

**Exercise 1:** Listen and fill in the blank with ONE suitable word/number

1. New experiences we gain when we travel also _____ us.
2. Each type of tourism has its separate effect on the _____ and the locale.
3. Mass tourism helps developing countries _____ much-needed investments for roads and hospitals.
4. Only a small portion of _____ money actually reaches the locals.
5. A tourist uses as much water in just 24 hours as a third-world villager uses in _____ days.

EXERCISE 2: Listen and fill the gap with NO MORE THAN 3 WORDS.

1. The wildlife caretaker job on Kangaroo Island is for someone who loves all _____.
2. You'll be able to talk to wallabies, play with dolphins, cuddle koalas and _____ with seals on the unspoiled beach at Seal Bay.
3. One potential drawback of this job is that you need to be pretty _____.
4. If you're not an outdoor person, the next job is for someone whose talents are in writing, _____ and making videos.
5. You'd also cover _____ in the whole state of Victoria.

EXERCISE 1: What type of tourism should be promoted?

When we travel to new places, we gain new experiences and are affected by these experiences. In addition, these places are affected by us and our actions. Today, we will consider three types of tourism: mass tourism, sustainable tourism and virtual tourism. Each has its separate effect on the individual and the locale. The question that we will address is "What type of tourism should be promoted?".

Let's look at the pro and con arguments for mass tourism. Mass tourism helps developing countries receive much-needed investments for roads and hospitals that they normally would not have access to. This infrastructure causes a multiplier effect creating more jobs along each phase. But critics raise concerns of leakage in which only a small portion of tourism money actually reaches the locals. Also, mass tourism entails environmental spillover costs. A tourist uses as much water in just 24 hours as a third-world villager uses in 100 days. Should mass tourism be promoted?

EXERCISE 2:

Another island job is as 'wildlife caretaker' on Kangaroo Island in South Australia. If you love all kinds of animals, this is the job for you. The advert says you'll be able to talk to wallabies (a kind of small kangaroo), play with dolphins, cuddle koalas and sunbathe with seals on the unspoiled beach at Seal Bay. You would get about the island on foot, by bicycle, kayak or boat, taking photos and leaving only footprints. There is one potential drawback, though. You'd need to be pretty brave since you might come face to face with great white sharks.

Maybe you are not quite so keen on the great outdoors and your talents are more journalistic. If you fancy feature writing, photography and making videos, you can apply for the position of lifestyle photojournalist for Time Out in Melbourne. You would be required to photograph and write about the city's coolest cafés and musical events. But you'd also cover tourist activities in the whole state of Victoria, including surfing on the Great Ocean Road, skiing at Mount Hotham or watching the little penguins at Phillip Island.