Talking about holidays

SPEAKING

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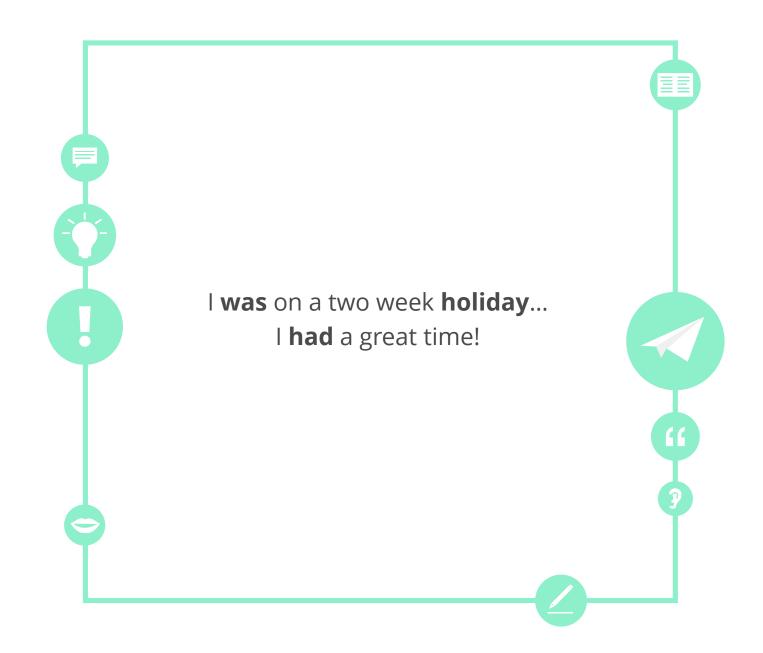




Goals

- Can use new vocabulary to discuss traveling and directions with colleagues
- Can use the past simple to give a simple description of a previous holiday







Preview and warm-up

■ In this lesson, you will practise talking about **going on holiday**.



We went to Madrid this spring on holiday.







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The **t** sound in these words is **unvoiced**.







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The **d** sound in these words is **voiced**.



Focus on spelling

Write a list of words beginning with *t* and *d*.

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Do you remember these words?

holiday

local food

beach

sightseeing



to travel

to fly

to pack

holiday spot



Sentence examples



We go on holiday every summer.

We like to travel to new places every year.





We usually fly. It's the best way to travel!

We pack the essentials: tickets, passports and clothes.





My favourite vacation spot



Our favourite holiday spot so far was Thailand.

There was lots to do and the beaches were beautiful.





We went sightseeing and visited lots of temples.

And the local food tasted delicious!





Order the pictures



a. fly



c. pack



b. unpack



d. beach

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____



Getting ready for a trip

What do you always pack in your suitcase when you go on holiday?



clothes cell phone

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food

sports

equipment

phone laptop

make-up toothbrush

guide book phrase book

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My perfect holiday

Imagine you are describing your ideal holiday to a colleague. Use the phrases below to help you.



My ideal holiday spot is...

There are lots of...

My favourite thing to do is...





Think of **five activities** you love to do **on holiday.**

Share your ideas with the group.



Describe these pictures









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Look at the quote below. What do you think it means? Do you agree or disagree with it?



Take holidays, go to as many different places as you can! You can always make money, you can't make memories!







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Imagine you are...

... at a conference and making small talk. You say to another person that you went on holiday last month. Act out the situation with a classmate, who is the other person at the conference.

- Tell them where you went to and what you did there.
- Then change roles!







Game

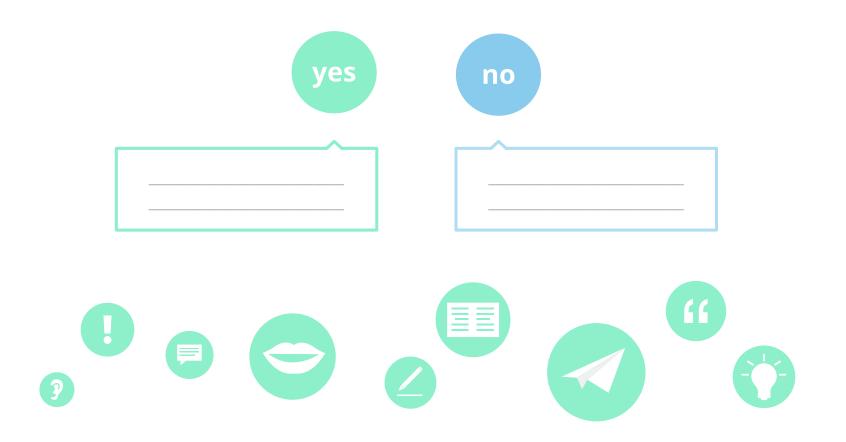
- Think of a word from this lesson and tell a classmate.
- Your classmate must put the word in a sentence!

I take a **train** to work every day.



Reflect on the goals

Go back to the second slide of the lesson and check if you have achieved all the goals of the lesson.



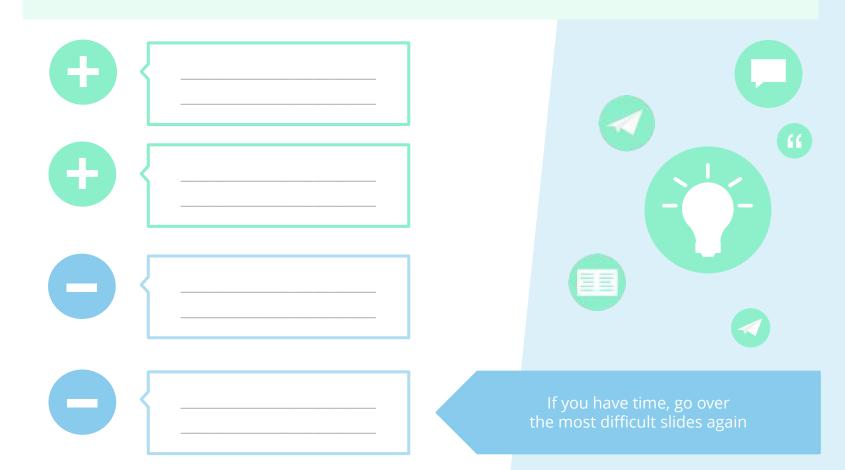
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Reflect on this lesson

Think about everything you have seen in this lesson. What were the most difficult activities or words? The easiest?





Answer key

Exercise 1, p.20
1. C
2. A
3. B
4. D





Match the sentences

1. I go on holiday...

a. and the beaches were beautiful.

2. We like to travel to...

b. favourite vacation spot?

3. We usually fly...

c. new places every year.

4. Our favourite holiday spot so far...

d. was Thailand.

5. There was lots to do...

e. suitcase the night before a trip.

6. Where's your...

f. every summer with my girlfriend.

7. I pack my...

g. it's the fastest way to travel!

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Imagine a conversation

Imagine a conversation between you and a friend. Write a dialogue using the phrases and words on page 17.

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	beach	
local food		
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sightseeing	to pack	
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Homework answer key





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