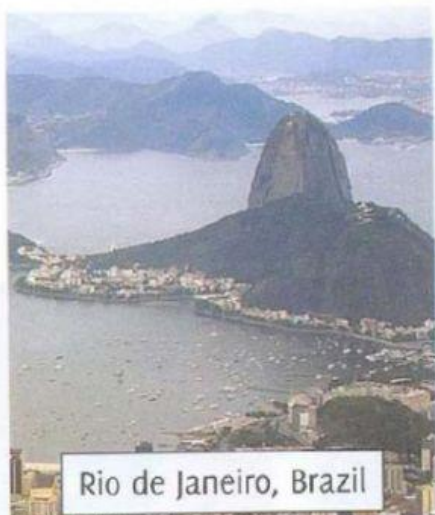
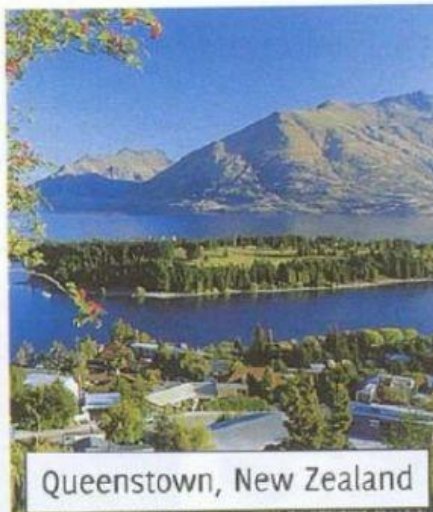


Listening When's a good time to visit?

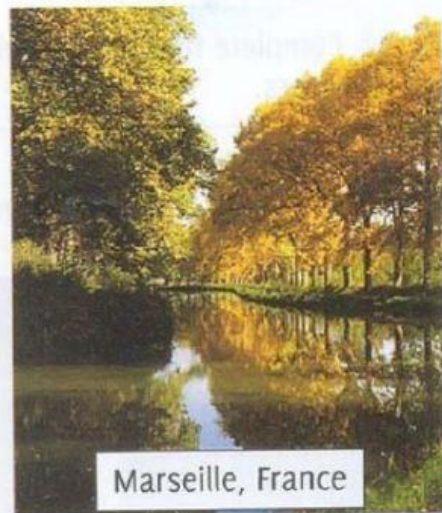
A  Listen to three people talk to friends about a good time to visit these cities. Are their friends' opinions the same or different? Circle your answers.



Rio de Janeiro, Brazil



Queenstown, New Zealand



Marseille, France

1. the same / different

2. the same / different

3. the same / different

B  Listen again. Write T (true) or F (false) next to the sentences.

1. Gabriel is from Rio de Janeiro, but Bianca isn't. F
2. It's very hot in Rio de Janeiro in February. _____
3. Patricia thinks it's fine to visit New Zealand anytime. _____
4. It's extremely cold in New Zealand in July and August. _____
5. Sophie is from Marseille. _____
6. A lot of stores and restaurants in France close in August. _____

1. *Woman 1* Hey, Gabriel and Bianca, where exactly in
are you from?
Man We're from Rio de Janeiro.
Woman 1 Is there a good time to visit? Or is anytime
OK?
Man I'd say February is a good time. It's very
then, and it rains But it's just
before Carnaval. What do you think, Bianca?

Woman 2 Yes, I think is a good month. You
can go to Carnaval and have a lot of fun. Are
you planning to visit Brazil?

Woman 1 Yes, I think so.

Man Well, I can give you names and addresses of
some . . .

2. *Woman 1* Hey, Patricia. When's a good time to go to
?

Woman 2 You're going to New Zealand?

Woman 1 Well, I think so. I want to go to Queenstown.

Woman 2 How nice. Well, I'd say anytime.

Woman 1 Anytime? Oh, OK.

Woman 2 Let's ask Danny. Danny, what do you think?
When's a good time to go to Queenstown? In
my opinion anytime is fine, but I –

Man Anytime? No, I don't think so. It's pretty
in and August, especially in
Queenstown. Go in December, January, or
Remember, that's our

Woman 1 Oh, right. And my winter . . .

3. *Man 1* Sophie, guess what?

Woman What?

Man 1 I'm going to take a French class in Marseille.

Woman Really? How

Man 1 You're from Marseille, right?

Woman Well, not exactly. I'm from *near* Marseille.
When is your class?

Man 1 In, . It's a three-week class.

Woman Oh, don't go then! All of France takes a
vacation in August.

Man 1 Really? Well, when's a good time to visit?
Maybe I can change my class.

Woman I'd say the . Prices are low then. Jean-
Paul, what are your ? Is August a
good time to visit Marseille?

Man 2 In my opinion, it's not a good time. A lot of
shops and close then. I think
is a nice time and . . .