

Travelling.

Modern life is impossible without traveling. Many people travel every day to our schools, offices and factories. Sometimes they go to another country or city on business. Business people travel a lot. They may have their enterprises abroad or just meet their business partners in other cities or countries.

Millions of people spend their holidays traveling. They travel to see other countries and continents. It is always interesting to discover new things, to meet different people, to try different food, to listen to different music.

So people can travel for pleasure or on business. They can use various means of transport. The quickest way is to travel by plane. But some people are afraid of fly.

Traveling by train is slower, but it has its advantages. You can see the country around you, so you are not only traveling, but your holidays have already begun. It is better to book tickets and reserve the hotel room in advance.

Traveling by sea is mostly for those who are going on holiday and want a pleasant voyage. On board of a large cruise ship people traverse oceans and visit other countries.

Many people like to travel by car. The greatest advantage is that you can stop whenever you like, you can start from your own front door and take any road you like. It is not convenient sometimes and if the trip is long you can feel tired.

Coach tours are very popular. They are planned as a holidays and there is a chance to do a lot of sightseeing and have a good rest at the same time. It is not convenient sometimes as you have no possibility to have rest.

All means of travel have their advantages and disadvantages. When traveling we see and learn a lot of things that we can never see or learn at home.

Holidaymaking has become one of the most profitable industries and the budget of many countries, such as Turkey, Egypt and Greece depends on tourism a lot.

Vocabulary notes

Impossible – невозможно

Enterprise – предприятие

To travel on business – путешествовать по делу

To travel for pleasure – путешествовать ради удовольствия

Advantage – преимущество

Disadvantage – недостаток

Coach tours – автобусные туры

To do sightseeing – осмотреть достопримечательности

In advance – заранее

To go abroad – ездить за рубеж

Task1: answer the questions to the text

1 Why do people traveling?

2 What is the quickest kind of transport?

3 What kind of transport do you prefer?

4 Have you ever traveled by air?

5 Have you ever traveled by sea? Did you like it?

6 What preparations do people usually make before a journey?

7 What places would you like to visit?

Предприятия, за границей, деловые партнёры, различные виды транспорта, заранее, преимущество, бюджет, туризм, зависеть, прибыльный, пересекать океан.

another	way
different	advantage
greatest	food
couch	industry
good	country
profitable	tours
quickest	rest

заполнение таблицы о преимуществах и недостатках того или иного вида транспорта.

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