

Travel Conversation Questions

Warm-up Task:

Name as many countries as you can within two minutes.

Discussion Questions:

1. Have you traveled abroad? Where have you been? If you haven't been overseas, which country would you most like to visit?
2. Where did you go on your last trip? Talk about where you went and what you did.
3. What is the best place for a vacation in your country? Why is it good?
4. What is the longest time you have been away from home? Did you feel homesick?
5. How long should a vacation be? How long does it take you to really relax?
6. What forms of transportation do you prefer to use when you travel?
7. How do you choose where to go? Are you inspired by other people's travel stories? Or photos? Or advertising?
8. What's more important to you when you travel - comfort and relaxation, or *stimulating* new experiences?
9. Do you like to try local foods when you go somewhere? Have you ever had something really delicious?
10. Things can go wrong when you travel. Have you had any bad travel experiences?
11. Do you take a lot with you when you travel? Or do you try to *pack light*?
12. Which places in the world do you think are too dangerous to visit? Why are they dangerous?
13. What is the best age to travel? Can children appreciate the experience?
14. What are the advantages and disadvantages of traveling alone?
15. What kind of accommodation do you like to stay in when you travel?
16. Do you like to talk to the local people when you travel? Why or why not?
17. Would you like to go to a big international event, such as the Olympics or an international film festival? What would be good or bad about attending such an event?
18. Choose between these holidays and explain your choice:
 - Touring the remains of an ancient civilization
 - A relaxing stay at a beach resort
 - Shopping in a busy city

