

a Circle the correct form.

We're going / We go to New Zealand on Saturday.
 The flight ¹ leaves / is leaving at 6.50 in the morning.
² We need / We're needing to check in two hours ahead,
 so ³ we go / we're going to the airport the night before,
 and ⁴ we stay / we're staying in an airport hotel (£200 a
 night, but it's better than getting up at 2.00 a.m.!). The
 first part of the flight, to Singapore, ⁵ takes / is taking 14
 hours, and ⁶ we break / we're breaking the journey there
 for a couple of days. Then it's on to Auckland. The flight
⁷ gets in / is getting in at nearly midnight, but our friends
⁸ meet / are meeting us at the airport, and ⁹ they look
after / they're looking after us for a week or so. Then
¹⁰ we travel / we're travelling round North and South
 Island – ¹¹ we rent / we're renting a camper van.
¹² We have / We're having to be back in Auckland on
 22nd February, but I don't think I'll want to come home!

b Complete the sentences with the present simple or present continuous form of the verbs in brackets.

Do you know Andrew's sister? (know)

- 1 _____ you _____ camping or staying in hotels? (prefer)
- 2 We _____ of going on a safari next year. (think)
- 3 _____ we _____ to pack insect repellent? (need)
- 4 She _____ to Frankfurt for a business meeting next week. (fly)
- 5 A Can I help you?
B Yes, I _____ a charger for my phone. (look for)
- 6 A This hotel _____ a restaurant. (not have)
B It _____, we can eat in town. (not matter)
- 7 A Hi. Can you hear me? What _____ you _____? (do)
B I _____ by the pool and Tanya _____ a spa treatment. Where are you? (read, have)
- 8 A What time _____ our flight _____? (leave)
B It _____ at 9.50 and it _____ at 12.10. (leave, arrive)

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