

**THE PILOT SCHOOL OF GABES LANGUAGE PRACTICE**  
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1/ Fill in the blanks with the right words from the box.

Package tours are simply a way to buy the airfare, accommodations, and other elements of your trip (such as car rentals, airport transfers, and sometimes even activities) at the same time and often at.....prices.

Despite the fact that escorted tours require big..... and predetermine hotels, restaurants, and itineraries, many people..... security and peace of mind from the structure they offer. Escorted tours -- whether they're navigated by bus, ....., train, or boat -- let travelers sit back and enjoy the trip without having to drive or worry about..... They take you to the maximum number of sights in the minimum amount of time with the least amount of..... They're particularly..... for people with limited mobility and they can be a great way to make new friends.

On the downside, you'll have little opportunity for unanticipated interactions with..... The tours can be jam-packed with activities, leaving little room for individual....., whim, or adventure -- plus they often focus on the heavily touristed sites, so you miss out on many a less-known gem.

Derive / locals / coach / sightseeing / convenient / hassle / discounted /deposits / details

2/ Choose the right alternative

The only thing that makes winter endurable is our annual vacation package to the Caribbean; **wether /whether / weather** it's a cruise, an all inclusive resort package, a weekend getaway or an [eco-adventure](#) tour deep into the Caribbean's **lush / rush / luscious** tropical rain forests, it will be an experience of a lifetime.



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Your choices in a Caribbean vacation package are **as vast as / as vaster as / as the vastest as** the Caribbean itself.

A good way to see a variety of Caribbean islands is to take a Caribbean **hiking / trekking /cruise**; this way you can sample up to seven islands within a 7 day cruise, sampling each, and then decide **which / whose /whom** island would be most suited for a vacation package of 14 days or even more.

Of course, when it comes to **choose / choice / choosing** a style of resort for your Caribbean vacation package, the sky is the limit. Most **holiday makers / holidayers** prefer to choose a hotel located right on the beach, **overlooking / overlooked** the **sparkling** azure waters of the Caribbean. There is something very soothing and therapeutic in the rhythmic sounds of waves washing up on the shore. There are also a wide **branch / range / type /** of resorts and hotels located on golf **courts / tracks /courses**, in towns, overlooking lush rain forests or even within a view of an active volcano.

When you leave the planning to our agency, just remember your sun hat and bathing suit: we'll look after the rest. We offer the best **rates / fees/ charges** and the widest selection of quality product at **affordable / wise / exorbitant** prices.

3/ Fill in the blanks.



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Dear Walking Friends,

Here at Scott Walking Adventures, our mission is to create .....walking and hiking experiences in beautiful places of natural history and cultural..... Our professional management, ..... and guides ensure customer satisfaction

Our goal is to seek out settings and plan .....for people who love the .....and appreciate the importance of .....the nature's beauty with care and respect for the environment.

We continually work to ..... and improve our 'green' practices through participation in workshops, seminars, and focus groups; fostering .....of environmental preservation.

Heritage / exploring / outdoors / awareness / enhance / journeys / memorable / staff

4/ Fill in the blanks.

We visited a part of the world where everything seemed new and foreign from the flora and ..... to the landscapes. It was an unforgettable experience

The towns we visited, the restaurants in which we ate, and the .....we met were terrific. The scenery was indeed, spectacular. The....., remote beauty of the place, the .....food we were lucky to enjoy at Tors Cove, the fine company of the guides, the moderate weather, all seamlessly woven together added to our fun.

The tour surpassed my ..... I came home looking so relaxed that friends thought I had been to a .....! I loved having all the details handled by competent people whom I completely trusted. The overall experience was unparalleled. We felt a sense of sadness mixed with ..... when the tour ended. All of it was a highlight!

Locals / fauna / fine / spa / fulfilment / expectations / unspoiled

5/ Fill in the blanks with the words in the box.



We are the leader in low-priced all ..... vacations packages to the Dominican Republic. Today, it is a holiday Mecca to all nationalities including Europeans, Americans and the Far East

With well over 5,000 km of ....., the DR is easily one of the largest vacation package ..... in the Caribbean, and it offers an ..... large selection of holiday choices. .... the entire DR is blessed ..... consistent sunshine, beautiful beaches and ..... scenery, each area of the Dominican Republic

has its own ..... There is a lot to see and do in the capital including several museums, a bustling tour, or seaside promenade, great shopping, ..... dazzling restaurants and resorts for every ..... and every holiday need. It is well worth the trip.

While / inclusive / destinations / gorgeous / budget / charms / first-rate / equally / coastline / with

6/ Put the words in the right tense or form.

May 13, 2002 - Mark Shuttleworth, who paid his own way to become the first African in space, says his **fly**..... to the international space station yielded personal **thrilled**..... as well as potential scientific dividends. Shuttleworth told NBC's "Today" show on Monday that he believes space officials are becoming **increase**..... open to the opportunities **made**..... possible by **private / fund**..... flights like his 10-day, multimillion-dollar trip.

Shuttleworth's voyage, which began April 25 and ended May 5 on the barren steppes of Kazakhstan, made him the world's second **pay**..... space passenger. The 28-year-old Internet entrepreneur **report**..... paid \$20 million for his **train**..... and trip — about the same fare **pay**..... a year earlier by California millionaire Dennis Tito for his unprecedented flight.

7/ Put the words in the right tense or form.

*Space Tourism* is the term that's come to be used to mean ordinary members of the public **buy**..... tickets to travel to space and back. Many people find this idea futuristic. But over the past few years a growing volume of professional work **do**..... on the subject, and it's now clear that setting up **commerce**..... space tourism services is a realistic target for business today.

[Market research](#) has revealed that most people, at least in the industrialized countries, would like to take a trip to space if it **be**.....

possible. This gives huge scope for reducing the cost of space travel by large-scale operation like airlines.

The main obstacle is simply the conservatism of the space industry as it is today. Since Sputnik **launch**..... in 1957 most space activities **fund**.....by [governments](#).

8/ Fill in the blanks and put the underlined words in the right tense or form.

My partner and I just return..... from an amazing week's stay at the King Jason Hotel. We stayed in a ..... apartment which was clean, space..... and had good cooking.....

When we arrived in the room we had a welcome gift of Turkish delights and when leave....., we were given a jar of Cypriot honey .The pool area was lovely. Clean pool, plenty of sun beds and lots of umbrellas. There wasn't many children ..... and running around.

On our last night we decided to have dinner in the hotel restaurant, as we were leaving quite early in the evening. This made me regretful..... the fact that we go..... all inclusive or even.....!! The food was amazing!!

I have already .....this hotel to my friends and family and we are hoping to go back soon.

half board / screaming / facilities / self-catering / recommended

9/ Put the words in the right tense or form



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Dear Sir,

I am writing to complain about our recent Super City Break holiday, which we booked through your company at the beginning of February. My companion and I feel that your advertising of this holiday was totally **mislead**..... The organisation was poor and the cost was too

high. If we had known what it was really going to be like, we definitely **not / choose** .....it.

Right from check- in at the airport, which was supposed to be at 5.45 in the morning, things started to go wrong. Your staff there, who appeared to be half asleep, said they had no record of our **book**..... and neither of them seemed interested in finding out why. Our holiday could have ended there and then if the supervisor **not / appear** .....by chance and eventually sorted things out.

The flight itself, which should have taken off at 7.45 but was delayed for the whole morning, was uncomfortable and the food, when at least was served, was almost inedible. When we landed, we **find**..... the buses which we **promise**..... had already left. By the time we reached the hotel, we were already wishing we had stayed at home, but even worse was to come.

The hotel, **advertise**..... in the brochure as 'luxury accommodation ` was appalling. The rooms were tiny and the food, in my opinion, disgusting.

Needless to say, the return flight was no better since it **put off**..... more than six hours behind schedule. I travel frequently, and I am not used to **witness** ..... such poor service.

My companion and I expect you to offer us a considerable sum of money in **compensate**..... If this is not forthcoming, both of us will take **law**..... action to obtain it.

faithfully. Yours

Patricia Ryan

10/ Complete the letter with the missing parts.

Dear Ms Lewis,

.....18<sup>th</sup> September. ....that you were disappointed by the service you received on your holiday.



.....that the villa was not cleaned by the maid on the last two days of your holiday. I have spoken to our representative in Corfu and it seems that .....the maid was ill. ....a replacement at such short notice.

..... I can assure you that we will take steps to ensure that this does not occur again. ....a brochure for next year and a voucher which entitles you to 10% off the advertised price of any holiday booked before 31<sup>st</sup> January.

1/Unfortunately, we were not able to find  
Yours sincerely,

2/Please accept my sincere apologies

3/I have investigated your complaint

4/As a sign of goodwill, I enclose

5/Thank you for your letter of

6/the problems were due to the fact that

7/I was sorry to hear

11// Put the words in the right tense or form

Last month, I stayed at your hotel and the weather turned bad **not / expectedly**..... It was raining and there was no proper heating in my room.

Those days I suffered a great deal because it got unusually cold, the **hot**..... wasn't working well and the roof of my room was leaking rain water. So I complained at your service desk, but they just came and looked at the heater and roof and said, "We'll be working on it", but nothing **do**..... Then I asked them to change my room but unfortunately there weren't any **vacancy**..... rooms available at

that time. I spent 2 days and 1 night in very poor conditions and due to this I came down with a fever. I was sick when I left your hotel and the next day I was unable to go to work.

I hope you will pay attention to this letter and try to fix your service center and **refurbish** your establishment. Your hotel is in the center of the city and is very convenient. Next time, I would like to stay at your hotel in hopes that you **take**..... better care of your customers.

12/ Complete the paragraph with the right words from the list

La Romana is a flourishing resort area ..... for its gorgeous white-sandy beaches. This action-packed resort on the Dominican Republic's south coast is the perfect place for a sunny vacation.

Enjoy an unbelievable variety of sports and ..... activities unmatched in the Caribbean ..... golf, polo, horseback riding, tennis, swimming and all other non-motorized water sports, with some of the ..... snorkelling and scuba destinations in the region.

Visitors will find easy access to the offshore ..... preserves of Catalina and Saona where you can uncover ..... beaches. Snorkelling on these living reefs is the experience of a .....  
The Bayahibe area also .....some of the most unique shops and boutiques on the island. Nearby ..... include the "artists village" of Altos de Chavon, a re-creation of a 16th century Italian village with artisan workshops and an archaeological.....

Recreational - wildlife - renowned – boasts - finest – pristine - museum - including lifetime - attractions



13 / put the right form and choose the best alternative



The magic of Disney is its incredible ability to deliver a sense of **wonderful** ..... and magic to children of all ages. Its location in central Florida is



ideal, because it is **easily** accessible from both coasts, **allow**..... you to be **little**.....than 90 minutes from one of Florida's fabulous beaches.

[Walt Disney World](#), just outside of [Orlando](#), covers 43 square miles and, as a result, you could easily spend a week there and not see everything. For this reason, and a host of others, many families and couples return year after year to try and discover and experience everything that Disney has to offer. In order to take **full -fully** advantage of your time at Disney, it helps to stay at a Disney property, **which /thus / especially** eliminating travel time to and from the park. **This** ..... resorts are often quite expensive, so you will want to take advantage of discounts and **save** ..... that are offered

If you are only at the park for the day, there are **a few / few** sites that you will not want to miss including Space Mountain

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