

Exercises

55.1 Which of the holiday places and types of holiday in A have you or any of your friends had experience of? What are the advantages and disadvantages of each? Try and find at least one advantage and one disadvantage for each, even if you have no experience of them.


55.2 Complete this table. Use a dictionary to help you, if necessary.



adjective	noun	verb
exhilarating
glamorous
intoxicating
legendary	-
luxurious

55.3 Fill in the gaps in this postcard with appropriate adjectives from Section B on the opposite page.

Hi,
 Am having a wonderful holiday here. The town here is very old and⁽¹⁾ The guidebook says it is remarkable for its⁽²⁾ charm and it is right! It is surrounded by magnificent mountains and yesterday I went for an⁽³⁾ climb. Even though it isn't too expensive, the hotel is quite⁽⁴⁾ and the view from my balcony is⁽⁵⁾.
 Wish you were here!
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55.4 Complete these sentences with a word from the opposite page.

- 1 As soon as we got to the camp site we our tent.
- 2 At the youth hostel Jimmy insisted on sleeping in the top
- 3 They stayed in a nice little at a holiday camp with two bedrooms and its own living area.
- 4 Our hotel offers you unsurpassed for unbeatable prices.
- 5 Take a memorable cruise along the Mississippi.
- 6 Visitors to our hotel have access to our own private beach.
- 7 Experienced skiers can try the most breath-taking of
- 8 Be thrilled by visiting the castle of the Count Dracula!

55.5 There are six typical language mistakes in the paragraph below. Underline and correct them.

The Smiths stayed at a camping last summer because all other kinds of holiday accommodations are too expensive for them. Every day Mrs Smith had a sunbath, Mr Smith made a sightseeing and the children made a travel around the island. One day they made an excursion to a local castle.

55.6 Write a holiday advertisement for a place you know well. Use as many of the words from Section B opposite as possible.