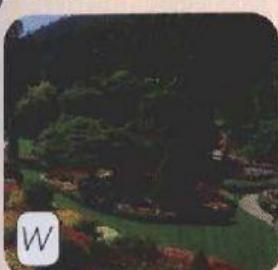


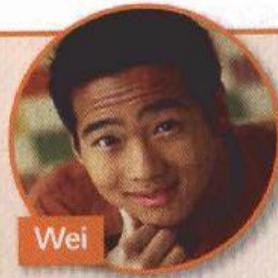
# How was your vacation?

**A** Listen. What did these people do on vacation? Write W (Wei), J (Julia), K (Katie), or R (Ryan) in the correct pictures. (There is one extra picture for each pair.)

1



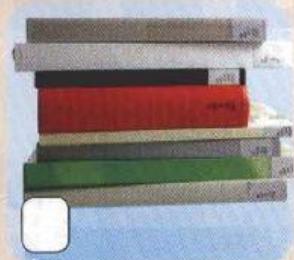
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Wei



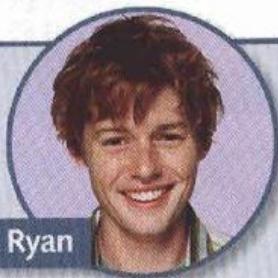
Julia



2



Katie



Ryan



DETAILS

**B** Listen again. Check (✓) two words the people use to describe their vacations.

1. Wei

wonderful  boring  
 exciting  relaxing  
 terrific  interesting

Julia

2. Katie

exciting  boring  
 fantastic  horrible  
 terrific  relaxing

Ryan

## A trip to forget

MAIN IDEA

**A**  Listen. Sara and a friend took a vacation to England. What situations is Sara talking about? Number the pictures from 1 to 5. (There is one extra picture.)



DETAILS

**B**  Listen again. What were the problems? Circle the correct information.

1. They left one day / week late.
2. They had to find another place to eat / sleep.
3. Buckingham Palace / Trafalgar Square was closed.
4. They took a bus / car there.
5. She thought the clerk said sixteen / sixty.

# My vacation

**PREPARE** **A** Think of a vacation you have taken. Where did you go? What did you do? How would you describe it? Complete the chart with notes about your vacation.

| Vacation Notes |                                                        |                                           |
|----------------|--------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------|
| Place visited  | Events and activities                                  | Examples                                  |
| Paris          | visited the Latin Quarter<br>walked around in the rain | food was terrific<br>weather was horrible |

**PRACTICE** **B** 1.  Listen and practice. Notice the pronunciation of -ed endings.

-ed = /t/

-ed = /d/

-ed = /ɪd/

help → helped

talk → talked

travel → traveled

stay → stayed

rest → rested

visit → visited

*closed*

2.  Write these words in the chart. Then listen and check your answers.

✓closed    happened    liked    needed    rented    shopped

**SPEAK** **C** Work with a partner. Talk about your vacations from Exercise A.

*Last summer, I traveled to Paris.*

*Really? What did you do there?*

*I visited the Latin Quarter. The food was terrific!*

## Listening task 1 • Information

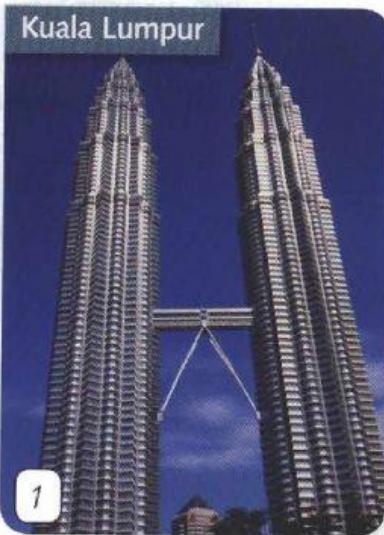
MAIN IDEA

**A**  Listen. People are talking about Malaysia. Which places are they talking about? Number the pictures from 1 to 4. (There is one extra picture.)

Sarawak



Kuala Lumpur



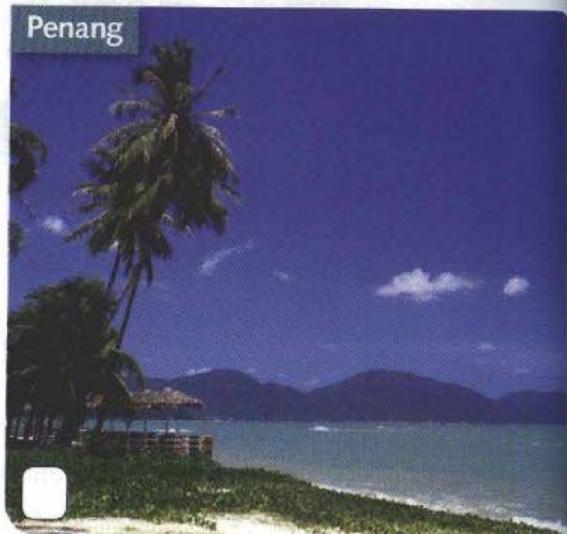
Cameron Highlands



Batu Caves



Penang



DETAILS

**B**  Listen again. Circle the correct answers.

1. This place is famous for its
  - a. shopping centers.
  - b. restaurants.
2. Tourists can see
  - a. monkeys.
  - b. waterfalls.
3. At night, this place is
  - a. quiet.
  - b. crowded.
4. In the nearby jungle, there are many
  - a. butterflies.
  - b. tigers.