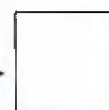


## A

We say **go/come/travel** (etc.) **to** a place or event. For example:

<b>go to</b> China	<b>go to</b> bed	<b>come to</b> my house
<b>go back to</b> Italy	<b>go to</b> the bank	<b>be taken to</b> hospital
<b>return to</b> London	<b>go to</b> a concert	<b>be sent to</b> prison
<b>welcome</b> somebody <b>to</b> a place		<b>drive to</b> the airport

TO



- ☐ When are your friends **going back to** Italy? (*not* going back in Italy)
- ☐ Three people were injured in the accident and **taken to** hospital.
- ☐ **Welcome to** our country! (*not* Welcome in)

In the same way we say 'a **journey to** / a **trip to** / a **visit to** / on **my way to** ...' etc.:

- ☐ Did you enjoy **your trip to** Paris / **your visit to** the zoo?

Compare **to** (for *movement*) and **in/at** (for *position*):

- ☐ They are **going to** France. *but* They **live in** France.
- ☐ Can you **come to** the party? *but* I'll **see you at** the party.

We say **been to** a place or an event:

- ☐ I've **been to Italy** four times, but I've never **been to Rome**.
- ☐ Amanda has never **been to a football match** in her life.

## B

## Get and arrive

We say **get to** a place:

- ☐ What time did they **get to London** / **to work** / **to the hotel**?

But we say **arrive in** ... or **arrive at** ... (*not* arrive to).

We say **arrive in** a town, city or country:

- ☐ They **arrived in London** / **in Spain** a week ago.

For other places (buildings etc.) or events, we say **arrive at**:

- ☐ When did they **arrive at the hotel** / **at the airport** / **at the party**?

## C

## Home

We say **go home** / **come home** / **get home** / **arrive home** / **on the way home** etc. (no preposition).

We do not say 'to home':

- ☐ I'm tired. Let's **go home** now. (*not* go to home)
- ☐ I met Lisa **on my way home**. (*not* my way to home)

## D

## Into

**Go into, get into** ... etc. = enter (a room / a building / a car etc.):

- ☐ I opened the door, **went into** the room and sat down.
- ☐ A bird **flew into** the kitchen through the window.
- ☐ Every month, my salary **is paid** directly **into** my bank account.

INTO



With some verbs (especially **go/get/put**) we often use **in** (instead of **into**):

- ☐ She **got in** the car and drove away. (*or* She **got into** the car ...)
- ☐ I read the letter and **put it** back **in** the envelope.

The opposite of **into** is **out of**:

- ☐ She **got out of** the car and **went into** a shop.

We usually say '**get on/off** a bus / a train / a plane' (*not usually* into/out of):

- ☐ She **got on the bus** and I never saw her again.