

# UNIT 11: Travel

## Part 1: Describe the Picture



## Part 2: Reading and Vocabulary

Before you decide which destination to go to for your next holiday, it is important to be prepared. For some countries you need to get a jab from the doctors before you go. Then you decide the mode of transport you will use to get there. If you take a plane, you may get jetlag if the country is in a different time zone.

When you arrive in a country the first place you go to is immigration where they check your passport. When you have cleared immigration you collect your luggage and put it on a trolley. You then go through customs, where you may be stopped and your luggage checked. Look at your guidebook and you can choose where you want to go sightseeing. When you go shopping you can buy souvenirs to bring back home to your friends and family. If your country's exchange rate is good, then you can buy more for your money.

## Part 3: Match the Vocabulary

	place where officials check your passport
	baggage
	looking at the sights
	place you are going to
	injection
	value of a country's currency
	something you buy to remind you of that place
	method/means/way
	place where people check your bags
	feeling of tiredness after a long flight in a different time zone

## Part 4: Fill in the Gaps with the Appropriate Form from the New Words Above

- 1) The man wanted a \_\_\_\_\_ before his trip so he went to his GP.
- 2) After travelling from London to New York the passenger felt \_\_\_\_\_.
- 3) The airline flies to many \_\_\_\_\_.
- 4) They packed far too much \_\_\_\_\_ for their short trip.
- 5) They had to get their passport stamped at \_\_\_\_\_.
- 6) Tom wanted to go on a \_\_\_\_\_ tour of the city.
- 7) The tourist shop sold many \_\_\_\_\_ of the country.
- 8) The bad \_\_\_\_\_ meant that I couldn't buy as much as I wanted.
- 9) One \_\_\_\_\_ of transport that I haven't tried is a helicopter.
- 10) Linda's luggage was searched at \_\_\_\_\_.

Part 5: Ask and answer with your partner:

- 1) Talk about the last holiday you had.
- 2) Where would you like to go for your next holiday?
- 3) Where is the best place to go **sightseeing** in your country?
- 4) What is a popular **souvenir** from your country?
- 5) If you were very wealthy, where would you go on holiday?
- 6) What is your favourite **mode** of transport? Why?
- 7) What **destinations** are popular for people in your country?
- 8) When you travel how much **luggage** do you usually bring?
- 9) What do you most/least like about air travel?
- 10) Have you ever had **jetlag**?
- 11) What advice would you give to someone suffering from jetlag?
- 12) What countries would you need a **jab** for before you went?
- 13) Do you have a favourite airline?
- 14) Have you ever had any problems at **immigration**?
- 15) Have you ever been searched by **customs**?
- 16) What is the **exchange rate** like for your country's currency?
- 17) What is the best/worst destination you have ever been to?
- 18) What is the most popular time to go on holiday in your country?
- 19) What do you most/least like about going abroad?
- 20) Have you ever travelled to anywhere dangerous?
- 21) What advice would you give to someone travelling to your country?

*Extension: write 4 questions about this topic to ask your partner.*

- 22)
- 23)
- 24)
- 25)

Part 6: Write the Questions to these Answers

- 1) \_\_\_\_\_ ?  
France and Spain are the most popular holiday destinations.
- 2) \_\_\_\_\_ ?  
You need a tetanus jab before you go to my country.
- 3) \_\_\_\_\_ ?  
My favourite mode of transport is a bicycle.
- 4) \_\_\_\_\_ ?  
You can get jetlag when you travel from one time zone to another.
- 5) \_\_\_\_\_ ?  
When you get to immigration you must show your passport.
- 6) \_\_\_\_\_ ?  
Yes, I bring a lot of luggage when I travel.
- 7) \_\_\_\_\_ ?  
Customs checks people to stop them bringing in illegal goods.
- 8) \_\_\_\_\_ ?  
I went sightseeing by double decker bus.
- 9) \_\_\_\_\_ ?  
Traditional dolls are a good souvenir of my country.
- 10) \_\_\_\_\_ ?  
My country's exchange rate is very strong at the moment.