THE LOST BOARDING PASS

A TRAVEL-THEMED ESCAPE ROOM

LEVEL: B1 / B1+ **TIME LIMIT: 15 MINUTES** **TEAM: _____**

YOUR MISSION

"URGENT! Final boarding call for Flight BA-402 to London!"

You are at the airport, ready for your dream holiday, when you discover that your digital boarding pass is locked inside your travel agency's app. Your phone battery is at 3%, and the gate closes in just 15 minutes!

Solve the four travel challenges in your folder to discover the four-digit PIN. Enter the code to unlock your boarding pass before the plane leaves without you!

HOW TO PLAY
Complete each challenge in order. Every correct answer gives you one digit. Write the digits in the boxes at the end to reveal the final PIN.

CHALLENGE 1 — THE HOTEL BOOKING MISTAKE

Focus: Accommodation vocabulary

Read the hotel confirmation email. One word has been used incorrectly. Replace it with the correct hotel-related word and count the letters in your answer. That number is Digit 1.

Dear Guest,
Your reservation at The Grand Palace is confirmed. Check-in starts at 3.00 PM. Please present your passport and credit card at the front kitchen upon arrival.

Correct word: _____

Number of letters = Digit 1: [ ]

CHALLENGE 2 — AIRPORT ANNOUNCEMENTS

Focus: Airport vocabulary and definitions

Match the term "Baggage Claim" with the correct definition below. The number of the matching definition is Digit 2.

- 1. The place where you show your passport before entering a country.
- 2. The area where you collect your suitcases after your flight lands.
- 3. The gate where you wait to board the aircraft.
- 4. The desk where you check in and receive your boarding pass.

Digit 2: [ ]

LIVEWORKSHEETS

CHALLENGE 3 — THE SIGHTSEEING ITINERARY

Focus: Prepositions of place and movement

Complete the tour guide's message with the correct preposition. Each option has a secret number. Choose the correct option to find Digit 3.

"Tomorrow morning, we will walk _____ the historic city centre and take photos of the cathedral."

- A. around — Code: 7
- B. between — Code: 3
- C. under — Code: 9

Digit 3: [ ]

CHALLENGE 4 — THE CURRENCY & TIP RIDDLE

Focus: Money and problem-solving

You are having a coffee in a café in London. Your bill is £14. You pay with a £20 note and tell the waiter to keep £1 as a tip. How much change should you receive?

Show your calculation: _____

Digit 4: [ ]

FINAL LOCK — UNLOCK YOUR BOARDING PASS

You have solved all four challenges. Enter the digits in the correct order.

[ ] - [ ] - [ ] - [ ]

ACCESS GRANTED!

Have a safe flight and enjoy your trip to London!

LIVEWORKSHEETS

TEACHER'S ANSWER KEY

THE LOST BOARDING PASS

Keep this page separate from the student worksheet if you want learners to solve the escape room without seeing the answers.

Challenge 1 — Hotel Booking Mistake
The incorrect word is "kitchen". The correct phrase is "front desk". "Desk" has 4 letters. Digit 1 = 4.

Challenge 2 — Airport Announcements
Baggage Claim matches definition 2: the area where passengers collect their suitcases after landing. Digit 2 = 2.

Challenge 3 — Sightseeing Itinerary
The correct phrase is "walk around the historic city centre". Option A has code 7. Digit 3 = 7.

Challenge 4 — Currency & Tip Riddle
£20 – £14 – £1 = £5. Digit 4 = 5.

FINAL PIN: 4 – 2 – 7 – 5

ACTIVITY DESIGN SHEET

Learning objective	To review airport and hotel vocabulary, prepositions of movement, and basic currency calculations in a travel context.
Game mechanics	A linear, paper-based escape room. Each challenge reveals one digit of a simulated four-digit lock.
Materials	One printed worksheet per team (or a digital PDF) and a visible countdown timer.
Target level	B1 / B1+ (CEFR).
Suggested duration	15 minutes.
Answer key	4 – 2 – 7 – 5.

LIVEWORKSHEETS