

**Track 45**

- 1 Would you feel nervous about going on holiday alone?
- 2 Do you enjoy travelling with your family?
- 3 Are you scared of flying?
- 4 Have you been away this year?
- 5 Do you like to try and learn the language of the country you're travelling to?
- 6 Are there any differences between what young people like to do on holiday and what older people like to do?
- 7 Did you have a good time on your last holiday?
- 8 Do you mind roughing it?
- 9 If you won £1,000,000, would you spend it on a round-the-world trip?

**Track 46**

Is your country popular with tourists?

What sights and activities would you recommend to a tourist visiting your town or region?

Do you enjoy active holidays?

Tell me what your ideal holiday would be.

**Sample answers:**

**Examiner:** Is your country popular with tourists?

**Candidate:** Oh yes, it is. It's a key tourist destination. It isn't popular with sunseekers because, well, we don't get a lot of sun, but people who are into culture and history love it. We get millions of visitors every year.

**Examiner:** What sights and activities would you recommend to a tourist visiting your town or region?

**Candidate:** There are a great number of ancient sites near here, for example burial mounds and stone circles. They're fascinating and I wouldn't hesitate to recommend them to anyone. Luckily, it's actually better if the weather is misty or dismal when you're visiting those sites because it just adds to the atmosphere!

**Examiner:** Do you enjoy active holidays?

**Candidate:** Yes, I certainly do. I hate just sitting on a beach. I love hiking. Last year I went hiking in Nepal with some friends. It was incredibly tough but really rewarding and I got very fit and trim. We want to do something similar next year if we can save enough money.

**Examiner:** Tell me what your ideal holiday would be.

**Candidate:** My ideal holidays are when I discover new things, so I wouldn't say I have one ideal holiday in mind. But it's true that I would love to go to South America, especially Peru. I believe it's great for hikers and the landscape just looks breathtaking. I speak some Spanish too so I could communicate with the locals.

**Track 47****Sample answers:**

**Candidate:** I'd like to tell you about the time I went backpacking around Spain. I can't quite believe it but it was over a decade ago now. Two friends and I got very good-value rail passes and travelled around Spain for three months. It was an unforgettable experience.

We started off in Madrid because that's where we landed. We did some sightseeing – we especially loved the parks – and we ate and drank lots – our favourite thing was, of course, the delicious ham. We liked the nightlife in Madrid, too, not least eating out – it