Holiday of a Lifetime!

EAE Learning objectives for this lesson

Adverbs and Adjectives - Past Tenses - Describing Preferences and Talking about holidays past and present!

Activity One - QUIZ - In **teams** answer the **questions** - ring the bell when someone in your team has the right answer. Your teacher will sound the buzzer if it's wrong and the other team gets a bonus point if they get it right! (Please DO NOT prepare this at hon



1. How many years did it take to build the leaning tower of Pisa?
2. Why did it lean?
3. Which country is Koh Phangan in?
4. In what year did Vesuvius erupt in Pompei?
5. Where is Zanzibar?
6. Which is the second largest city in Morocco?.
7. Which is the worlds most visited city?
8. What is the main religion in Thailand?
9. Name three tourist attractions in New York City.
10. Name three tourist attractions in London.

Activity Two - Gap Fill - With a **partner** fill the gaps in the sentences with the words below:

- A garage - Check-in - A Cruise - Unlimited mileage - Customs - Public transport - Round Trip - A Ferry - A journey - A Carry on bag -

1. …… is traveling from one place to another, especially in a vehicle.
2. ……. is the place at a port, airport or border where travellers' bags are looked at to find out if any goods are being carried illegally
3. If you make a ……., you go on a journey and return to where you started from.
4. ……., is the place at an airport where you show your ticket so that you can be told where you will be sitting.
5. ……., is a boat or ship for taking passengers and often vehicles across an area of water, especially as a regular service.
6. ……., is a journey on a large ship for pleasure, during which you visit several places
7. ……., is a place where cars are repaired.
8. ……., is no charge for the miles traveled in a rental car.
9. ……., is a system of vehicles such as buses and trains which operate at regular times on fixed routes and are used by the public.
10. ……., is the item of luggage you are allowed to take on board the plane in the cabin.

Activity Three - ADVERBS in English



A word is an adverb if it answers HOW… Here are some rules:

- In most cases, an **adverb** is formed by adding ***'-ly'*** to an **adjective**
- If the adjective ends in ***'-y'***, replace the ***'y'*** with ***'i' and a***dd ***'-ly'***
- If the adjective ends in -***'able', '-ible'***, or ***'-le'***, replace the ***'-e'*** with ***'-y'***
- If the adjective ends in ***'-ic'***, add ***'-ally'***
- Some adverbs have the **same form** as the adjective
- ***'Well'*** is the adverb that corresponds to the adjective ***'good'***.
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Here are some Examples:

You can get cheap package holidays if you don't go during the school holidays. Adjective
You can travel cheaply. Adverb.
Flights to the USA are very quick and cruise ships are slow. Adjectives.
You can get to the USA quickly by plane but more slowly on a cruise ship. Adverbs.

Now - **make your own examples** with your partner and read them to the rest of the group.
Write two sentences with adverbs and two with adjectives on the subject of holidays.

Activity Four - Listen to the song and then re-write it using only the SIMPLE PAST TENSE so that it sounds like a story about a holiday which happened in the past.
http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=0X7RyGBq2E8

Holiday, celebrate
Holiday, celebrate

If we took a holiday yeah
Took some time to celebrate
Just one day out of life
It would be
It would be so nice
Everybody spread the word
We're gonna have a celebration
All across the world
In every nation
It's time for the good times
Forget about the bad times
One day to come together
To release the pressure
We need a holiday

[Chorus]

You can turn this world around
And bring back all of those happy days
Put your trouble down
It's time to celebrate
Let love shine
And we will find
A way to come together
And make things better
We need a holiday

Past Tense Version:

Activity Five - **How** do you like your holidays?

Ask these ADVERB questions to a partner - you must answer in full sentences.. Then make some conclusions about your partners ideal holiday to the class. Describe what type of holidays and holiday occupations they prefer using ADJECTIVES

Find out who you should go on holiday with in the class?

1. How do you like to travel? **Quickly** or **Slowly**?

2. How do you like to book your trip, **easily** through a travel agent or **independently** on the internet?

3. How do you like to eat when you are on holiday? **Conveniently** at the hotel or **adventurously** in small local restaurants?

4. How do you like to spend your time on holiday? **Restfully**, reading and sleeping by the pool, or **energetically**, learning new things about the world by visiting monuments and museums?

5. How do you like to be entertained on holiday? **Noisily** with loud parties and music bars, or **peacefully** with beautiful classical background music and scenic views from a nice restaurant?

6. How do you like to be accommodated on holiday, **cheaply** and **simply** or **luxuriously** with no expense spared?

7. How do you like to eat, **simply** and **quickly** while you walk around discovering the place, or in a **leisurely** way tasting spicy and complex dishes.
8. How do you like to plan your holidays, **obsessively** to the last detail months in advance or **spontaneously** at the last minute?



Activity Seven - Holiday of a Lifetime…

Describe to the class the best holiday you ever had!

Activity Eight - Role Plays Act out the following situations with your partner.

1. You are on board a flight to Hawaii and you are sitting next to someone who keeps on invading your space. You strike up a conversation…

2. You have just arrived in your hotel in Thailand. It is not at all what you expected and as you booked it over six months ago and have been planning the holiday for a long time, you get really annoyed. You talk to the hotel manager.

3. You are in a beautiful restaurant in an Italian village. Everything is peaceful and you are sampling the local cuisine. All of a sudden a very loud American family arrive at the next table. You are determined to say something when they shout, argue and generally disturb the peace.

4. You are in an African nature reserve on Safari. You suddenly realise that there is a Tiger following you…

