Reading Passage: A Fun Day at the Beach (Travel Itinerary 1)

Today, we are going to have a fun day at the beach! Let's follow our travel itinerary to make sure we don't miss anything.

First, we pack our bags. We need swimsuits, towels, sunscreen, hats, and a beach ball.

Mom reminds us to bring a bottle of water and some snacks too. We don't want to get thirsty or hungry while we play.

Next, we drove to the beach. It's a sunny day, and we are excited. Dad plays our favorite songs in the car, and we all sing along.

When we arrive at the beach, the first thing we do is find a good spot. We spread out our towels and set up the umbrella. It's important to have some shade.

Then, we put on our sunscreen. Mom helps us make sure we cover all our skin to protect us from the sun. We also put on our hats to keep our heads cool.

Now, it's time to play! We run to the water and splash around. The waves are fun, and we laugh a lot. After swimming, we build sandcastles. Dad shows us how to make tall towers and deep moats.

For lunch, we eat the snacks we brought. We have sandwiches, fruit, and cookies. It's nice to sit under the umbrella and enjoy our food.

After lunch, we play with our beach ball. We toss it back and forth and try to keep it from touching the ground. It's a lot of fun!

As the sun starts to set, we pack up our things. We make sure to clean up our trash and leave the beach clean. We drove back home, feeling happy and tired from our fun day.

Multiple Choice Questions

1. What is the first thing they pack for the beach? A. Sunscreen B. Swimsuits C. Towels D. Hats 2. What does Mom remind everyone to bring? A. Books B. Water and snacks C. Toys D. Sunglasses 3. How do they get to the beach? A. By bike B. By bus C. By car D. By walking 4. What do they do first when they arrive at the beach? A. Go swimming B. Find a good spot and set up C. Play with the beach ball D. Eat lunch 5. What do they set up for shade? A. A tent B. A beach ball C. An umbrella D. A kite 6. Why do they put on sunscreen? A. To look shiny B. To smell nice

C. To protect their skin from the sun

D. To dry their skin

- 7. What activity do they do after swimming?
 - A. Fly a kite
 - B. Build sandcastles
 - C. Eat lunch
 - D. Play with the beach ball
- 8. What do they have for lunch?
 - A. Pizza
 - B. Sandwiches, fruit, and cookies
 - C. Hot dogs
 - D. Ice cream
- 9. What game do they play with the beach ball?
 - A. Keep it from touching the ground
 - B. Volleyball
 - C. Soccer
 - D. Dodgeball
- 10. What do they make sure to do before leaving the beach?
 - A. Collect seashells
 - B. Fly a kite
 - C. Clean up their trash
 - D. Build another sandcastle

Answers and Explanations

- 1. **B. Swimsuits** Explanation: Swimsuits are among the first things they pack for the beach.
- 2. **B. Water and snacks** Explanation: Mom reminds everyone to bring water and snacks.
- 3. **C. By car** Explanation: They drive to the beach in a car.
- 4. **B. Find a good spot and set up** Explanation: When they arrive, they first find a good spot and set up.
- 5. **C. An umbrella** Explanation: They set up an umbrella for shade.
- 6. **C. To protect their skin from the sun** Explanation: They put on sunscreen to protect their skin from the sun.
- 7. **B. Build sandcastles** Explanation: After swimming, they build sandcastles.
- 8. **B. Sandwiches, fruit, and cookies** *Explanation: They have sandwiches, fruit, and cookies for lunch.*
- 9. **A. Keep it from touching the ground** Explanation: They play a game where they try to keep the beach ball from touching the ground.
- 10. **C. Clean up their trash** Explanation: Before leaving, they make sure to clean up their trash.