Traveller Intermediate Module 6a

VOCABULARY

Choose the correct answer.

- 1. Will you help me carry / take the kids to school today?
- 2. While we were in Paris, we went on a trip / tour of the city and saw all the famous sights.
- 3. How much are the taxi tickets / fares in London?
- 4. It will take us about an hour to reach / arrive the lake.
- 5. The archaeological area / site of the Acropolis is visited by thousands of tourists every year.
- 6. The Statue of Liberty is a famous landmark / exhibition in New York.

Match the two columns.

1. business	a. conditioning
2. air	b. tour
3. traveller's	c. room
4. package	d. license
5. driving	e. cheques
6. conference	f. centre

Match the words with the definitions

Book a room	1 a telephone call that you can request in order to wake you up at a specific time	
Check in	2 a room with a single bed that is large enough for one person to sleep in	
Check out	3 a room with a large bed or two beds, for two persons	
Reservation	4 a person employed in a hotel to carry guest's bags, to open doors etc.	
Wake-up call	5 an inexpensive place where mainly young people stay for short periods	
Room service	6 to return keys, to pay for the bill and depart from a hotel	
Mini bar	7 a service provided to hotel guests in their room (you can order meals or drinks)	
Single room	8 a hotel, usually with spaces for cars, which is placed by the side of a road	
Double room	9 a small refrigerator in a hotel room, it contains snacks, beverages etc.	
Bellboy	10 a machine that distributes goods such as food, cigarettes, sweets or drinks	
Reception	11 no rooms available	
Fully booked	12 to register at a hotel as a guest	
Youth hostel	13 the action of reserve a room at a hotel (that will be kept for you to use it later)	
Vacancy	14 an empty, unoccupied room that can be rented	
Vending machine	15 to reserve a room at a hotel	
Charge per night	16 a desk where hotel guests are received	
Motel	17 the total cost of the room for the night	



GRAMMAR

A. Rewrite the following sentences in the Passive Voice.

- 1. They believe Kate Winslet is a great actress.
- 2. We are going to renovate our house next month.
- 3. She has painted her bedroom pink.
- 4. The electrician is installing our new cooker.
- 5. He may wash the car tomorrow.
- 6. I invited Ben to my birthday party.
- 7. The band will give a concert next week.
- 8. The authorities had restored the old town church.

B. Rewrite the sentences using the words given.

1. They didn't go on a picnic because it was raining heavily.

DUE TO

They didn't go on a picnic

2. Although he did well at the interview, he didn't get the job.

IN SPITE OF

He didn't get the job

3. She walked in quietly in order not to wake up the baby.

SO THAT

She walked in quietly

4. The football player was shown a red card for hitting another player.

BECAUSE

The football player was shown a red card

5. I joined a fitness centre so that I can keep fit.

SO AS

I joined a fitness centre



READING

Five sentences have been removed from the text. Choose from the sentences A-F the one which best fits each gap (1-5). There is one extra sentence which you do not need to use.

A DREAM COME TRUE

This year for my summer holiday I wanted to enjoy the good life and travel in style so I sailed around the Red Sea in a luxury yacht. I left behind sub-zero winter temperatures in the UK and arrived to clear blue skies and cheerful sunshine.

The yacht that was to be my home for the week was named Elizabeth. (1)

As soon as I got aboard, I took off my shoes and enjoyed the pleasure of walking on the cool wooden deck.

After I was introduced to some of the other passengers, I was shown around the vessel by two crew members. (2)

On the first night we had a delicious evening meal which consisted of fresh fish and roasted vegetables followed by a rich chocolate cake served with vanilla ice cream. (3)

The following morning we set off on our journey; it was a wonderful feeling just sitting and watching the turquoise water slide by. Later on in the day, I went snorkelling and saw some colourful marine life. (4)

After a refreshing swim we all went back to the yacht where we had lunch. The remainder of the day was spent lazing on the deck.

During the rest of the week I learned how to sail, which was loads of fun but mostly I spent my time swimming in the sea or on the deck relaxing and chatting to the other passengers. (5)

I would definitely recommend this type of holiday to anyone who wants to get away from it all.

- A. At the end of the week, I felt completely refreshed.
- B. My cabin was very comfortable and above the deck there was a spacious dining area and a lounge with a TV.
- C. After that feast, I sat with some of the other guests watching the sun go down.
- D. Even though it was very hot during the day, in the mornings there was a chill in the air.
- E. When I caught sight of Elizabeth in the port, I experienced a thrill of excitement.
- F. Apart from lots of fish, I saw several large purple jellyfish, which I have to admit made me a bit nervous.

