

# ●●● Fasten your seatbelts

## A. VOCABULARY: air travel

Choose the correct word.

1. They booked first-class tickets, so they could use the **airport terminal / airline lounge** while waiting for their flight.
2. It didn't take long for me to check in my suitcase at the **baggage drop / security**.
3. The passengers were stopped at **customs / the check-in desk** for their bags to be checked.
4. I showed my boarding pass and ID at the **baggage claim / gate** and went to board my flight.
5. I didn't have a boarding pass, so I had to stand in line at the **check-in desk / customs** to get one.
6. We could see our plane on the **runway / gate** while we were waiting to board.
7. We parked as close as possible to the **airport terminal / airline lounge** because we were late.
8. The quickest way to find your flight is to look at the **departures board / runway**.
9. I was wearing boots, so I had to take them off at **security / the baggage drop**.
10. When I went to the **baggage claim / flight times**, I found that my suitcase hadn't arrived.

## B. GRAMMAR: so / such ... that

Rewrite the sentences using **so**, **such (a/an)**, **so much**, or **so many**.

1. The airport was very crowded. We had to wait for an hour.  
→ The airport was so crowded that we had to wait for an hour.
2. There were a lot of passengers at security. The line reached the entrance.  
→ \_\_\_\_\_
3. We had a lot of luggage. We had to pay extra fees.  
→ \_\_\_\_\_
4. The flight was very long. I watched three movies.  
→ \_\_\_\_\_
5. It was an expensive ticket. We decided not to buy it.  
→ \_\_\_\_\_
6. The turbulence was very strong. Some passengers looked nervous.  
→ \_\_\_\_\_
7. There were a lot of delays. Many people missed their connections.  
→ \_\_\_\_\_
8. The airline gave us excellent service. We wrote a positive review.  
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