Reading advice about vacations

1 Once I rented a motorcycle, but I crashed. I was in the hospital for two weeks. Fortunately, I had medical insurance so it didn't cost me anything. It's really important in case something bad happens.

2 At this time of year in Asia it's always hot, so you don't need many clothes. But it can be quite cold later in the year, so you should bring a coat for the rain and take an extra sweater.

3 I rented a car in England, but it was scary. Everybody drives on the wrong side of the road! I wanted to drive on the right and it was difficult to understand all the signs. My advice is you should take public transportation! It's much easier.

4 When you go to the US, you sometimes need a visa. Some nationalities can stay for three months without a visa, but everyone needs one to stay longer. And if you work, you definitely need to contact the US embassy in your country.

5 The first time I went to Mexico I took a phrase book. In the big cities a lot of people spoke English, but I wanted to travel to smaller towns, so I needed it there. When I got back home I took Spanish lessons, so that next time I won't have any problems.

6 I usually change money a few weeks before I go. It's much cheaper than using an exchange office at the airport. I also carry a credit card to pay for big things like a hotel or a meal in a restaurant.

1 Read what six tourists say about travel in different countries. Match the travel experience (1–6) with the topics (a–f).

Tourist 1 _____	a road travel
Tourist 2 _____	b weather
Tourist 3 _____	c money and currency
Tourist 4 _____	d language
Tourist 5 _____	e safety and emergencies
Tourist 6 _____	f [illegible]

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