Hello! How’s everybody today?
Today’s topic is holidays. Describe the pictures. Do you prefer holidays in the mountains or at the beach? Explain why.

When did you last go on holiday? Tell us about it. Who did you go with? Where? Why and what did you do?

Before we go any further let’s just get a few things straight. Here are some words you are going to need to talk about holidays. Say each sentence completing it with a word from the list.

Right, good, now we can go on. Remember not to get them mixed up though.

Describe the picture on the left
Do you think the person who went here had a good holiday or not?
What is your best holiday memory? Tell us about it.
Now describe the picture on the right
Do you think the person who stayed here was pleased with their view?
T What is your worst holiday memory? Tell us about it.
S answer(s)

Click for the structure and two ovals with vocab.
T Now make exclamations about your best and worst holiday memories using the structure given.
S answer(s)

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Slide 4 Forms of transport

Show everything

T What forms of transport are shown in the three photos?
S answer(s)

T Right, Have you ever travelled by plane, ferry or train and where did you go?
S answer(s)

T Compare the advantages and disadvantages of each form of transport using the help given.
S answer(s)

T Which form of transport would you use to travel from Paris to London and why?
S answer(s)

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Slide 5 Booking a holiday

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T Imagine you want to book a hotel room. Practise what you would say.
S answer(s)

T Now imagine you want to book a flight. Invent your destination, dates and practise what you would say.
S answer(s)

T Now ask the price of the ticket.
S answer(s)

How much does the flight cost?
Now give the information needed to fill in the form.

S answer(s)

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Slide 6 Where to stay

T Where do you usually stay when you go on holiday?

S answer(s)

T What are the advantages of this kind of accommodation?

S answer(s)

T Now describe the different kinds of accommodation shown and compare the advantages and disadvantages.

S answer(s)

T Can you think of some more original forms of accommodation.

S answer(s)

T OK. It’s also possible to stay in tree houses, igloos or gypsy caravans too.

Would you be inspired by any of those? Explain why or why not.

S answer(s)

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Slide 7 Getting ready to go

T Describe the picture on the top left.

S answer(s)

T How do you pack a suitcase? Do you fold the clothes neatly or do you just throw everything in?

S answer(s)

T Remember to weigh you case if you are travelling by plane and don’t forget your passport if you are going abroad.

S answer(s)

T Can you think of anything else you will need if you are going to England, the USA or Canada or indeed China or India?

S answer(s)
Foreign currency

T That’s right, if you are going to any country outside the Euro zone you will need to get some foreign currency. What is the currency used in England?
S answer (s)

Click for pic of British currency

T Right, here’s a picture of some English currency. What about the currency used in the USA?
S answer (s)

T OK. What else will you need to take if you are going to a hot country?
S answer (s)

T And if you are going to a cold country?
S answer (s)

T What kind of traveller are you? Do you like travelling light or do you tend to take everything but the kitchen sink?
S answer (s)

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Slide 8  Departures

Click for pic of watch and left text box

T If you are flying you don’t want to miss your flight. Make a sentence with each phrase in the word box to explain what would happen if…
S answer (s)
If you are early you will have to wait around.
If you arrive on time you will be relaxed about travelling.
If you arrive late you will be stressed and you could miss your flight.
If you leave plenty of time you will allow for unexpected mishaps.
If you arrive at the last minute you will have to hurry

Click for pic of queue and two text boxes

T What are these people doing?
S answer (s)

T Use the blue word box to explain what they will do next.
S answer (s)

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Different kinds of holiday

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T Different people like doing different things on holiday. Some people prefer going to the mountains, other to the sea. What about you?

S answer (s)

T Some people like more active holidays, others like cultural visits and some just like to laze in the sun. What do you enjoy doing on holiday?

S answer(s)

T And what about when you go abroad? Do you like to try out the language?

S answer(s)

T Give some examples of when you have tried talking the local language.

S answer(s)

T What did you find most difficult?

S answer(s)

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Holiday jobs

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T Describe the three photos.

S answer(s)

T Some teenagers get holiday jobs. What are the advantages of having a holiday job?

S answer(s)

T What about the drawbacks?

S answer(s)

The drawbacks could be that it is hard work obviously and also everyone else is on holiday while you are working.

T Would you be willing to get a holiday job? Explain why or why not.

S answer(s)

T What would you choose to do and why?

S answer(s)

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Some people like to spend their holidays doing voluntary work. Describe what the people in each of these photos are doing.

S Answer(s)

Explain why people choose to do voluntary work.

S Answer(s)
Well, obviously you are being useful and then there are benefits which could be useful in the future such as learning to work as a team and getting an insight into a career. It gives you an idea of what a job might consist of and you get a chance to see whether the job really interests you.

Can you think of any other examples?

S Answer(s)
Working at a medical centre in a third world country, working with children at a holiday camp or taking sick children on a trip.

Would you be willing to spend a holiday doing voluntary work? What would you choose to do and why?

S Answer(s)

How do you like to remember your holidays? Do you take lots of photos?

S Answer(s)

What kind of photos do you take? Do you prefer photos of people or do you take landscapes?

S Answer(s)

What do you do with your photos? Do you keep them on a CD or do you keep them on your computer or do you put them into albums?

S Answer(s)
How else do you like to remember your holiday? Do you like to buy souvenirs? If so give some examples of what you brought back from different countries or regions.

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**Slide 13 Unscramble the questions**

**Click for the title only**

Put the words in the right order to form a question.

**Click for sentence 1**

**Click for answer 1**

Put the words in the right order to form a question.

**Click for sentence 2**

**Click for answer 2**

Put the words in the right order to form a question.

**Click for sentence 3**

**Click for answer 3**

Put the words in the right order to form a question.

**Click for sentence 4**

**Click for answer 4**

Put the words in the right order to form a question.

**Click for sentence 5**

**Click for answer 5**

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T  Describe photo 1 and make up a short paragraph using what you have learnt today.
   S answer(s)

T  Describe photo 2. What are the people doing?
   S answer(s)

T  Describe this photo. What are they doing and why?
   S answer(s)

T  Describe photo 4. Give some other words for photos.
   S answer(s)

T  What else will remind you of a holiday?
   S answer(s)

Well, that’s the end of our programme. It was great working with you and I’m very satisfied with your progress. I hope you enjoyed our conversations and that you will now enjoy your holidays! Bye, everyone, etc...