



# Holidays

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What alternatives can you think of for the expression “to go on holiday”?

# Holiday Synonyms

## TO GO ON VACATION

This is mostly used by American English speakers.

*I'm going on vacation next week!*



# Holiday Synonyms

## TO VISIT SOMEWHERE

This is a verb, so it can be used in any tense.

*I'm visiting my grandma's house on Saturday.*



# Holiday Synonyms

## TO GO ON A TRIP

You can also use the expression “to take a trip”.

*We're taking a trip to London!*



# Holiday Synonyms

## TO TRAVEL SOMEWHERE

This means to go to a new place that is normally far away. This is a verb.

*We're travelling to Antigua next month.*



# Holiday Synonyms

## A JOURNEY

This talks about the movement from one place to another. It is used as a **noun**.

*The train journey was 4 hours!*





## At The Beach



# At The Beach

What is the difference?

AT THE BEACH

ON THE BEACH



# At The Beach

## AT THE BEACH

To be at the beach means you are physically standing on the sand OR you are in the area of a beach (a beach town). So this is a very general term.

## ON THE BEACH

To be on the beach means that you are physically standing on the sand on a beach.



# At The Beach



# At The Beach



sunglasses

sʌŋɡləːsɪz

# At The Beach



# At The Beach



deck chair

dɛk tʃeə

# At The Beach



# At The Beach



suncream

sʌn kri:m

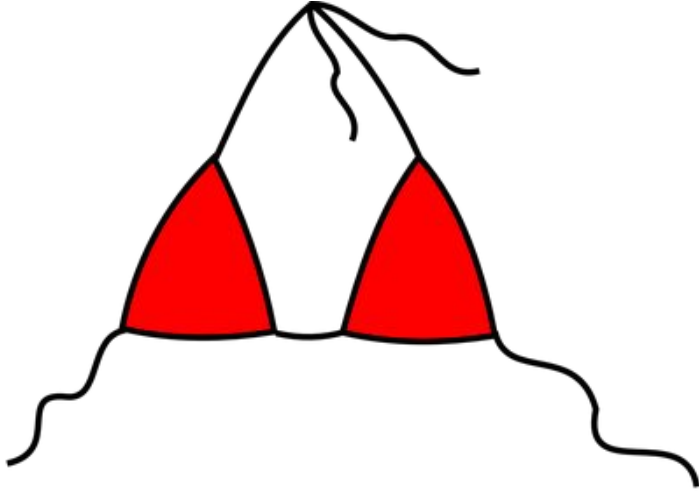
## USEFUL PHRASES

To apply suncream

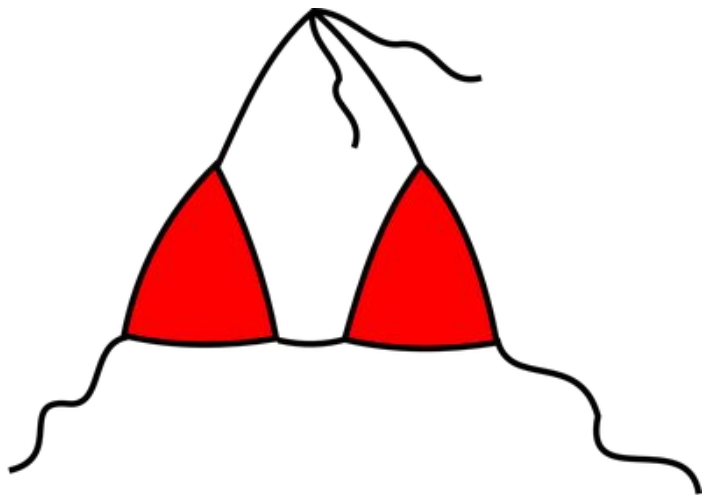
To put on suncream



# At The Beach



# At The Beach

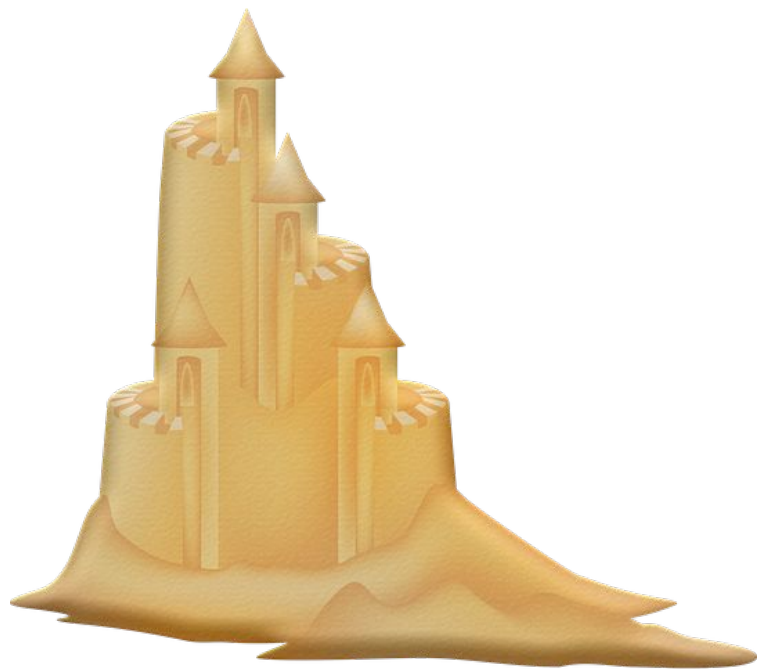


bikini

bikini



# At The Beach



# At The Beach



sandcastle

sændkɑːsl

## USEFUL PHRASE

To build a sandcastle

# At The Beach



# At The Beach



goggles

gogglz

# At The Beach



# At The Beach



flip flops

flIp flOpS



# At The Beach



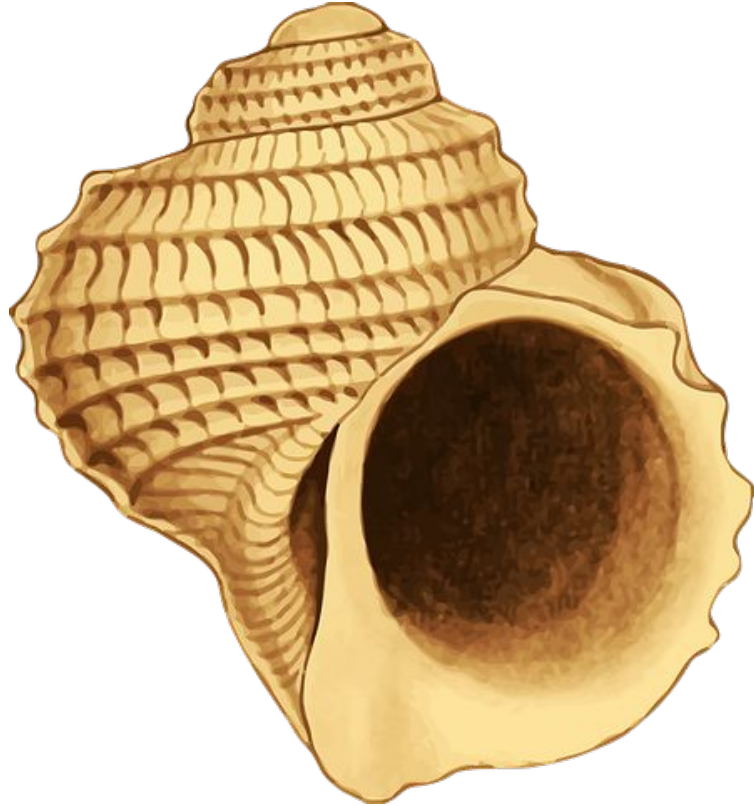
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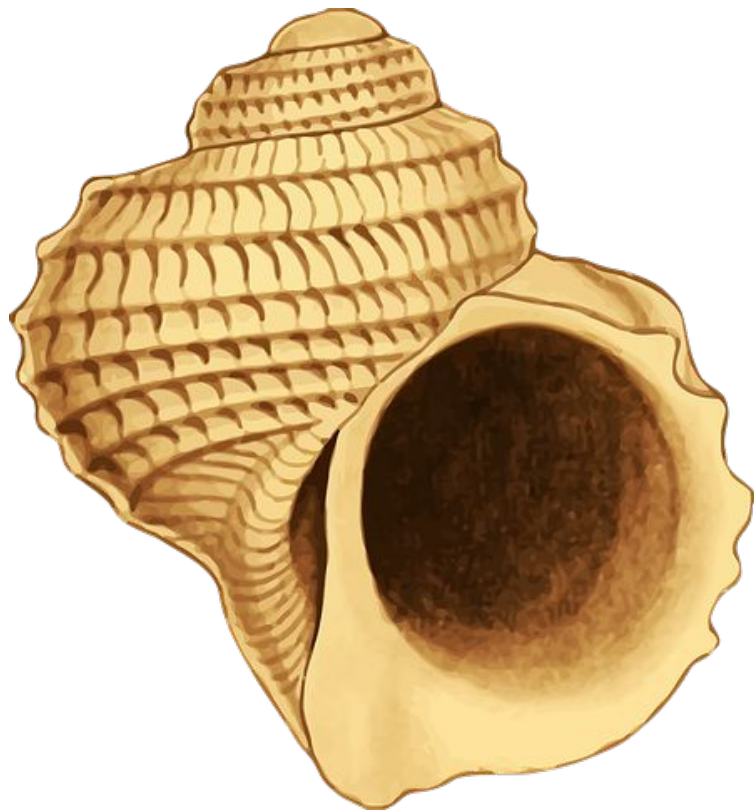
bucket and spade

bΛkIt ænd speId

# At The Beach



# At The Beach



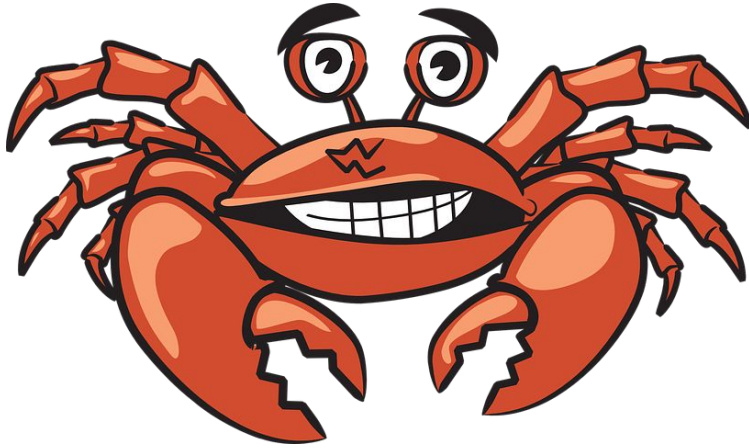
shell

ʃɛl

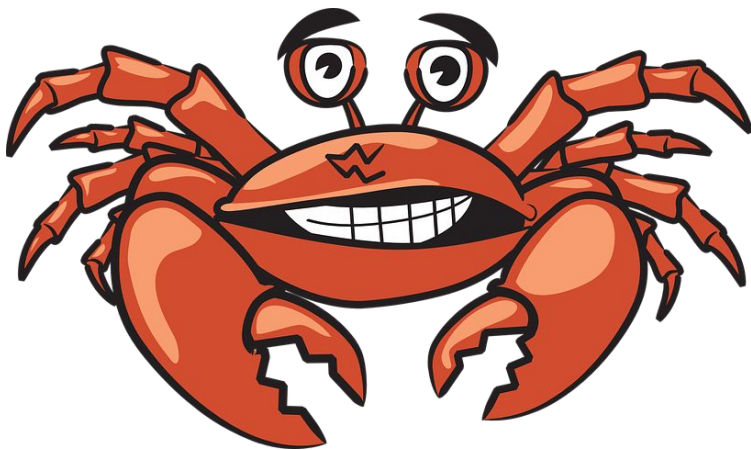
USEFUL PHRASE

To collect shells

# At The Beach



# At The Beach



crab

kræb

# At The Beach



# At The Beach



suitcase

su:tkeis

## USEFUL PHRASE

To pack my suitcase

To unpack my suitcase



# At The Beach



# At The Beach



passport

pa:spo:t

# At The Beach

What activities can we do at the beach?

# At The Beach

To go surfing



To play in the sand



To sunbathe

To get a tan



To go swimming in  
the sea



**Activities at the beach**

To play volleyball



To go snorkelling



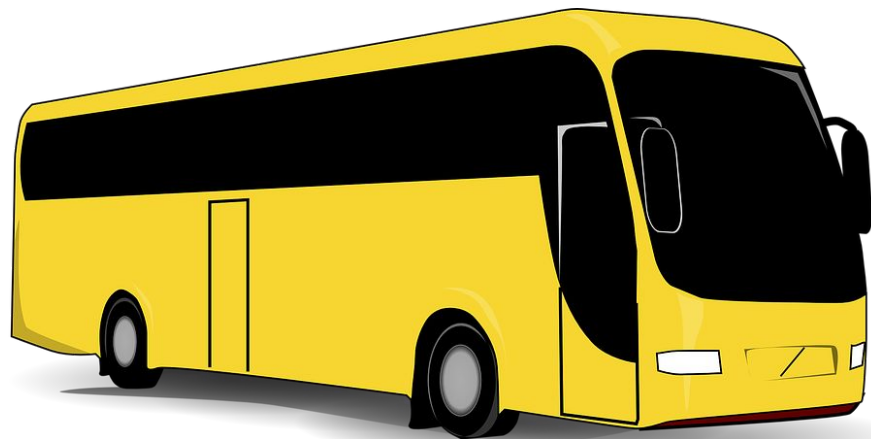


## Sightseeing Holiday

# Sightseeing Holiday



# Sightseeing Holiday



coach

kəʊtʃ

## USEFUL PHRASE

To go on a coach

# Sightseeing Holiday





# Sightseeing Holiday



tour guide

tʊə gaɪd

## USEFUL PHRASE

To follow a tour guide

# Sightseeing Holiday



BONJOUR DE PARIS

# Sightseeing Holiday



souvenir

su:vənɪə

BONJOUR DE PARIS

USEFUL PHRASE

To buy a souvenir

# Sightseeing Holiday



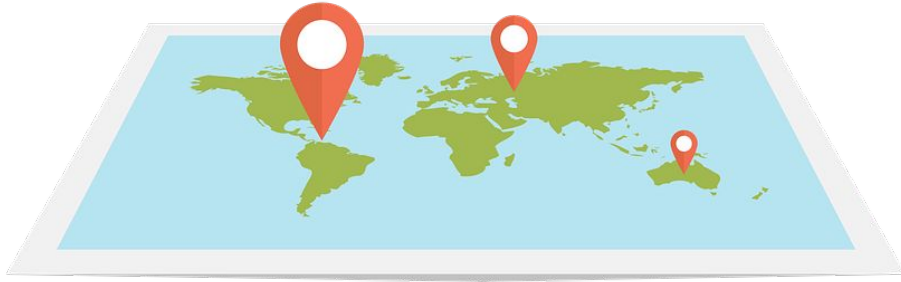
# Sightseeing Holiday



backpack

bækpæk

# Sightseeing Holiday



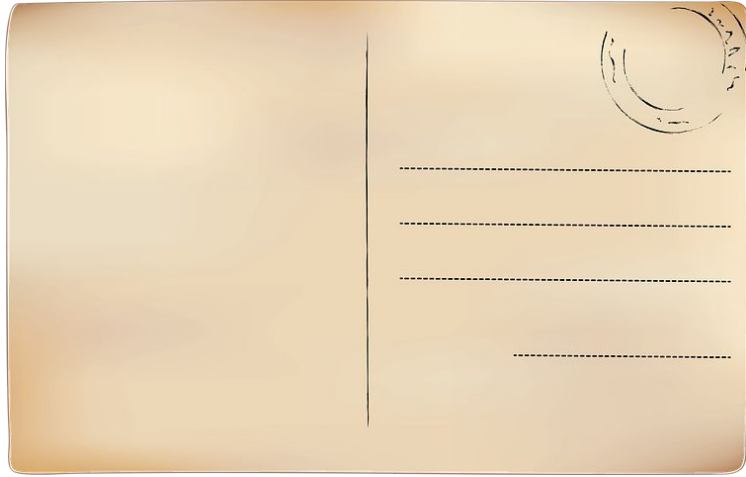
# Sightseeing Holiday

map

mæp



# Sightseeing Holiday





# Sightseeing Holiday



postcard

pəʊstkɑ:d

## USEFUL PHRASES

To write a postcard

To send a postcard

# At The Beach

What activities can we do on a  
sightseeing holiday?

# Sightseeing

To take photos



To go to the  
tourist information  
centre



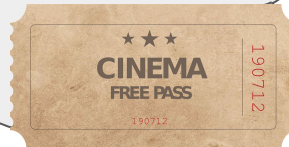
To go on a tour



To visit the tourist  
attractions



To book tickets



To wander around

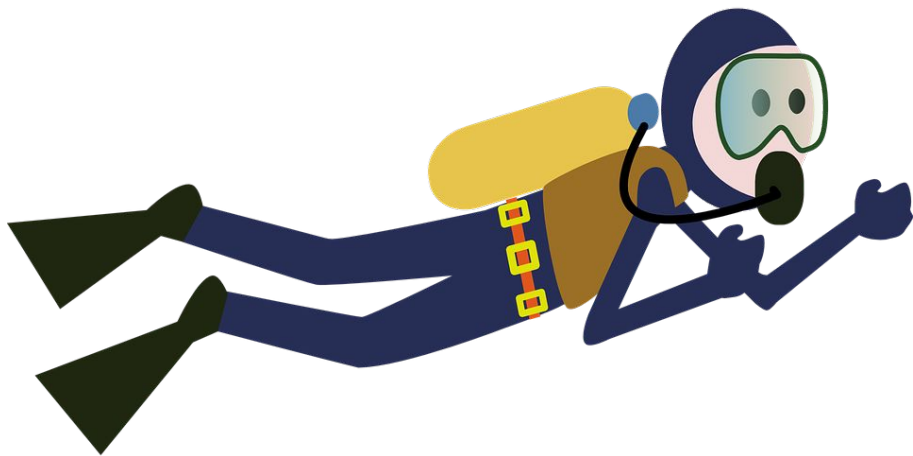


**Activities when sightseeing**



## Adventure Holiday

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scuba-diving

sku:bə-daɪvɪŋ

# Adventure Holiday



# Adventure Holiday



bungee-jumping

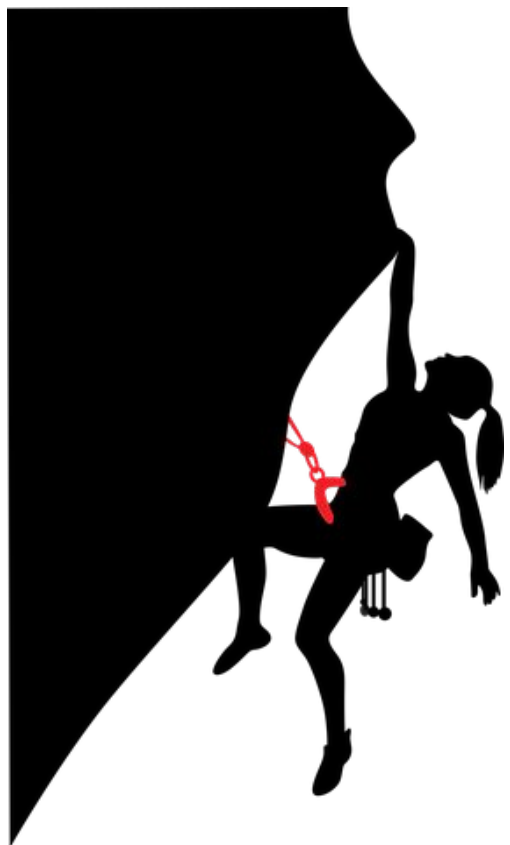
bʌŋdʒi-dʒʌmpɪŋ



# Adventure Holiday



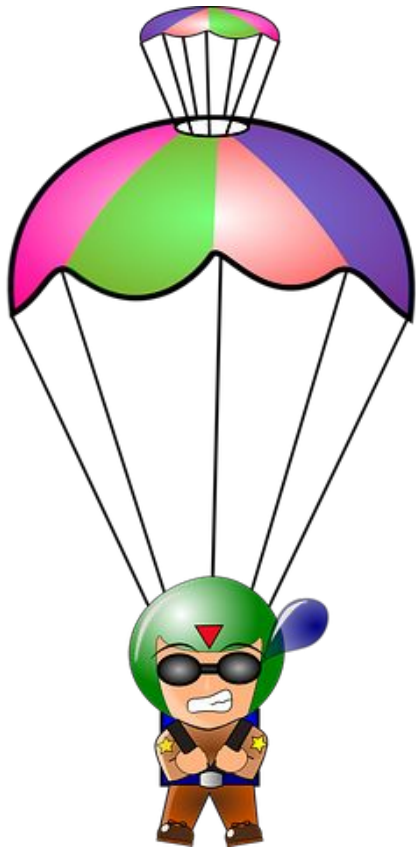
# Adventure Holiday



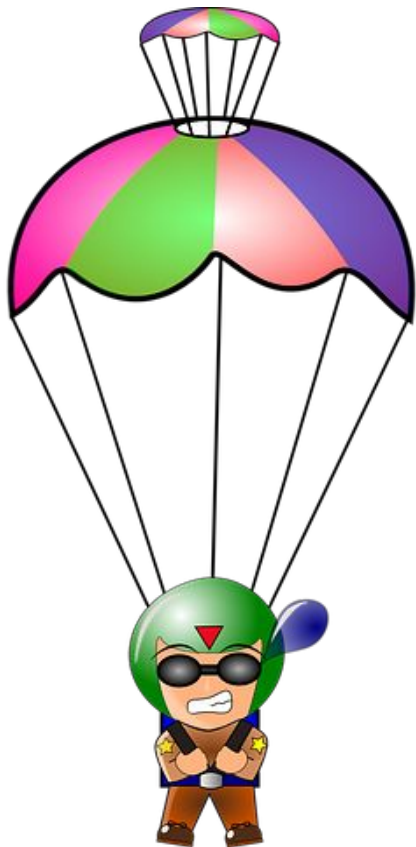
rock climbing

rok klaimin

# Adventure Holiday



# Adventure Holiday



parachuting

pærəʃu:tɪŋ

*Also called SKYDIVING*

# Adventure Holiday



# Adventure Holiday



canoeing

kənu:ɪŋ

# Adventure Holiday



# Adventure Holiday



paragliding

pærəglaidɪŋ



# Adventure Holiday



# Adventure Holiday



surfing

s3:fɪŋ

# Adventure Holiday



# Adventure Holiday



horse riding

ho:sraidIn

# Adventure Holiday



# Adventure Holiday



trekking

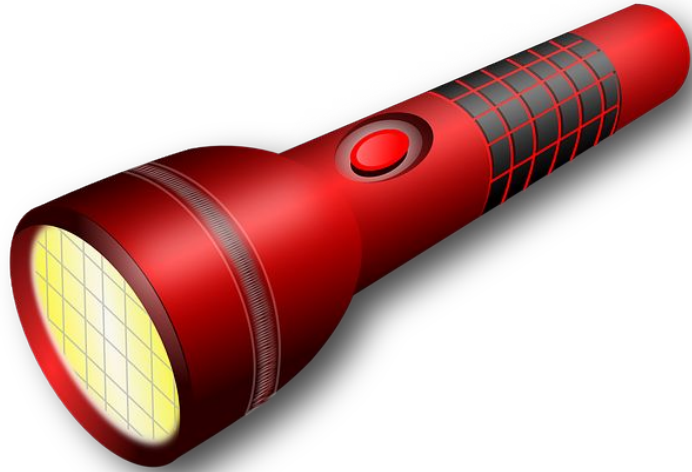
trekIn

*Also called HIKING*



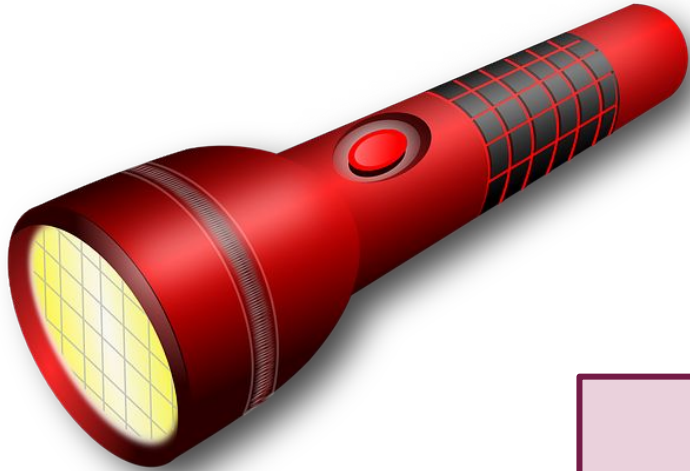
## Camping Holiday

# Camping Holiday





# Camping Holiday



torch

to:tʃ

## USEFUL PHRASE

To turn the torch on

To turn the torch off

# Camping Holiday



# Camping Holiday



tent

tent

# Camping Holiday



# Camping Holiday



compass

kʌmpəs

# Camping Holiday



# Camping Holiday



walking boots

wo:kin bu:ts

# Camping Holiday





# Camping Holiday



fire

faɪə

## USEFUL PHRASE

To light the fire

# Camping Holiday



# Camping Holiday



mosquito repellent

məski:təʊ rɪpelənt

## USEFUL PHRASE

To put mosquito  
repellent on

# Camping Holiday



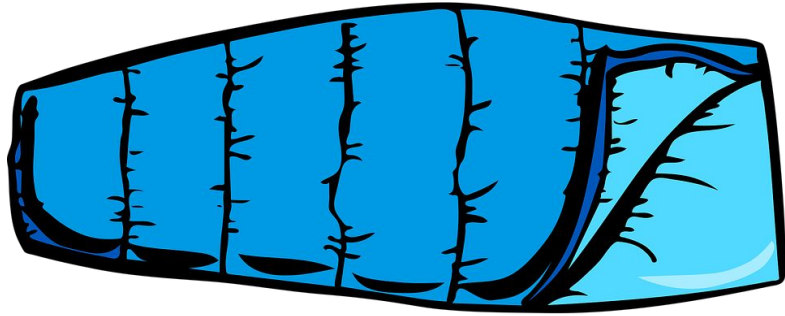
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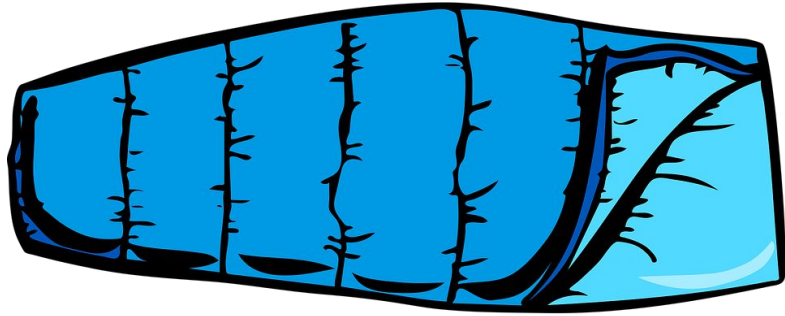
caravan

kærəvæn

# Camping Holiday



# Camping Holiday



sleeping bag

sli:pɪŋ bæɡ

# At The Beach

What activities can we do on a camping holiday?



# Camping Holiday

To go fishing



To sit around the  
fire



To sing camp  
songs

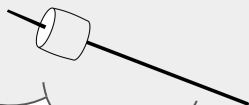


**Activities when camping**

To look up at the  
stars



To toast  
marshmallows



To go for a walk



# Holidays Useful Phrases

**Do you travel light or heavy?**



I travel light

I travel heavy

# Holidays Useful Phrases

What is your favourite holiday destination?



My favourite holiday destination is ...

# Holidays Useful Phrases

What are your essential travel items?

My essential travel items  
are ...



# Holidays Useful Phrases

What is your favourite type of holiday?



My favourite type of holiday is ...

# Holidays Useful Phrases

**Do you like travelling abroad?**

Yes, I like travelling abroad

No, I prefer staying at home



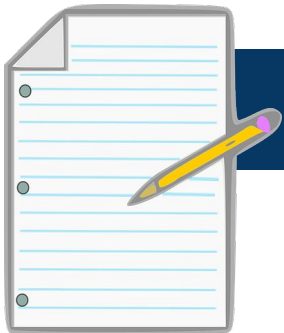
# REVIEW

Today, we have ...

- Learnt how to talk about holidays

Course:

<https://virtually-fluent.com/courses/holidays/>



# HOMEWORK

What are the best holidays in your country forum

<https://virtually-fluent.com/groups/holidays/forum/topic/holidays-in-my-country/>