11d A holiday in South America

Listening

1 How do you choose your holiday? Which of these do you use?

- travel books
- a travel website
- videos about places
- advice from family and friends
- a holiday brochure

2 106 Listen to two friends talking about a holiday. Answer the questions.

1 Which of the things in Exercise 1 are the friends looking at?
2 Which countries in South America do they mention?
3 What type of holiday does one person suggest at the end?

Real life making suggestions

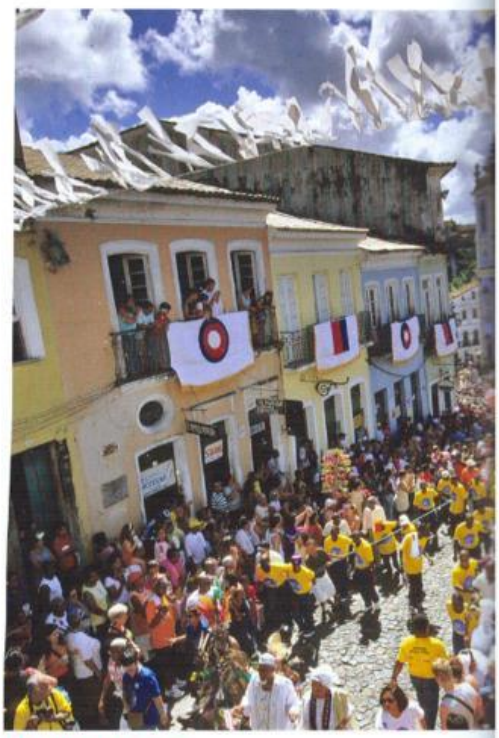
3 106 Look at the expressions for making suggestions. Complete these sentences with two words. Then listen again and check.

1 I went on a cruise all the way from Brazil to Argentina. _____ go on that.
2 Yes, but I'm _____ _____ the wildlife.
3 _____ _____ visiting the Andes?
4 But the disadvantage _____ _____ there are lots of other people with a bus tour.
5 But _____ _____ is that you see more with a tour guide.
6 _____ _____ right.
7 Can I _____ suggestion?
8 Actually, that's a really _____ _____.

MAKING SUGGESTIONS

Suggesting
You should go there for a holiday.
How about visiting the Himalayas?
Can I make a suggestion?
Why don't you go on a tour?
You could travel on your own.

Responding
Yes, but I'm interested in climbing.
But the disadvantage is that it's expensive.
But the advantage is that it's with a tour guide.
Maybe you're right.
That's a really good idea.



4 Pronunciation /ʌ/, /ʊ/ or /uː/

a 107 Listen and repeat the vowel sounds.

b 108 Match these words with the sounds from Exercise 4a. Then listen, check and repeat.

could cruise bus you should but love food

5 Work in pairs. Read about these people and discuss the best type of holiday for each of them.

1 Gary has two weeks' holiday to take. He loves travelling, but he doesn't like crowded cities.
2 Nigella is a student. She has three months in the summer, but she doesn't have much money.
3 Dorothy and Frank are in their sixties. They don't work anymore and they have lots of free time. They never travelled when they were young.

6 Work in pairs. Take turns to choose a person from Exercise 5. Tell your partner your situation. Your partner suggests a holiday for you. Respond to your partner's suggestions.

LIVEWORKSHEETS