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5 days to become a better listener

Day 1

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Tim

Hello and welcome to Day 1 of '5 days to become a better listener'! Here's my first tip of the week:

Tim's Tip

One way of making listening easier is to predict what you might hear in situations or in conversations about certain topics. So, in a programme about tourism, you might expect to hear words like 'sightsee' or 'flight'.

Now make your own list of vocabulary you would expect to hear in a programme about tourism.

Tourism vocabulary

1. _____.
2. _____.
3. _____.
4. _____.
5. _____.
6. _____.

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Listen to the programme and check to see if the words on your list were said. Join Tim tomorrow to compare your list with his, get a new tip and try another task to improve your listening!