

Did you enjoy your holiday?

(LEVEL B1)

Part 1: WARM-UP

EX.1. Look at the pictures below and answer the following questions. Compare your ideas with your partner:

- a) Where is it?
- b) Where would you like to spend your holiday and why?
- c) What are possible advantages and disadvantages of each holiday location?

A.



B.



Source: pixabay.com

EX.2. Label the things you see in the pictures. Use the following words:

to go sightseeing (v), nightlife (n), sandy (adj), fresh air (n), relaxing (adj), busy (adj), crowded (adj), green spaces (n), skyscrapers (n), waves (n), palm tree (n), exciting (adj)

Part 2: WATCHING

Source: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=x4aLHA6-coU>

EX3.a You will listen to different people talking about their holidays. Fill in the chart below with the information you hear. Try to write down the adjectives that people use to describe their holiday experience.

	What kind of holidays do you like?		Where did you go on your last holiday?
Speaker #1		Speaker #1	
Speaker #2		Speaker #2	
Speaker #3		Speaker #3	
Speaker #4		Speaker #4	
Speaker #5		Speaker #5	
Speaker #6		Speaker #6	
Speaker #7		Speaker #7	
Speaker #8		Speaker #8	
Speaker #9		Speaker #9	
		Speaker #10	

EX. 3.b Using the adjectives from the previous exercise answer the same questions with your partner.

Part 3: VOCABULARY

EX.4. Match the expressions used in the video.

A. landmark	a. a short holiday spent in a city
B. city-break	b. in particular
C. especially	c. attractive or enjoyable
D. sights	d. a well-known object f.e. in a city
E. lovely	e. interesting things to see

EX.5. Now use the expressions to fill in the sentences below.

1. Paris has many famous such as the Eiffle Tower or the Cathedral of Notre-Damme.
2. When we went to Thailand last year we had a time.
3. The city of London has a lot of interesting that you should see when you visit.
4. Last month we went on a to Berlin. We only spent 3 days there but it was great fun!
5. I don't enjoy eating seafood, prawns!

Part 4: AFTER WATCHING:

EX.5. Using the vocabulary from EX. 2 & 4 write a postcard to your friend describing your holiday. Make sure you include:

- a) the location and where you are staying (hotel/hostel/campsite?)
- b) whether you are enjoying your holiday or not
- c) any landmarks/sights you saw
- d) some information about food, weather, your daily activities etc.