

VOCABULARY

Holidays: Ways of travelling

1 Complete the transport words with the missing vowels.

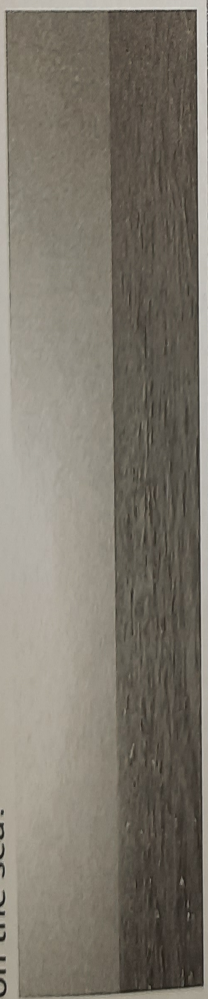
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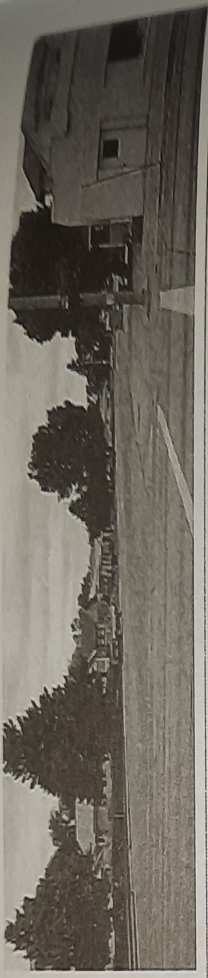
- 9 sh _ _ _ p
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- 11 _ _ _ nd _ _ _ r gr _ _ _ nd

2 Complete the table with the words in Exercise 1.

What kind of transport travels ...
on the sea?



on a road or path?



on a railway line or track?



in the sky?



plane

3 Match the sentence halves.

- 1 I need exercise so I go to school
 - 2 My dad drives me to school, but we don't have a car. I go to school across a river. I go to school stations so I go to school
 - 3 I sail from my home to school
 - 4 I live very near one of the roads, and I often dream of flying to school
 - 5 There are too many cars on the roads, and I often dream of flying to school
- a by underground.
 - b by helicopter!
 - c by motorbike.
 - d by bike or on foot.
 - e by boat.

GRAMMAR

Past simple

1 Complete the sentences with the past simple form of the verbs in brackets.

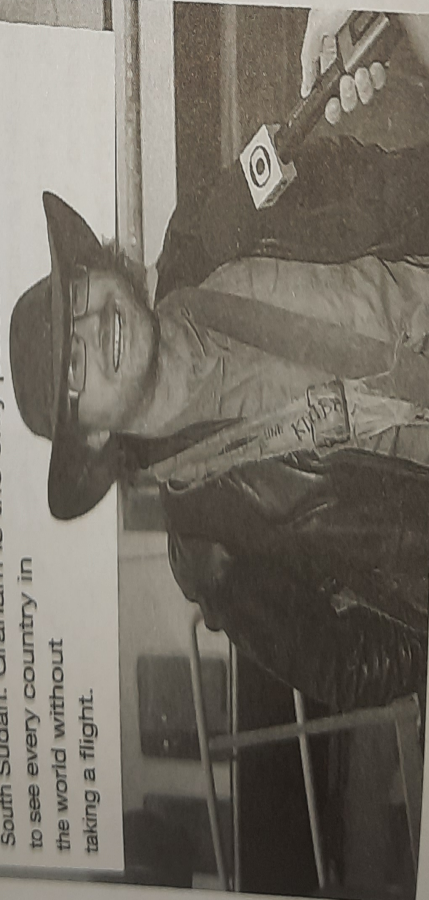
- 1 The train to London (be) really fast.
- 2 Martin's family (go) to Paris by coach because it was the cheapest way.
- 3 Jane was only 15 but she (know) more than most adults about computers.
- 4 How you (get) to Moscow?
- 5 (be) Tom in Ankara or in Istanbul last week?
- 6 We

2 Complete the article with the past simple form of the verbs in the box.

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|--------|--------|-------|----------|-------|
| arrive | be | do | not stop | spend |
| start | travel | visit | wait | |

Graham's Big Adventure

Between 2009 and 2012, Graham Hughes visited all the countries in the world. At that time, there were 201 countries. There are now only 195. Graham ¹ _____ this without taking a flight. He ² _____ by boat, bus and train, by taxi and on foot, and he ³ _____ \$100 a week on his journey. He ⁴ _____ his amazing journey on New Year's Day 2009. It was sometimes very difficult. He often ⁵ _____ for weeks for a boat. But Graham ⁶ _____ and on Monday 26th November 2012, the 1,426th day of his journey, he ⁷ _____ in the last country: South Sudan. Graham is the only person to see every country in the world without taking a flight.



3 Correct the mistakes in the sentences.

- 1 I went to Mar del Plata. I have a lovely day.
- 2 Last night I forgot my history book in your house.
- 3 I went shopping yesterday. I brought a very nice skirt and a sweater.
- 4 I liked the weather last week because it is hot

- 4 Which past simple questions need the word *did*?
- 0 Who _____ wanted to climb the old tower?
 - 1 Who _____ you see on the plane?
 - 2 Who _____ you go on holiday with?
 - 3 Who _____ flew the plane?
 - 4 Who _____ you meet at the hotel?
 - 5 Who _____ found the bags?
 - 6 Who _____ spoke to the passengers?

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Holiday vocabulary

1 Put the letters in the correct order to make holiday words. The first letter is given.

- 1 p m a _____ m
- 2 s t e g u _____ g
- 3 t r o i s v i _____ v
- 4 s c u a i s t e _____ s
- 5 g e u l g a g _____ l
- 6 p r t c i e i o s e t n _____ r
- 7 s u t r o i t _____ t
- 8 u d o g i k e b o _____ g

2 Complete the text with words in Exercise 1.



Highland Hotel

Dear 1 _____,

Welcome to your room at the Highland Hotel! We hope you enjoy staying here.

Everything you need is here at the hotel: two excellent restaurants, two pools and an exercise room.

You will find the rooms are large, with extra space for all your 2 _____ in the cupboard next to the bathroom.

Please also remember that 3 _____ S to the museum and the theatre get a 25% discount if they are staying with us. We can give you a 4 _____ of the town so you can easily find these places.

You will also find a small 5 _____ with information about other local tourist attractions in your room.

Please phone the 6 _____ if there is anything else you need. He or she will be happy to help.

From _____