



A ROAD TRIP IN THE USA

4^{ème} LV1

Reading: planning a road trip

OBJECTIVE: I can understand a conversation about planning a road trip and talking about prices.

10:52

USA Road Trip  

Emma, Jake, Mia




Hey guys! What do you think about our American road trip this summer? 🤔

10:32 ✓

Jake
I looked at some flights yesterday ✈️ 10:33

Mia
Really? How much are they? 10:33

Jake
Around \$850 each... 😞 10:33

Wow! That's expensive 🤯 10:33 ✓

Mia
We should compare prices before booking. 10:34

Jake
Good idea! We could also fly to Chicago instead of New York. 10:34

Why Chicago? 10:34 ✓

Jake
The flights are cheaper. They're only about \$650. 10:35

Mia
That's much cheaper! 👍 10:35

Okay, we should definitely consider Chicago. 10:35 ✓

Today

Jake
What about hotels? 10:36

Mia
Hotels in Las Vegas are surprisingly cheap! 😊
Some hotels are only \$50 per night. 10:36

Really? That's cheaper than I expected! 10:36 ✓

Mia
But hotels in San Francisco are very expensive 😞
Then we could stay in hostels there. 10:37

Jake
Good idea! Hostels are usually cheaper. 10:37


Type a message




HELP BOX

save money • budget • cheaper • expensive
hostel • restaurant • rent a car • share the cost

★ **BONUS:** What places do they want to visit?

1 True or False? Tick (✓) the correct box.

	True	False
a. The flights to New York are \$650.	☐	☐
b. Chicago is cheaper than New York.	☐	☐
c. Hotels in Las Vegas are expensive.	☐	☐
d. Hotels in San Francisco are cheap.	☐	☐
e. They want to stay in hostels.	☐	☐

2 Answer the questions.

- How much are the flights to New York?

- How much are the flights to Chicago?

- How much are some hotels in Las Vegas?

- What is a good idea for San Francisco?

- Why do they want to compare prices?

3 Find in the conversation.

- Translate into French:
 - cheap = _____
 - expensive = _____

4 Grammar focus: *should* / *could*

- Find one sentence with "should".

- Find one sentence with "could".

- What do they use "should" and "could" for?
☐ for advice ☐ for obligation ☐ for suggestion

5 Your turn! What would you do?

Imagine you are in the group. Write 2 messages.

- Give one idea to save money.
- Ask a question about the trip.



_____ ✓



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★ **BONUS:** Would you like to go on this road trip? Why or why not?