

# 1 Travelling for work

## Vocabulary Transport, accommodation and travel

### 1 Match the questions (1–8) with the answers (a–h).

1 Is your flight on time?	a I used a ridesharing app because public transport isn't great.
2 Where are you staying when you go to Madrid?	b I think they said we have to go to gate three.
3 How long will it take to get from Rome to Miami?	c No, it's delayed by half an hour.
4 Are you going to hire a vehicle when you get there?	d I have a meal or do a bit of shopping, then wait in the departure lounge.
5 Our flight leaves in half an hour. Where do we go now?	e I think it's a ten-hour flight.
6 What's his apartment like?	f I've got a reservation at a hotel in the centre.
7 How did you get around when you were in the city?	g It's really small, but it's in a great location, near all the shops.
8 What do you do when your flight is delayed?	h No, we're going to use public transport.

### 2 Complete the sentences with the words in the box.

abroad arrival departure landing local long-haul short-haul take-off

- 1 I've never been to another country. This is my first trip \_\_\_\_\_.
- 2 The \_\_\_\_\_ flight from Milan to Los Angeles takes almost fourteen hours.
- 3 We will arrive in Lisbon in about ten minutes. Please return to your seats for \_\_\_\_\_.
- 4 Pablo's \_\_\_\_\_ is at 10.30, so he needs to go to the airport now.
- 5 When you're on the plane, you can't get up or use the toilets during \_\_\_\_\_ or landing.
- 6 Their \_\_\_\_\_ time was 9.30 but they were twenty minutes early, so they had to wait for me to pick them up.
- 7 When I travel abroad, I like to try the \_\_\_\_\_ food.
- 8 It's a \_\_\_\_\_ flight from Rome to Naples. I often go and come back the same day.

### 3 Choose the correct option in italics.

- 1 Did you have a nice *abroad* / *stay* in New York?
- 2 Rita works in a *holiday* / *youth* resort near the beach.
- 3 Marco could only afford to stay in a *budget* / *business* hotel.
- 4 Tom always stays in a *rented* / *resort* apartment when he goes abroad.
- 5 The youth *hostel* / *apartment* was full of students from the USA.
- 6 The bed and *breakfast* / *budget* is cheaper than the hotel.
- 7 We're going to travel by *coach* / *plane* because our flight was cancelled.
- 8 Mr Tanaka would like to stay in a five-star *luxury* / *lounge* hotel during his visit.

## UNIT 1 &gt; Travelling for work

## Lesson 1.1 Business travel

## VIDEO

**A**  1.1.1 Match the sentence halves from the video. Then watch the video again to check your answers.



- 1 In a global economy,
- 2 On business trips,
- 3 I need to hire cars, or a vehicle,
- 4 I either use public transportation,
- 5 I was at the airport lounge waiting for my flight,
- 6 My top travel tip when travelling for work

- a from the airport to the **workplace**.
- b is to be very efficient in **organisation**.
- c many companies do business **overseas**.
- d you may need to **stay overnight**.
- e and I got really confused with **timings**.
- f because it's a really good way to mix with **the locals**, or I use a ridesharing app.

**B** Match the expressions with the words in bold in Exercise A they can replace.

- i sleep there \_\_\_\_\_
- ii the people who live there \_\_\_\_\_
- iii the schedule \_\_\_\_\_
- iv in other countries across the sea \_\_\_\_\_
- v planning \_\_\_\_\_
- vi room, building, etc. where you do your job \_\_\_\_\_

## Vocabulary

**C** Choose the correct option in italics to complete the sentences.

- 1 I arrived late at the airport, so I missed my *landing* / *flight*.
- 2 Her plane was *delayed* / *short-haul* because of the bad weather.
- 3 I made a hotel *stay* / *reservation* for one room, for two nights.
- 4 When I arrived at the *long-haul* / *gate*, the passengers were going onto the plane.
- 5 We usually book a large *vehicle* / *public transportation* to take us from the airport to the hotel.
- 6 He waited in the *departure lounge* / *landing* for two hours and had some lunch.
- 7 The right *ridesharing app* / *location* is very important for me because I want to walk to my workplace.
- 8 To see the *long-haul* / *local* area, I like walking.
- 9 After the plane's *arrival* / *take-off*, we had to wait for our suitcases for an hour.
- 10 The train was *on time* / *delayed* so we didn't miss our meeting.