

Travel Worksheet for Grade 10

Theme: Travel Like an Insider

Name: _____

Date: _____

Part 1: Pre-Class study

Before completing this worksheet, please study the following resources to gain a foundational understanding of the topic:

Article: [Travel to Italy Like an Insider](#)



Instructions: Complete the following tasks based on the provided article.

Part 1: Vocabulary in Context

Task: Choose the correct word or phrase to complete each sentence.

1. The article emphasizes the importance of a good travel advisor to help you _____ the best local experiences.
 - a) run into
 - b) gain access to
 - c) look for

2. These specialized travel planners create _____ itineraries that are unique to each traveler.

a) customized

b) crowded

c) common

3. A key benefit of using an expert is getting _____ into hidden gems that tourists usually miss.

a) insider knowledge

b) expensive tickets

c) a quick tour

4. The experts mentioned can provide _____ for unique activities like truffle hunting or private museum viewings.

a) obstacles

b) recommendations

c) delays

5. The goal is to have a more _____ and less superficial travel experience.

a) authentic

b) awful

c) automatic



Part 2: Reading for Detail (Multiple Choice)

Task: Choose the ONE correct answer for each question.

1. According to the article, what is the main advantage of using a local travel expert in Italy?
 - a) They can always find the cheapest flights.
 - b) They provide access to authentic, non-touristy experiences.
 - c) They allow you to travel without any planning.
 - d) They are always less expensive than booking online.
2. The article suggests that a great travel planner focuses on:
 - a) Following a strict, pre-packaged tour schedule.
 - b) The traveler's specific interests and preferences.
 - c) Only booking five-star hotels and restaurants.
 - d) Sending large groups to popular attractions.
3. What kind of unique activities might these experts arrange?
 - a) Discounts at large chain stores.
 - b) Fast-track entry to amusement parks.
 - c) Private cooking classes with local chefs.
 - d) Renting a standard car from an international agency.



Part 3: Matching

Task: Match the concept from the article (on the left) with its correct description or benefit (on the right).

No	Concept	Description / Benefit
1	Customized Itinerary	A deep understanding of local culture and hidden places that is not easily found in guidebooks
2	Insider Knowledge	An agreement that protects the client's financial investment in case the travel company fails.
3	Bespoke Travel	A travel plan that is specifically designed for an individual's unique interests and desires
4	Financial Protection	Travel that is highly personalized and luxury-oriented, often involving unique, tailor-made experiences

Answers:

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____

Part 4: Cloze Exercise (Drag and Drop)

Task: Complete the summary by placing the correct words into the blanks.

Word Bank:

Tailor, emphasizes, advisor, ensures, logistical

Summary:

The article (1) _____ the value of using a specialized travel (2) _____ for a trip to Italy. These experts do more than just handle (3) _____ details like hotels and transport; they (4) _____ unique experiences to match a traveler's passions. This approach (5) _____ a more memorable and authentic vacation.

Part 5: Short Answer

Task: Provide brief answers to the following questions.

1. According to the article, what is one specific example of an "insider experience" you might get with a travel expert?

2. Besides creating an itinerary, what is one practical problem a travel expert can help solve for a traveler?

Part 6: Open-Ended Question

Task: Answer the following question in 3-4 complete sentences, using your own ideas and information from the article.

"Do you think the benefits of using a specialized travel planner, as described in the article, are worth the potential extra cost compared to planning a trip independently? Justify your opinion."
