

UNIT 10: GOING PLACES



A Paulo has just arrived in New York and is telling a co-worker about his flight. Complete the sentences with the reported speech. Sometimes more than one answer is possible.

1. "Do you always travel with just one bag?"
People often ask me _____.
2. "Don't drink green tea before an overnight flight."
My wife advised me _____.
3. "Should I buy some food on the flight?"
A guy at the airport wanted to know _____.
4. "Buy it at the airport, because the food on the plane isn't too good."
I told _____.
5. "Where did you get your blanket?"
A woman on the flight asked me _____.
6. "Can I have an eye mask and earplugs?"
Then she asked a flight attendant _____.
7. "What are you going to do in New York?"
The man next to me asked me _____.
8. "Where do you usually stay in New York?"
He also wanted to know _____.

B Sam and Dave are going on a trip together. Read what they say to each other, and rewrite it as reported speech with the verbs given.

1. Sam: "Don't take too much luggage." (advised)
Sam advised Dave not to take too much luggage.
2. Sam: "How many suitcases are you taking with you?" (asked)

3. Dave: "Are you taking shampoo and conditioner with you?" (wanted to know)

4. Dave: "Can you lend me a jacket for the trip?" (asked)

5. Sam: "What kind of car do you want to rent?" (asked)

6. Dave: "Make a copy of your passport." (advised)

C Complete four things you could ask a frequent traveler (1–4). Then complete two pieces of advice to travelers in your country (5–6).

1. I'd like to know if _____.
2. Can you tell me how _____?
3. Can I ask you where _____?
4. I've always wanted to know what _____.
5. I'd advise all travelers to this country _____.
6. I'd also advise them not _____.