

Reading comprehension - Planning a holiday

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Read the text and decide which word A-D Best fits each gap 1-16.

Planning a holiday can be a very frustrating **1)** Going off on holiday is also a time of great excitement for all **2)** family. There are so many things to take into account when planning a holiday. It often **3)** after a long period of discussion several months before, when for about three weeks every **4)** booklet and prospectus is **5)** up at the local travel agent's. There are sometimes so many of these they need to be brought home in a **6)** bag. They are then gone through **7)** by one every evening for about three weeks. Places are chosen by the **8)** of the very attractive photographs and **9)** to location. Everybody has their say, prices are **10)** and lists are made. Finally all it **11)** down to a choice of perhaps three places. It becomes almost impossible to **12)** two of these and **13)** what will certainly provide the family's next holiday. But the miracle eventually **14)** place, and late one evening after much argument agreement is **15)** It is with a sigh of considerable **16)** that next day the holiday is booked.

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| 1. A) day | B) experience | C) experiment | D) suggestion |
| 2. A) of | B) a | C) in | D) the |
| 3. A) presents | B) comes | C) passes | D) appears |
| 4. A) approximate | B) absolute | C) available | D) additional |
| 5. A) picked | B) selected | C) chosen | D) lifted |
| 6. A) carriage | B) transport | C) porter | D) carrier |
| 7. A) each | B) every | C) one | D) single |
| 8. A) sight | B) look | C) air | D) face |
| 9. A) allowing | B) approving | C) agreeing | D) according |
| 10. A) compared | B) composed | C) rivaled | D) resembled |
| 11. A) restricts | B) limits | C) narrows | D) tightens |
| 12. A) depart | B) eliminate | C) dispose | D) rid |
| 13. A) rest | B) remain | C) reside | D) leave |
| 14. A) forms | B) fits | C) takes | D) makes |
| 15. A) arrived | B) received | C) ended | D) reached |
| 16. A) relief | B) breath | C) help | D) rescue |

ANSWERS:

1. B

2. D
3. B
4. C
5. A
6. D
7. C
8. B
9. D
10. A
11. C
12. B
13. D
14. C
15. D
16. A

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