

“Holiday!” Who doesn’t like that magic word?

Some of us like to stay at home during the holidays and others are looking forward to travel.

The English language is important and useful when you travel.

Travellers who speak English can **talk to other travellers** and to **local people** who also speak English.

Your (travelling) **world gets a lot bigger** when you can **exchange your experiences with others**.

Also when there is **an emergency**, you get things done quicker when you speak English.

The routings on airports are easy to understand and you avoid a lot of stress when you can **read all directions** and **maps** that are usually in English.

We can say that preparing the journey mostly starts with viewing the different types of destinations and whether those destinations match your needs.

Choosing a holiday destination has to do with the **special wishes, needs, and expectations** that everyone has for an unforgettable holiday.

What’s important for you on your holiday? On the next page we have prepared a list that you can tick. When we made this list, we were surprised that there is such a wide variety of wishes and destinations and there are many more.

About holiday or holidays or vacation:

Vacation is American English.

British English speakers say **‘holiday’**, not **‘holidays’** in structures like the following:

- ‘Be on holiday.’
- ‘Go on holiday.’
- ‘Return/Come back from holiday.’
- ‘Something to read on holiday.’
- ‘When you come back from holiday, it’s hard to work.’

Holidays is usually used after the, my, your etc.

- ‘Soon it will be the holidays.’
- ‘Where do you want to go for your holidays?’



Check your favorite activities during your holiday in column three.

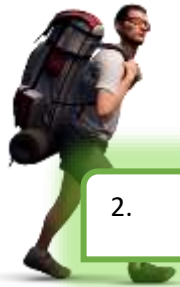
Memorize the words in the first column; you'll need them in the exercise on Page 4.

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|---------------------------|--|-------|
| 1. Geography: | Land and landscape | _____ |
| 2. Wheather, temperature: | Swimming, skiing | _____ |
| 3. Religion: | Visiting temples, mosques, churches etc. | _____ |
| 4. Population: | Meeting local people | _____ |
| 5. Language/communication | Practicing languages | _____ |
| 6. Tourist hotspots: | Seeing highlights | _____ |
| 7. Accomodation: | Nice hotel, room etc. | _____ |
| 8. Getting around: | Touring, transport | _____ |
| 9. History: | Old sites | _____ |
| 10. Culture: | The way of life of local people | _____ |
| 11. Entertainment: | Performances, karaoke, activities | _____ |
| 12. Healthcare: | Doctors, hospitals, dental cliniques | _____ |
| 13. Business: | Buying, selling goods | _____ |
| 14. Spa holiday: | Becoming more healthy by exercises etc. | _____ |
| 15. Cruise holdiday: | Holiday on a luxury boat | _____ |
| 16. Camping holiday: | Staying in a tent | _____ |
| 17. Beach holiday: | Relaxing, sunbathing on the beach | _____ |
| 18. Hiking holiday: | Long walks in the countryside | _____ |
| 19. Wildlife, safari: | Looking wild animals | _____ |

Write a matching word from the first column of page 2 in the blocks under the pictures.



1. *Camping*



2.



3.

*Yes
I Speak English*

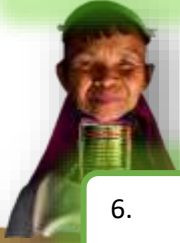
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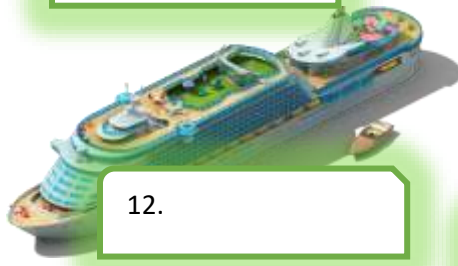
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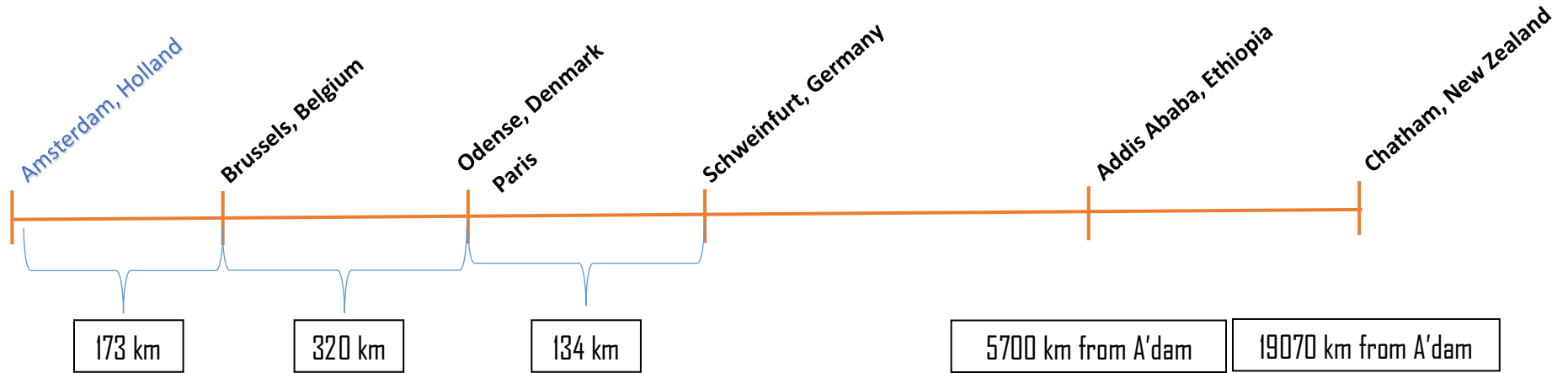
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Use next words and expressions (often prepositions and comparatives/superlatives) one or more times.

1. farther - than 2. the farthest 3. between 4. last 5. as – far - as 6. far 7. from 8. farther



Exercise 1. Compare the distances between Amsterdam, Brussels and Paris.

1. Brussels is _____ kilometers _____ Amsterdam.
2. Paris is _____ kilometers _____ Amsterdam.
3. Paris is _____ from Amsterdam _____ from Brussels.
4. Brussels is _____ from Paris _____ from Amsterdam.
5. Chatham is _____ place from Amsterdam.
6. Odense is _____ from Amsterdam than Amsterdam is _____ Brussels.
7. Brussels is situated _____ Amsterdam and Paris.
8. The distance between Brussels and Chatam is _____ kilometers.
9. Coming from Chatham, Schweinfurt is the _____ city before Paris.
10. Schweinfurt is _____ from Paris _____ from Odense.
11. From Chatham to Schweinfurt is _____ kilometers.
12. Addis Ababa is _____ Schweinfurt and Chatham.
13. After Brussels, Paris, and Schweinfurt comes _____.
14. I think that Brussels is not _____ away from Amsterdam.

China



The Great Wall



Sydney Opera House

Australia



France



Eiffel Tower, Paris



The Pyramids

Egypt



India



Taj Mahal, Agra,



Colosseum, Rome

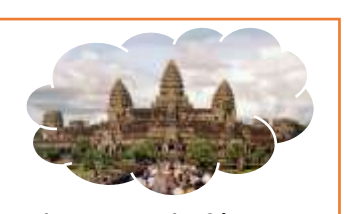
Italy



Italy



Leaning Tower of Pisa



Angkor Wat, Siem Reap

Cambodia



Russia



St. Basil Cathedral, Moscow



Borobudur

Indonesia



The United States



Disneyland, California



Niagara Falls,

The United States



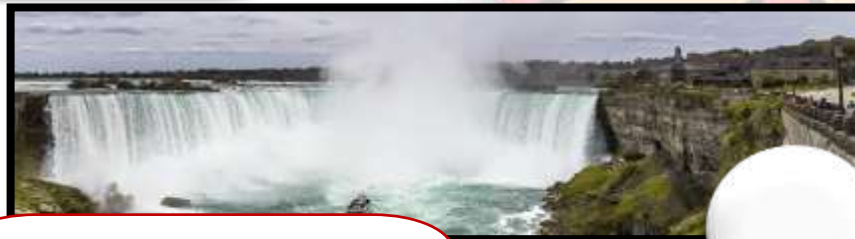
6.

Write the names of these Hotspots and draw/color the Flags

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Great Chinese Wall



If one of these travel documents would not be known to you, you can find a more detailed explanation on the next page.



Passport.



Plane ticket



Boarding pass



Departure card



Arrival card



Travel insurance policy



Debit card



Credit card



Visa



Driver's license



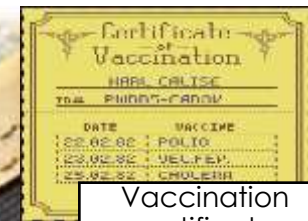
Hotel voucher



Copies of important documents

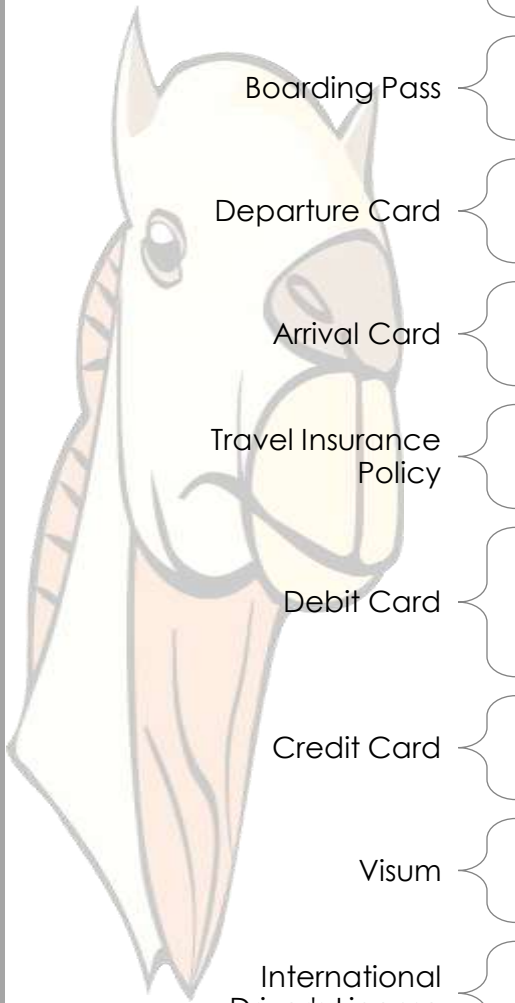


Your specific documents



Vaccination certificate





Passport

- An official document with personal information and a photograph that allows a person to travel to foreign countries and to prove who they are.

Plane Ticket

- A small card given to show that someone has paid for a flight.

Boarding Pass

- A card that a passenger must have in order to be allowed to get on an aircraft.

Departure Card

- An official document that provides a record of a person's departure.

Arrival Card

- An official document that provides a record of a person's arrival.

Travel Insurance Policy

- An agreement for insurance. It covers certain risks during travelling.

Debit Card

- A small plastic card as a method of payment. The money is taken from your bank account immediately. (Debit means here you must have a positive bank balance)

Credit Card

- A small plastic card as a method of payment, the money being taken from you at a later time. (Credit)

Visum

- An official mark, in your passport that allows you to stay in a particular country for a certain limited time.

International Driver's License

- Official permission for someone to drive a car in certain foreign countries.

Hotel Voucher

- A coupon given to a hotel guest that gives access to a prepaid service mostly a reserved hotel room.

Copies of important documents

- Copies of important personal documents you could need during your journey.

Certificate of Vaccination

- You need certificate of vaccination in some countries where there are increased health risks. (prevent infectious disease)

1. A prove that I'm allowed to stay in a country for a certain period of time is called:

2. Spending a holiday in a tent is called:

3. A prove that I'm protected against diseases caused by bacteria or viruses is called:

4. The place where I want to go is called my:

5. A method of payment that gives me credit is called:

6. An official document that records that I arrived in a certain country is called:

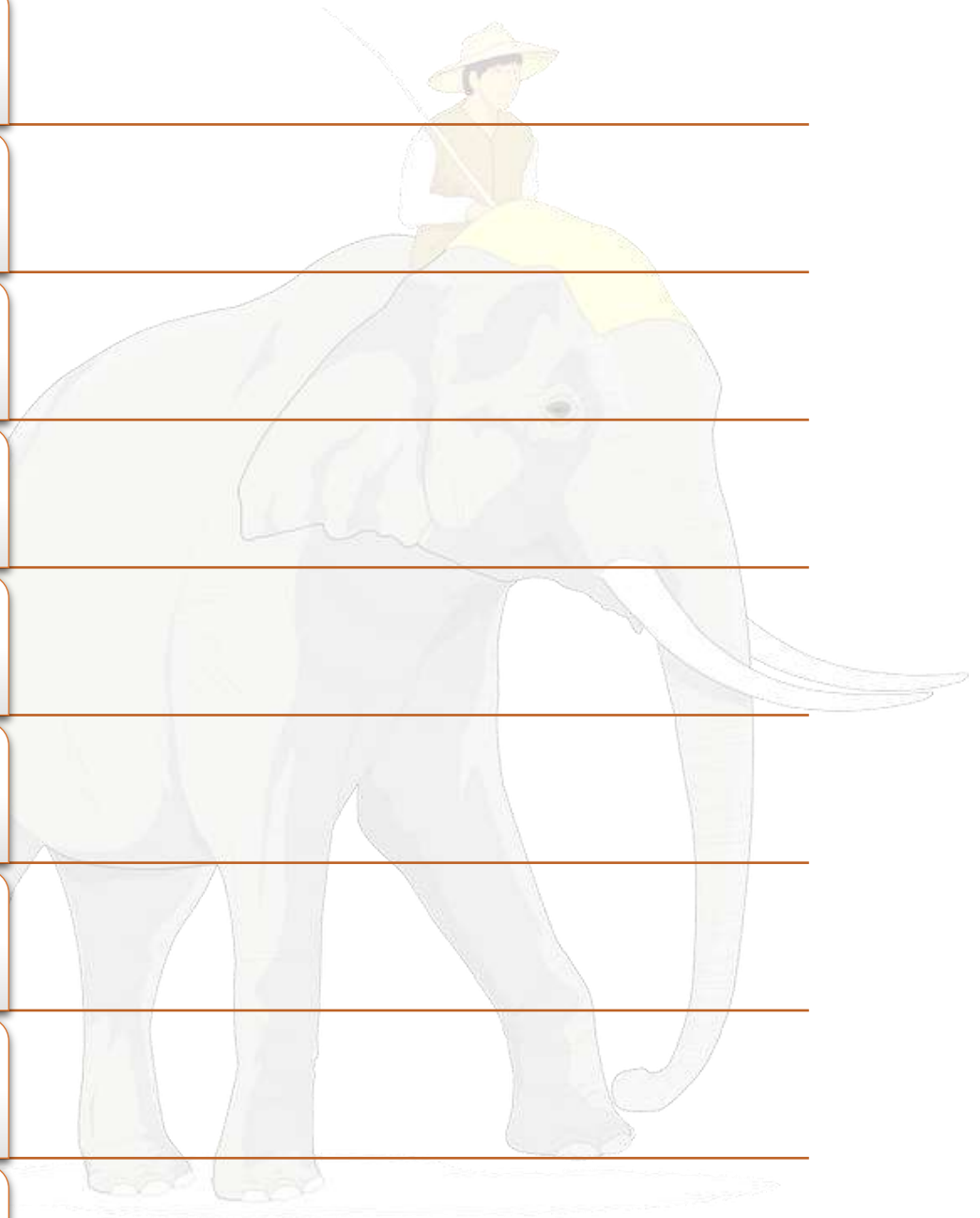
7. A prove that I have paid for an airplane flight is called:

8. The Taj Mahal Temple is in:

9. A prove that I'm covered against certain risks during travelling is called:

10. An official document with personal information that allows me to travel to a foreign country is called:

11. A place to live during travelling such as a hotel or a guesthouse is called:



Spain



Sagrada Familia, Barcelona



Petronas Towers Kuala Lumpur

Malaysia



Mexico



Chichen Itza, Yucatan



Wat Pho, Bangkok

Thailand



Peru



Machu Picchu,



Grand Mosque

Abu Dhabi



France



Notre Dame de Paris



St. Peter's Basilica, Vatican City

Italy



Italy



Milan Cathedral, Milan



Cristo Redentor, Rio de Janeiro

Brazil



Spain



The Alhambra, Granada



Charles's Bridge, Prague

Czech Republic



Pre-Departure:	Every Day Basics (2)	Toiletries
<input type="checkbox"/> Passport/visa's	<input type="checkbox"/> Alarm clock	<input type="checkbox"/> Toiletry kit
<input type="checkbox"/> Health insurance documents	<input type="checkbox"/> Address book	<input type="checkbox"/> Comb/brush
<input type="checkbox"/> Transportation tickets	<input type="checkbox"/> Reading materials/games	<input type="checkbox"/> Toothbrush/toothpaste/floss
<input type="checkbox"/> Emergency information	<input type="checkbox"/> Travel pillow	<input type="checkbox"/> Deodorant/soap
<input type="checkbox"/> Reservation/hotel/ contact Info	<input type="checkbox"/> Tissues	<input type="checkbox"/> Skin care/lotion/creams
<input type="checkbox"/> Guide books & maps	<input type="checkbox"/> Basic clothes	<input type="checkbox"/> Shampoo & conditioner
<input type="checkbox"/> Copies of important documents	<input type="checkbox"/> Beach clothes	<input type="checkbox"/> Shaving kit
<input type="checkbox"/> Cash & credit/ATM card (s)	<input type="checkbox"/> Easy care clothes	<input type="checkbox"/> travel towel
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Every Day Basics (I)	Travel Health	Home Checklist
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<input type="checkbox"/> Music player	<input type="checkbox"/> Pain reliever	<input type="checkbox"/> Empty refrigerator
<input type="checkbox"/> Hat	<input type="checkbox"/> Fever reducers	<input type="checkbox"/> Lock all doors & windows
<input type="checkbox"/> Camera/charger/ memory card	<input type="checkbox"/> Cold medicines	<input type="checkbox"/> Arrange care: pets/lawn/plants
<input type="checkbox"/> Watch	<input type="checkbox"/> Diarrhea/laxative medicines	<input type="checkbox"/> Turn off heater/air conditioner
<input type="checkbox"/> Sunglasses	<input type="checkbox"/> Sunscreen/lip balm	<input type="checkbox"/> Unplug appliances
<input type="checkbox"/> Travel footwear	<input type="checkbox"/> Sunburn relief	<input type="checkbox"/> Turn down water heater
<input type="checkbox"/> Water bottle	<input type="checkbox"/> Insect repellent	<input type="checkbox"/> Store valuables in a safe place
<input type="checkbox"/> Underwear	<input type="checkbox"/> Personal hygiene Items	<input type="checkbox"/>
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Pre-Departure:	Every Day Basics (2)	Toiletries
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Man's toiletries

Toothbrush/Toothpaste

Cap

Documents

Umbrella

Various clothes

Beauty case

Various shoes

Mobile phone

Adapter

Camera

Underwear

Medicine

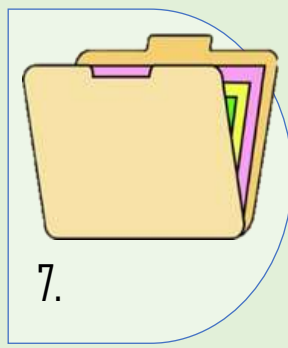
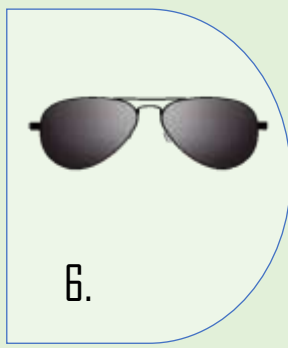
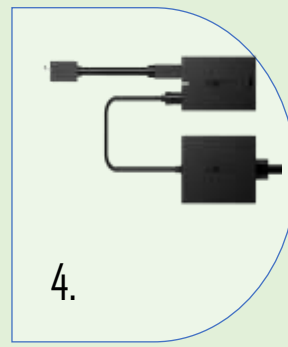
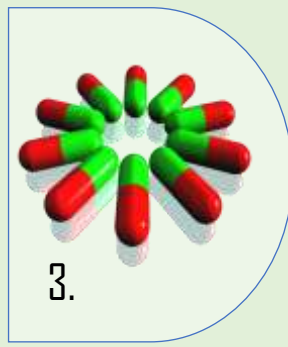
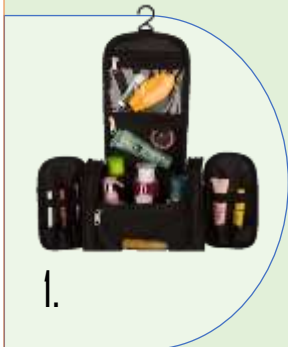
Alarm clock

Notebook/Address

Pen

Sunglasses

mobile phone shoes alarm clock man's toiletries documents
 underwear adapter beauty case medicine clothes cap
 sunglasses umbrella camera toothbrush & toothpaste notebook/address
 book



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Travelling (15)

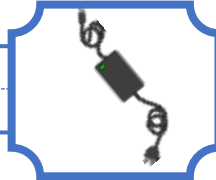


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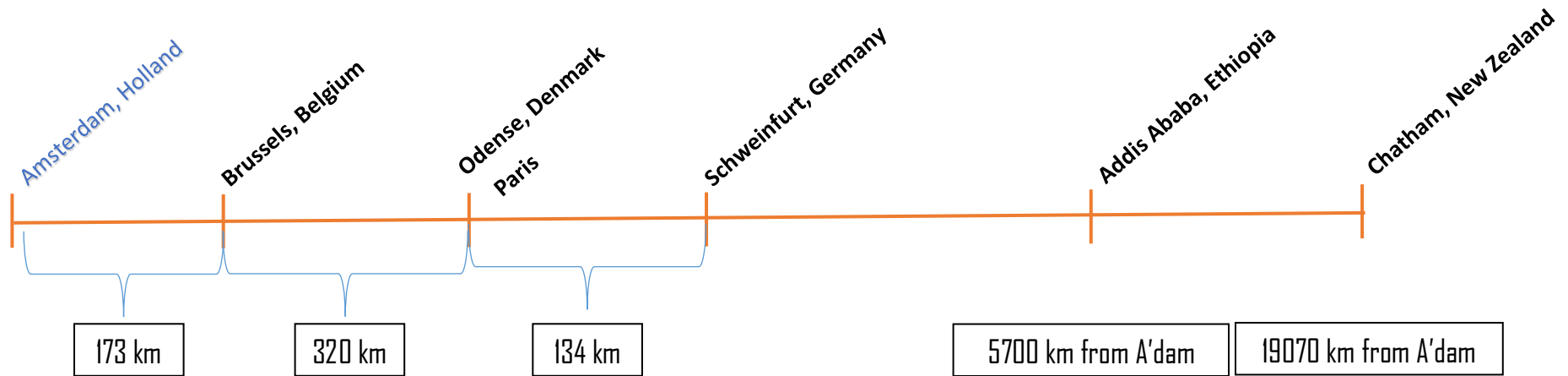
			
			
		adapter	mobile phone
medicine	toothpaste and toothbrush	man's toiletries	travel documents
beauty case	underwear	sunglasses	shoes

Write each word 1x
mobile phone clothes shoes adapter toiletries beauty
case toothpaste, toothbrush underwear medicine
sunglasses



Vaccination	Substance that prevents getting a disease caused by a virus or bacterium
Destination	The place you want to go.
Accommodation	A place to live. (hotel, guesthouse etc.)
Spa	A place where people go to become more healthy by doing healthy activities.
Cruise	Holiday on a luxury boat.
Safari	An organized journey to look at wild animals.
Hiking	Long walks in the countryside, often mountains.
Distance	The amount of space between two places.

Entertainment	Shows or other performances or activities that entertain people.
Ticket	A small card given to show that you've paid for an event, journey etc.
Boarding pass	A card that allows passengers to get on an aircraft or ship.
Departure card	Official document that proves a person has left a country.
Arrival card	Official document that proves a person has entered a country.
Visa	Official mark in a passport that allows someone to stay in a country.
Voucher	A coupon that proves that you have paid for a reserved service. (hotel etc.)



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1. Brussels is 173 kilometers from Amsterdam.
2. Paris is 493 kilometers from Amsterdam.
3. Paris is farther from Amsterdam than from Brussels.
4. Brussels is farther from Paris than from Amsterdam.
5. Chatham is the farthest place from Amsterdam.
6. Odense is farther from Amsterdam than Amsterdam is from Brussels.
7. Brussels is situated between Amsterdam and Paris.
8. The distance between Brussels and Chatham is 18897 kilometers.
9. Coming from Chatham, Schweinfurt is the last city before Paris.
10. Schweinfurt is as far from Paris as from Odense.
11. From Chatham to Schweinfurt is 18343 kilometers.
12. Addis Ababa is between Schweinfurt and Chatham.
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4 destination

5 credit card

6 arrival card

7 ticket

8 Agra, India

9 Travel Insurance Policy

10 passport

11 accommodation