

World English 1: Unit 6

Instructions: *Read. Then complete each sentence with three words from the text.*

A Terrible Vacation

Last month, my wife, Candy, and I took a three-night vacation to an island hotel. It was the worst vacation ever!

First, we flew to the island in a small plane. My wife got sick because the plane was bouncing up and down so much. Then, at our hotel, they told us that they didn't have our reservation. They put us in another room, but it was small and dirty. We asked for a different room, but they didn't have one. After that, we went to dinner at the hotel restaurant. The food was terrible, so we didn't finish our meals.

The next day we took a bus tour. There was nothing to see from the bus except the trees on both sides of the road. Later that day, we learned that it only takes 55 minutes to walk around the entire island, so the bus tour was a waste of time and money.

The last day wasn't so bad. We saw a lot of birds and took hundreds of photos. We also found a restaurant where the food was great. We looked for souvenirs at the one store in town, but we didn't buy anything. This was definitely not my favorite vacation!

1. One of the travelers felt ill because the _____ around too much.
2. The travelers were unhappy because they were given a _____ room.
3. Another problem with the hotel was that the _____ in the restaurant.
4. The last day was better. The travelers took pictures, ate good food, and _____ at a store.

Instructions: Track 12 | *Listen to the conversation. Then write T (true) or F (false) for each statement.*

- _____ 5. The men just returned from a vacation in Italy.
- _____ 6. Stanley traveled by bus during his vacation.
- _____ 7. Stanley enjoyed seeing art in Florence.
- _____ 8. Stanley bought a souvenir for his friend from a store in Rome.

Instructions: *Complete each sentence with one or two words/phrases from the list. Sometimes more than one answer is possible. Words/Phrases can be used more than once.*

bus tour
car
cruise
famous places
hotel
local food
money
photos
reservation
souvenirs
suitcases
walk

9. We stayed at an expensive _____ near the beach.
10. I ate a lot of _____ during my trip to Vietnam.
11. She only packed two _____ for her weekend trip.
12. We spent too much _____ on these T-shirts and other
_____!
13. They took a very nice _____ around the old part of the city followed by a river
_____.

Instructions: *Choose the correct answers.*

- _____ 14. We had an _____ trip to the Azores.
a. amazing
b. awful
c. both a and b
- _____ 15. I recently read a _____ book about traveling.
a. spotless
b. fascinating
c. both a and b
- _____ 16. She washed her _____ clothes after the trip.
a. filthy
b. exhausting
c. both a and b

Instructions: *Write simple past sentences using the words in parentheses.*

Example

(Tom / not / visit)

Tom didn't visit his friend's house yesterday.

17. (they / see)

18. (you / buy)

19. (she / fly)

20. (I / rent)

21. (we / not / stay)

Instructions: Complete each sentence with the correct simple past form of the verb to be. If there is a (not) in parentheses, use the negative form.

Example

I _____ very tired after my trip.

I was very tired after my trip.

22. You _____ excited about the tour of the city.

23. _____ the beach crowded when you went?

24. They _____ (not) very happy with their meal.

Instructions: Complete the tasks.

25. Write a short paragraph (50–75 words) about a place you recommend people visit in your home country. What is it called? Where is it? What is special about this place? Add any other important information.

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Answer Section

1. ANS: plane was bouncing

PTS: 1 OBJ: Reading

2. ANS: small and dirty

PTS: 1 OBJ: Reading

3. ANS: food was terrible

PTS: 1 OBJ: Reading

4. ANS: looked for souvenirs

PTS: 1 OBJ: Reading

5. ANS: F PTS: 1 OBJ: Listening
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6. ANS: T PTS: 1 OBJ: Listening
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7. ANS: T PTS: 1 OBJ: Listening
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8. ANS: F PTS: 1 OBJ: Listening
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9. ANS: hotel

PTS: 1 OBJ: Vocabulary

10. ANS: local food

PTS: 1 OBJ: Vocabulary

11. ANS: suitcases

PTS: 1 OBJ: Vocabulary

12. ANS: money, souvenirs

PTS: 1 OBJ: Vocabulary

13. ANS:
bus tour, cruise
walk, cruise

PTS: 1 OBJ: Vocabulary

14. ANS: C PTS: 1 OBJ: Vocabulary

15. ANS: B PTS: 1 OBJ: Vocabulary

16. ANS: A PTS: 1 OBJ: Vocabulary

17. ANS:

(Answers will vary. Award point if simple past is formed correctly within positive/negative statement or a *yes/no*/information question.) They saw a movie last week.

- PTS: 1 OBJ: Grammar TOP: Simple Past
18. ANS:
(Answers will vary. Award point if simple past is formed correctly within positive/negative statement or a *yes/no*/information question.) Did you buy a present for Jack's birthday?
- PTS: 1 OBJ: Grammar TOP: Simple Past
19. ANS:
(Answers will vary. Award point if simple past is formed correctly within positive/negative statement or a *yes/no*/information question.) She flew to Chicago for a business meeting.
- PTS: 1 OBJ: Grammar TOP: Simple Past
20. ANS:
(Answers will vary. Award point if simple past is formed correctly within positive/negative statement or a *yes/no*/information question.) I rented a car to drive to my sister's house.
- PTS: 1 OBJ: Grammar TOP: Simple Past
21. ANS:
(Answers will vary. Award point if simple past is formed correctly within positive/negative statement or a *yes/no*/information question.) We didn't stay at the hotel because it was too expensive.
- PTS: 1 OBJ: Grammar TOP: Simple Past
22. ANS: were
- PTS: 1 OBJ: Grammar TOP: Simple Past of to be
23. ANS: Was
- PTS: 1 OBJ: Grammar TOP: Simple Past of to be
24. ANS:
weren't
were not
- PTS: 1 OBJ: Grammar TOP: Simple Past of to be
25. ANS:
Answers will vary.
- PTS: 1 OBJ: Writing