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ABOUT YOU

In pairs, ask and answer the questions.
How do you get to school?
Do you walk with your friends?



VOCABULARY AND READING

Transport

1 Match the words in the box to the photos A-J.



bike boat bus car coach plane
taxi train tram Underground



Listen, check and repeat.

2 Match the transport words in Exercise 1 to the sentences.

- This can take a lot of people from one place to another. It travels on the ground but not on roads.
- This travels on roads in cities. A lot of people travel on this at the same time.
- This is in many big cities. It travels on and under the ground.
- This carries people in the air.
- This has two wheels and travels on and off roads.
- This often takes about four people. The passengers pay the driver.
- This carries people on water.
- This takes people from one city to another. It travels on roads.
- This carries people in big cities. It travels on the ground but not on roads.
- This can carry one or more people on the roads. No one pays the driver.

3 Read the text about transport in London. Complete the sentences with the words from Exercise 1. Use each word once.

4 Read the text again. Are the sentences right (✓) or wrong (X)?

- You can use a contactless card to pay on river boats.
- There are under 200 Tube stations.
- Buses with two floors are called double-decker buses.
- You can travel by noisy trams in London.
- Taxi drivers only know the streets in the centre of London.
- Cars can't use the cycle path by the River Thames.



5 Ask and answer with your partner.

Which kind of transport from Exercise 1 do you have in your town or city?
Which kind of transport do you usually use?
Which kind of transport do you never use?

GETTING AROUND LONDON



- The first thing you need when you get there is a contactless card. You can use the card to pay for journeys on buses, boats and the Underground in London.
- Everyone knows the London ¹ _____ or Tube. You never need to walk very far because there are 11 lines and over 200 Underground stations. Get a Tube map and plan your journey.
- Travel on a red, double-decker London ² _____. They're great because they have two floors and you can see famous buildings from the top floor.
- You can travel by ³ _____, too. There are five short journeys on the River Thames.

