

# 50 Holidays

**A**

## Holiday (noun)

We had a wonderful holiday in Egypt in 1996.  
I'm not working next week. I'm on holiday.  
Are you going on holiday this summer?

**B**

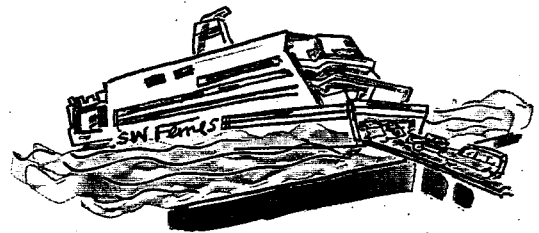
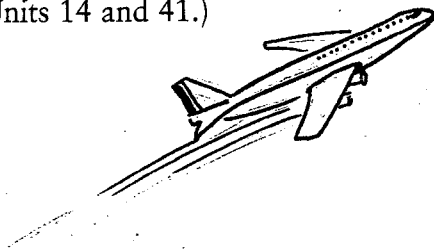
## Types of holidays

We are going on a **package holiday** to Hong Kong. (everything is included, flights, hotel, etc.)  
We're going to have a **winter holiday** this year. (often means skiing / winter sports)  
I want to go **camping** this year. (sleep in a tent)  
I'm going on a **walking holiday** in the Alps. (usually means walking up mountains)  
A **coach tour** is a cheap way to go on holiday. (going in a big, comfortable bus)

**C**

## Transport

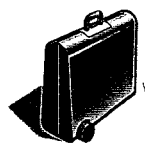
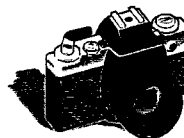
Are you flying to France from England?  
No, we're going by **ferry**. (ship where you can take your car with you)  
We're going by **car** / **by train** / **by bus**.  
(See Units 14 and 41.)



**D**

## Don't forget to take with you ...

your **passport** (if you are going to another country)  
a **visa** (a special stamp in your passport to go to some countries)  
your **tickets**  
some **traveller's cheques** and **currency** (money of the country you are going to)  
a **camera**  
a **phrase book** (if it's a different language)  
your **luggage** /'lʌɡɪdʒ/



**E**

## When you are there ...

Send some **postcards**.  
Try the **local food**.  
Enjoy the **nightlife**. (discos, clubs, etc.)  
Try to speak the **language**.  
Go to the **Tourist Information Office** if you have any questions. (or the **Tourist Office**)

