

Holidays

VOCABULARY BANK

1 PHRASES WITH GO

a Match the phrases and photos.



- ☐ go abroad /ə'brɔ:d/
- ☐ go away for the weekend
- ☐ go by bus (or car, plane, train)
- ☐ go camping
- ☐ go for a walk
- ☐ go on holiday
- ☐ go out at night
- ☐ go sightseeing /'saɪtsi:ɪŋ/
- ☐ go skiing (or walking, cycling)
- ☐ go swimming (or sailing, surfing, fishing)

b 2.6 Listen and check.

c Cover the phrases and look at the photos. Test yourself or a partner.

2 OTHER HOLIDAY PHRASES

a Complete the verb phrases.

book buy have hire /'haɪə/ rent spend stay
sunbathe /'sʌnbəɪð/ take

stay _____ in a hotel / at a _____ money (or time)
_____ campsite / with friends _____ an apartment
_____ photos _____ a bicycle (or skis)
_____ souvenirs /su've'nɪəz/ _____ a flight online
_____ on the beach (or a hotel)
_____ a good time

b 2.7 Listen and check.

rent or hire?

Rent and hire mean the same but we normally use *rent* for a longer period of time, e.g. you *rent* a flat or an apartment, and *hire* for a short time, e.g. you *hire* skis, a bike, a boat, etc. With a car you can use *hire* or *rent*.

c Test yourself. Cover the verbs. Remember the phrases.

3 ADJECTIVES

a Match the questions and answers.

- 1 What was the weather like? It was...
- 2 What was the hotel like? It was...
- 3 What was the town like? It was...
- 4 What were the people like? They were...

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| ☒ + comfortable, <u>luxurious</u> | ☐ basic, dirty, <u>uncomfortable</u> |
| ☒ + friendly, <u>helpful</u> | ☐ unfriendly, <u>unhelpful</u> |
| ☒ + beautiful, <u>lovely</u> | ☐ noisy, <u>crowded</u> |
| ☒ + warm, <u>sunny</u> | ☐ very windy, <u>foggy</u> , <u>cloudy</u> |

b 2.8 Listen and check.

General positive and negative adjectives

- great, lovely, wonderful, fantastic
- OK, not bad, all right
- awful, horrible, terrible

ACTIVATION Talk to a partner. Which do you prefer? Why?

- going abroad or going on holiday in your country
- going by car, bus, plane, or train
- going to the beach or going to a city
- staying in a hotel (or apartment) or going camping
- sunbathing, going sightseeing, or going for walks
- hot, sunny weather or cool, cloudy weather
- going on holiday with friends or going with your family

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