

Listen and choose

/b/ or /P/ ?



3 Sounds – /p/ and /b/.

/p/

/b/

First, listen to the tapescript and practise the sounds. Then, listen to the transport words and write down in the table below whether you hear a /p/ or a /b/ sound.

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1 Over The Top Travel.

Open CB p.26 and SB ps. 26&27.

Look at the web page and answer the questions in activity 4 on page 26 of the Skills Book.

The screenshot shows a web browser window with the address <http://www.OTT.net.om>. The page is titled "Over The Top Travel" and features several travel options, each with a numbered image and a description:

- 1** Roller skating: "Keep moving! This has been a popular way to get around crowded busy city streets for years, but can be dangerous if you don't watch out. If you like wheels and speed, but don't like the pollution of cars then this is the holiday for you. Spend three days learning to roller skate at our centre in New York. Our expert trainers set out to teach beginners the moves to go safely without falling down or giving up." (Button: **CLICK HERE for more details**)
- 2** Hot air ballooning: "Don't pass up this chance to fly away for a wonderful weekend over the English countryside. Ride on gentle winds without the worry of getting anywhere fast. No noisy engine to speed you on your way. Just a couple of burners to fill up a giant balloon with hot air that help you rise up into the clouds. Let nature do the hard work of moving you around while you sit in the basket looking at the beautiful scenery below. Yes, hot air ballooning is for people who like time to pass by. Up, up and away!" (Button: **CLICK HERE for more details**)
- 3** Sailing: "If you like water and waves, then a week-long course in the Greek Islands learning how to rig up the mainsail and tie down the jib may be just for you. With wind in your hair and the seas to explore surely this way of getting about will free the adventurer in you. Speed along as fast as the wind, cruise by on the tides, throw out the anchor, or tie up at a pretty port. You choose the pace and we'll do the rest for you. Sailing boats are fun for all the family." (Button: **CLICK HERE for more details**)
- 4** Camel riding: "Really get back to basics with this way of travelling. Enjoy this four-day trip into the Wahiba Sands upon the ship of the desert. Learning to keep on the back of this animal without falling off is a challenge, but balance is the key to a comfortable journey. Climb up and set off on our Camel adventure tour." (Button: **CLICK HERE for more details**)

At the bottom of the page, there are two more buttons: **CLICK HERE for more activity holidays** and **CLICK HERE for some travellers' tales**.

4 Look and answer.

Look at the ITC web page on page 26 of the Classbook and answer the following questions. Write only the number or letter in the space provided.

- 1 Which picture is the odd one out?
- 2 Which letter shows you the web address?
- 3 Which letter shows you the cursor?
- 4 Where do you find out more about the holidays mentioned?
- 5 Where are there stories from other travellers?
- 6 Where do you find out about other holidays?

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1 Read and answer.

Read the following questions and find the answers in texts A to E on page 26 of the Classbook. Write short answers below.

- 1 Which three ways of travelling are mentioned in text A?

- 2 Where is the holiday in text B?

- 3 When is the holiday in text C?

- 4 What means of transport is mentioned in text D?

- 5 What is the challenge in text E?

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2 Your writing.

- a Complete the following table by reading the web page texts on page 26 of the Classbook. The first one has been done as an example for you.

Text	Place	Time (duration)	Means of transport
B	New York	three days	roller skates
C			
D			
E			

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