

TRAVELLING AND HOLIDAYS:

TYPES OF HOLIDAYS

- activity holiday
- adventure holiday
- babymoon
- bank holiday
- beach holiday
- break
- camping holiday
- Christmas holiday
- city holiday
- daycation
- Easter holiday
- family holidays
- gap year
- getaway
- honeymoon
- house swap holiday
- independent travel
- luxury holiday
- minibreak
- one-day trip
- package holiday
- R and R
- relaxing holiday
- river/sea cruise
- road trip
- safari
- sailing holiday
- sightseeing holiday
- spring break
- staycation
- summer cap
- summer holiday
- walking tour
- weekend trip

THINGS YOU MAY NEED

- adaptor
- binocular
- book
- brush
- camera
- cap
- cards
- charger
- clothes
- comb
- credit card
- dictionary
- first aid kit
- foreign currency
- guidebook
- hair dryer
- hat
- holiday brochure
- identity card
- insurance card
- laptop
- make-up
- map
- memory card
- mobile
- money
- MP3 player
- passport
- postcards
- pyjamas
- raincoat
- razor
- sandals
- shoes
- souvenir
- sunglasses
- to exchange money
- toiletries
- toothbrush
- toothpaste
- trainers
- travel agent's/agency
- video camera
- visa

TYPES OF ACCOMODATION

- apartment
- bed and breakfast (B&B)
- bungalow
- campsite
- caravan
- chalet
- farm
- flat
- guesthouse
- hostel
- hotel
- house swap
- houseboat
- inn
- lodge
- log cabin
- resort
- self-catering accommodation
- tent
- tree house
- villa
- youth hostel

ACCOMMODATION

- air conditioning
- all-inclusive
- amenities
- bath
- car park
- dorm
- en-suite bathroom
- full-board
- gym
- half-board
- internet access
- laundry service
- lift
- lobby
- minibar
- reception
- restaurant
- room service
- safe
- sauna
- self-catering
- shower
- swimming pool
- to book a room
- to check in
- to check out
- to pay the bill
- to stay

LUGGAGE

- backpack
- briefcase
- bum bag
- carry-on luggage
- duffel bag / holdall bag
- handbag
- hand-luggage
- rucksack
- shoulder bag
- suitcase
- to pack
- to unpack
- toilet bag (Am E: toiletry bag)
- trunk
- wheeled backpack
- wheeled duffel

THINGS YOU CAN DO

- to book (a hotel/a trip)
- to go on a guided tour
- to go sightseeing
- to hire
- to rent
- to spend money
- to spend time
- to stay in (accommodation)
- to take photos
- to visit the main landmarks

DESCRIBING PLACES

- (un)welcoming
- a holiday of a lifetime
- a tourist trap
- barren deserts
- beautiful
- breathtaking
- challenging
- comfortable
- cosy
- crowded
- dull
- green
- homemade meals
- hordes of tourists
- in the middle of nowhere
- lively
- lovely
- lush
- luxurious
- modern
- out of season
- picturesque
- polluted
- quaint
- snow-capped
- stunning
- the landscape
- the scenery
- tourist attractions
- traditional
- tropical
- ugly
- unforgettable
- unspoilt

AT THE AIRPORT

- air hostess
- airport terminal
- aisle
- baggage drop off
- baggage reclaim
- boarding pass
- cabin crew
- check-in desk
- connecting flight
- customs
- delay
- departure
- departures board
- direct flight
- domestic flight
- gate
- jet lag
- long-haul flight
- pilot
- plane ticket
- runway
- seat belts
- security control
- to fasten
- to fill in the immigration form
- to get off
- to get on
- to land
- to take off
- turbulence
- VIP lounge

ON THE BEACH

- beach ball
- beach dune
- beach towel
- bikini
- cliff
- coastline
- flip-flops
- flippers
- goggles
- ice cream
- island
- lifeguard
- lighthouse
- mask
- palm tree
- pebbly beach
- sand castle
- sandy beach
- sarong
- snorkel
- sunscreen
- swimsuit
- to collect shells
- to dive
- to get sunburnt
- to get tanned
- to sail
- to scuba dive
- to sunbathe
- to surf
- to swim
- to watch the sunset
- to watch the tide
- to windsurf
- touristy beach
- tropical beach
- trunks
- umbrella
- unspoilt beach

CAMPING

- backpack/rucksack
- backpacker
- campfire
- camping stove
- campsite
- caravan
- compass
- folding chair
- forest
- insect repellent/spray
- map
- river
- sleeping bag
- tent
- the woods
- to climb mountains
- to fish
- to hike
- to put up a tent
- to see the wildlife
- to trek
- torch
- walking boots

IDIOMS & EXPRESSIONS

- a dime a dozen
- the hustle and bustle
- the peace and quiet
- to be bitten by the travel bug
- to be homesick
- to experience real culture shock
- to go as an independent traveller
- to go off the beaten track
- to have itchy feet
- to wonder around