3 ON HOLIDAY

ABOUT YOU

Where do you like going on holiday?
How often do you go on holiday?
Do you always go on holiday to the same place?
How do you usually get there?

VOCABULARY AND READING

Holidays: Ways of travelling

1 Match the words in the box to photos A–K.

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by bike by boat by coach on foot
by helicopter by motorbike by plane
by scooter by ship by tram
by underground

18 Listen and check. Then repeat.

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2 **Decide whether each type of transport from Exercise 1 moves in the air, on land or in the water.**

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Air	Land	Water

3. **Read the article quickly and find out where Sophie, Fred and Chris went on holiday. How did each of them get there?**

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4 Read the article again and answer the questions.

1 What does the article mean by 'first holidays'?

2 What did Sophie and Paula do when they arrived at the island?

3 What happened while they were sleeping?

4 What did Fred lose?

5 How did he pay for the coach?

6 What was the weather like when Chris and Tom were putting up the tent?

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PRONUNCIATION | Silent letters

5 In pairs, read the words aloud. Which are the silent letters?

climb	flight	guess	half
island	knew	two	where

20 Listen and check. Then repeat.

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