

Listening and Speaking: My Favorite Vacation

Listen as I read a short report about my vacation in Lebanon (a small country in the Middle East on the Mediterranean Ocean). I will read the text three times.

For the **first time through**, just listen; don't take any notes.

On the **second time through**, use the space below to write down any words or phrases that you don't know, any questions you have in general, or any notes you want to take.

On the **third time through**, try to follow along and answer these questions.

1. How long did I spend in Lebanon on vacation? _____
2. What's special about the cedars in Lebanon? _____
3. What did my friends and I do in Jbeil? _____
4. What did we do for dinner in Beirut? _____
5. Why did I miss a day of the vacation? _____

After I finish reading, work as a group to check your answers and fill in any missing gaps.

