

# READING AND LISTENING COMPREHENSION

1. Read the text and answer the questions in CAPITAL LETTERS.  
You can listen to the pronunciation.

Welcome to the islands of  
**Hawaii**  
There are lots of exciting activities for all the family.

**Watch the whales**  
More than 6,000 humpback whales visit Hawaii every year. They arrive in December and stay until May. Take a boat trip and get close to these amazing animals. If you're lucky, you can see them jump out of the water. It's amazing!

**Learn to surf** Do you like water sports? In Hawaii, there are lots of beaches where you can learn to surf. It isn't easy, but it's exciting and fun. Give it a try!

**Snorkel** There are beautiful coral reefs around the islands of Hawaii. You can swim with colourful, tropical fish and see enormous manta rays. Manta rays look quite scary, but they aren't dangerous.

**Make a sandcastle**  
Hawaii is famous for its beautiful beaches, but the sand isn't always yellow. You can find red, black, green and white sand here. It's the perfect place to make a fantastic sandcastle!

- A) Where can you learn to surf?
- B) When can you see whales?
- C) Which animals live in the reefs?
- D) What colour is the sand?

2. Listen and complete the information in CAPITAL LETTERS.

### Watch the whales!

1 The trip begins at  
11 o'clock.

2 The trip finishes at  
\_\_\_\_\_.

3 You can see whales and  
\_\_\_\_\_.

4 The trip is \_\_\_\_\_  
dollars for adults.

5 The trip is \_\_\_\_\_  
dollars for children.

