STARTER

WELCOME!

VOCABULARY AND READING

Travel

1 **Match the words with the definitions.**

accommodation backpacking
holiday resort sightseeing
tourist attractions ~~trip~~

1 a journey where you visit a place for a short time and then come back again ___trip___
2 visiting places that are interesting because they are historical, famous, etc. _____
3 travelling or walking, carrying your things in a bag on your back _____
4 monuments or places that people on holiday like to visit _____
5 a town or place where people go on holiday, very often next to the sea _____
6 a place where you live or stay _____

2 **Complete the sentences so they are true for you. (See the *Learn to learn* tip in the Student's Book, p4.)**

1 _____ is a famous tourist attraction in my country.
2 For our accommodation on our last holiday, we stayed in _____.
3 _____ is a popular holiday resort in my country.
4 The last trip I went on was to _____.
5 In my opinion, going backpacking is a _____ way to spend your holiday.
6 I would like to go sightseeing in _____.

Music and theatre

3 **Complete the text. The first letter of each word is given.**

I was quite surprised when Ms Bayliss gave me the biggest [1]p___art___ in the school musical. It wasn't easy to learn all my [2]l_____ but, after several [3]r_____, I knew them perfectly. I was nervous on the day of the [4]s_____ because all my family were in the [5]a_____. But everything went well, and after the final [6]s_____, everyone stood up and clapped!

An interview

4 **Read the interview. What did Jed do on holiday? Choose the correct photo.**

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b 

MIA So, where did you go on holiday, Jed?
JED Italy – it was a fantastic trip!
MIA Did you stay at a holiday resort?
JED No, it was a hotel. We did a lot of sightseeing. We went to some famous tourist attractions, like the Colosseum in Rome. It was amazing!
MIA So, what was the best part of your trip?
JED Oh, that was when we saw an opera: The Barber of Seville in the *Teatro Argentina* – it's almost three hundred years old! It's an amazing place – so beautiful!
MIA But wasn't the opera in Italian?
JED Yes, it was, and most of the audience was Italian, but there were subtitles.

5 **Read the interview again and answer the questions.**

1 Where did Jed stay?
_____
2 What did Jed think of the Colosseum?
_____
3 What did Jed do in Rome?
_____
4 Why could Jed understand the opera?
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LIVEWORKSHEETS