio"/> The Pompidou Centre.	<input type="radio"/> Very clean.	
4. Cristina says that the food in the restaurant was		

- Delicious.
- Not very good.
- Very expensive.

Exercise 5: Put the words in the correct order to make sentences. Practice saying the sentences.

1. With family we a stayed host

2. On I went trips day

3. Water parks they visited

4. Attractions I saw local

5. A cycling tour we went on

6. Travelled they by train

7. They visits cultural went on

8. And galleries visited museums we

Exercise 6: Choose the correct words to complete the sentences.

- 1** I like to go on wildlife holidays because I prefer to see animals in their delicious/ fun/ natural environment.
- 2** I'm an architect, so when I travel, I like to visit easy/ famous/ long buildings like the Burj Al Arab in Dubai.
- 3** I don't like beach holidays so going to a beach resort is very boring/ interesting/ short for me.
- 4** I love travelling to China because the food is cultural/ delicious/ quick.
- 5** I enjoy going to museums, so I often go on cultural/ delicious/ difficult visit.
- 6** When I'm on holiday, I like shopping and visiting boring/ difficult/ local markets.
- 7** I love eating, so when I go on holiday to another country, I think it's famous/ fun/ popular to try traditional food.
- 8** I think France is great. It's a very local/ natural/ popular country to visit. It has over 50 million visitors a year.

Exercise 7: Complete the sentences with *so* or *because*.

- 1.** I love animals _____ I often go on wildlife holidays.
- 2.** We stayed in a guest house _____ hotels are very expensive.
- 3.** she loves sports _____ she went on an adventure holiday.
- 4.** He wanted to improve his Italian _____ he went on a language exchange to Rome.
- 5.** They love holidays by the sea _____ they stayed at a beach resort.
- 6.** I went on a city break to London _____ I love visiting museums.