

UNIT 1 TOURIST PLACES 7: AT THE AIRPORT

1. Read and write the corresponding word next to the definition:

window seat	Security check	check-in counter	checked baggage
information board	boarding pass	Gate number	carry-on
connecting flight/ transit flight	aisle seat	layover	boarding gate
Baggage claim area		scale	Currency exchange booth

a card or electronic ticket that shows your seat number, flight number, and boarding gate:

a seat next to the window on an airplane, where you can look outside: _____

the number of the area where you wait and board your plane: _____

a machine used to weigh luggage before checking it in: _____

the desk at the airport where you show your ticket, drop off your luggage, and get your boarding pass: _____

a small bag or suitcase that you take with you onto the plane: _____

a small counter where travelers can exchange money from one currency to another: _____

the area at the airport where passengers go to get on the plane: _____

a seat next to the walkway between rows of seats on an airplane: _____

a second flight you take after landing, to reach your final destination: _____

the process where passengers and their bags are screened to make sure they aren't carrying dangerous items: _____

the place at the airport where you collect your checked luggage after your flight: _____

a short stay in a place that you make while you are on a longer journey to somewhere else:

large luggage that you give to the airline to put in the cargo hold of the plane (not carried with you on board): _____

a large electronic screen that shows flight times, gate numbers, and delays: _____

2. Complete the following conversation using the vocabulary in Ex.1:

Linh and Tom are at the airport, getting ready for their flight to Paris

Linh: Wow, the airport is so busy today! Do you know where _____ for Air France is? We need to check in for our flight ASAP.

Tom: It's over there, next to the _____. We can change some dollars into euros after we check in.

At the check-in counter:

Linh: Hello. We're flying to Paris this morning.

Airline Staff: Good morning! Can I see your passport, please?

Linh: Sure, here you go.

Airline Staff: Thank you. Do you have any checked baggage?

Linh: Yes. And two carry-ons.

Airline staff: Alright. Please place your suitcases on the **scale**. Alright. You're all set here. Here are your

_____. Your _____ is A12.

Tom: Great, thanks! When do we board?

Airline Staff: Boarding starts at 9:45 at boarding gate A12.

Linh: Perfect. Oh, look at the _____ — it says our flight is on time.

Tom: Awesome! By the way, we have a _____ in Dubai, right?

Linh: Yeah, just a short _____ — about two hours.

Tom: Okay, let's go through the _____ before it gets crowded.

Security Officer: Please put your laptops and liquids in a separate tray.

Linh: Sure. Do I need to take off my shoes?

Security Officer: Yes, please. All right, you're good to go.

(After security check)

Tom: Let's grab a coffee while we wait. I hope we can get good seats.

Linh: I prefer the _____ — I love watching the clouds!

Tom: And I'll take the _____ so I can get up easily. Perfect match.

(After a few hours, they arrive in Dubai for their layover)

Linh: We need to find our next boarding gate for the Paris flight.

Tom: Yeah, and after we land in Paris, don't forget to go to the _____ to get our suitcases.

Linh: Right. I hope mine doesn't get lost this time!