

D. Listening & Speaking

Exercise 1: Listen to the descriptions and match them with the different kinds of holiday.

(🎧 Tracks 4.1 – 4.6)

1. City break		
2. Language exchange		
3. Sailing holiday		
4. Wildlife holiday		
5. Adventure holiday		
6. Beach holiday		

Exercise 2: Listen to people talking about activities they like to do on holiday and match them with the pictures. (🎧 Tracks 4.7 – 4.12)



1. _____



2. _____



3. _____



4. _____



5. _____



6. _____

Exercise 3: Listen to John talking about the different places he's visited. Match the countries with the main reasons he went to them. (🎧 Track 4.13)

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| 1. Turkey | ● | ● | So he could study art. |
| 2. Morocco | ● | ● | Because he loves mountain climbing. |
| 3. Italy | ● | ● | So he could improve his language skills. |
| 4. Thailand | ● | ● | So he could try the food. |
| 5. Russia | ● | ● | Because he loves beach holidays. |
| 6. Spain | ● | ● | Because his grandmother lives there. |

Exercise 4: Listen to Cristina talking about her holiday. Choose the correct answers. (⚡Track 4.14)

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| 1. Cristina usually goes on | 5. Cristina and her friends went to the |
| ○ Adventure holidays. | Palace of Versailles |
| ○ Beach holidays. | ○ By bus. |
| ○ Sailing holidays. | ○ By car. |
| 2. Cristina and her friends stayed | ○ By train. |
| ○ In a gueshouse. | 6. Cristina |
| ○ In a hotel. | ○ Didn't enjoy her holiday. |
| ○ With a family. | ○ Enjoyed her holiday. |
| 3. On the first day, Cristina and her friends visited | ○ Wasn't sure if she enjoyed her holiday. |
| ○ The Eifel Tower. | 7. Cristina thinks that Paris is |
| ○ The Louvre museum. | ○ Expensive |
| ○ The Pompidou Centre. | ○ Great. |
| 4. Cristina says that the food in the restaurant was | ○ Very clean. |

- ☐ Delicious.
- ☐ Not very good.
- ☐ Very expensive.

Exercise 5: Put the words in the correct order to make sentences. Practice saying the sentences.

1. With family we a stayed host

2. On I went trips day

3. Water parks they visited

4. Attractions I saw local

5. A cycling tour we went on

6. Travelled they by train

7. They visits cultural went on

8. And galleries visited museums we

Exercise 6: Choose the correct words to complete the sentences.

- 1 I like to go on wildlife holidays because I prefer to see animals in their delicious/ fun/ natural environment.
- 2 I'm an architect, so when I travel, I like to visit easy/ famous/ long buildings like the Burj Al Arab in Dubai.
- 3 I don't like beach holidays so going to a beach resort is very boring/ interesting/ short for me.
- 4 I love travelling to China because the food is cultural/ delicious/ quick.
- 5 I enjoy going to museums, so I often go on cultural/ delicious/ difficult visit.
- 6 When I'm on holiday, I like shopping and visiting boring/ difficult/ local markets.
- 7 I love eating, so when I go on holiday to another country, I think it's famous/ fun/ popular to try traditional food.
- 8 I think France is great. It's a very local/ natural/ popular country to visit. It has over 50 million visitors a year.

Exercise 7: Complete the sentences with *so* or *because*.

1. I love animals _____ I often go on wildlife holidays.
2. We stayed in a guest house _____ hotels are very expensive.
3. she loves sports _____ she went on an adventure holiday.
4. He wanted to improve his Italian _____ he went on a language exchange Rome.
5. They love holidays by the sea _____ they stayed at a beach resort.
6. I went on a city break to London _____ I love visiting museums.