WRITING 4.7

A blog entry

VOCABULARY PRACTICE | Sightseeing

1 Look at the vocabulary in lesson 4.7 in the Student's Book. Read the blog about Manchester and choose the correct words a–e.

BLOG

[1]Last month, I spent a day in Manchester with my friend, Emily. Today, I'm blogging about it.

Manchester [2]is the UK's third largest city and is a very popular [a]*speciality / destination*, especially for fans of fashion and music.

I met Emily on Saturday morning and we went shopping. The city has a wide [b]*attraction / selection* of shops, and [3]most people tend to visit one of the large shopping centres. But if you are looking for experimental fashions, then go to Affleck's Palace. It's [c]*a historic site / a must* – a building in the centre with lots of really cool shops.

After shopping, we were hungry, so we went to Chinatown. For Asian food, Chinatown is a [d]*must / local speciality*. [4]We had a delicious lunch.

Old Trafford football ground is one of the most popular [e]*attractions / specialities* in the city, but we went on a musical tour. Oasis and The Stone Roses come from Manchester, and if you like 90s music, [5]I would recommend doing the tour.

Manchester is a great city. Visit it if you have the chance! ☺

2 Put the words in order to make phrases. Then match them with similar phrases 1–5 in the blog.

seem / people / to ... / Most
Most people seem to ... (3)

visitors, / For / must / tour / is / the / a
1 _____ ☐

was / Lunch / fantastic!
2 _____ ☐

Last / went / month, / to ... / I
3 _____ ☐

very / a / ... is / city / big
4 _____ ☐

3 Match the sentence halves. There is one extra ending.

The Cartoon Art Museum is (g)
1 It's one of ☐
2 Most tourists tend ☐
3 I would definitely ☐
4 One of the local ☐
5 Paris is a popular tourist ☐

a destination of all the people in love.
b recommend seeing the city centre by night.
c shopping for traditional food.
d the busiest capital cities in Europe.
e to stay in smaller, cheaper hotels.
f specialities of Iceland is shark meat.
g a must for all comic lovers.

4 Add seven commas to the text about Hampstead Heath.

blog

Hampstead Heath

I've never been to Manchester but it sounds great! But I know England's capital city so I'll write about that. If you are in London you must visit Hampstead Heath Camden. Each year over 10 million visitors come to this beautiful part of England's most famous city. This ancient park is famous for its summer concerts but you can also enjoy the restaurants lakes wildlife and outdoor art gallery which make the area so special. Take a relaxing walk through nature and then climb Parliament Hill to see the spectacular panoramic [illegible]

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