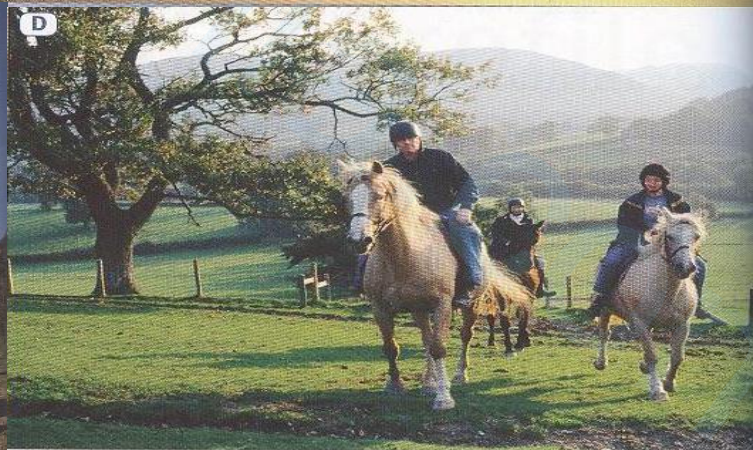


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Experiences

Which is the most exciting activity in the photos?



19:10 The Countryside Today

Horse-riding and hiking are outdoor activities that many people enjoy. They are healthy and relaxing ways for people to enjoy the countryside – walking is certainly an excellent way to get fit. But for farmers they can have negative results. Today's episode looks at the way horses and hikers can damage fields and farms.

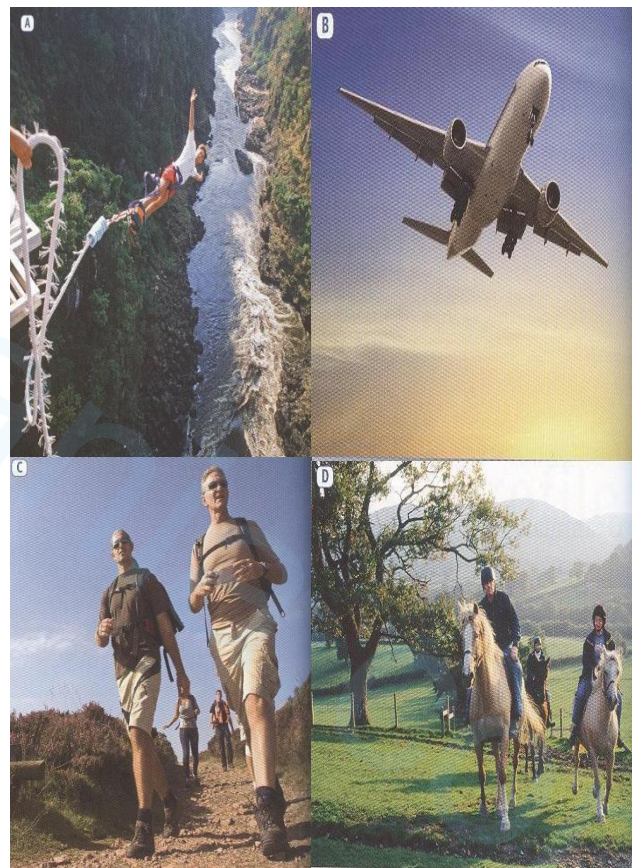
19:30 The Holiday Show

Australia and New Zealand are now popular destinations for travellers from all over the world. This week Jason Morris joins a group of young British students for an action/adventure holiday in Australia. After a long-haul flight of 22 hours they are ready for the experience of a lifetime.

20:25 Extreme Sports Challenge

In today's episode the young presenters Liam and Terri go bungee jumping for the first time. Liam loves extreme challenges but there's a serious problem – Terri is afraid of heights! Can she do the bungee jump or not? Watch tonight's episode and find out.

Read the article



Read the Dialogue

J = Jason, D = Derek, A = Alicia,

M = Moira, T = Todd

J: I'm here at **Heathrow Airport** with a group of friends from **Lancaster University**: Derek, Moira, Todd and Alicia. Today's the **start of an amazing adventure** for them. In half an **hour** they get on a plane to begin the holiday of a lifetime. Derek, how are you **feeling** right now?

D: To be honest, Jason, I'm feeling quite nervous ... nervous but excited.

J: Why are you nervous?

D: Well, this is my first **long plane journey**. I haven't been on a **long-haul flight** before so it's my first time ... and **Australia** is a long way away.

J: Are the rest of you experienced travellers?

A: We've been to America!

M: Yes, the three of us have been on a **long-haul flight** before. I went to **Florida** last year with **Todd** and **Alicia**.

J: Have you been to Australia?

M: No, we haven't.

D, A, T: No, we haven't been to Australia.

J: So I guess you're all very excited about those activities in Australia? Have you been **horse-riding**, **hiking** or **bungee jumping** before?

T: Alicia and I have been horse-riding. We went when we were in **Scotland** two years ago. But **Derek** and **Moira** stayed in the hotel! So they haven't been horse-riding before.

M: It was cold!

D: But we've all been hiking. We went last year.

J: And have you ever been bungee jumping?

D: Oh no. We haven't been bungee jumping. It's the first time for all of us.

M: I'm very nervous about it!

Tick the things the students have done before

Moira	visit Australia	<input type="checkbox"/>	long-haul flight	<input type="checkbox"/>
Derek	hiking	<input type="checkbox"/>	bungee jumping	<input type="checkbox"/>
Todd	horse-riding	<input type="checkbox"/>	visit Australia	<input type="checkbox"/>
Alicia	bungee jumping	<input type="checkbox"/>	visit America	<input type="checkbox"/>

Answer the following

- a *I haven't been on a long-haul flight before.*
 - b *Have you been to Australia?*
 - c *We've all been hiking.*
 - d *We went horse-riding when we were in Scotland two years ago.*
- 1 Which extract refers to a particular time in the past? When?
 - 2 Which extracts do not refer to a particular time in the past?
 - 3 Which verb form do we use when we do not refer to a particular time in the past?

Grammar

Active grammar

⊕ : subject + 've (or *have*) + past participle
: *We've _____ to America.*

⊖ : subject + *haven't* (or *have not*) + past participle
: *We _____ bungee jumping.*

⊙ : *Have* + subject + past participle
: *Have _____ to Australia?*

: *Yes, I/we/you/they have.*
: *No, I/we/you/they _____ .*

- 1 We use the Present Perfect to talk about an activity at any time up to now/a particular time in the past.
- 2 *been* is a past tense/past participle.

Complete the following

- 1 A: Have you _____ to New York?
B: Yes, I _____ .
- 2 A: _____ your friends been to New Zealand?
B: No, they _____ .
- 3 A: _____ you been to Canada?
B: Yes, we _____ last summer, it was great!

Find the mistakes and correct them

- 1 I wasn't been bungee jumping before.
- 2 They not have been to Scotland.
- 3 Have you went to a classical concert?
- 4 We didn't been on an adventure holiday before.
- 5 I have been not to Brazil.
- 6 Did they been hiking before?

Answer the following

Work in groups of three.

Student A: look at page 131.

Student B: look at page 134.

Student C: Ask your partners questions with *Have you been to ... ?* If they answer *Yes*, find out when and where they did the activity, and if they liked it. Check any words you don't know in a dictionary before you begin.

Have you been to ...

- an IMAX cinema?
- a bullfight?
- a rock concert?
- a wedding?
- a theme park?
- a circus?

A: *Have you been to an IMAX cinema?*

B: *Yes, I have. I went last week.*

A: *Did you like it?*

***Thank you for
today!***

***We're looking forward to
seeing you again!***