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Chapter

# English for Traveling and Tourism

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# 1 At the Airport

PART **1** 

Key Terms











2 check-in counter



3 e-ticket



4 passport



visa



6 boarding pass



luggage cart/trolley



PART **1** Key Terms





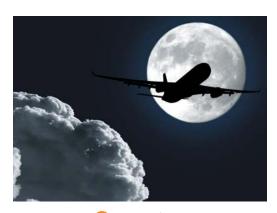
8 airline



9 scale



morning flight



11 night flight

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12 departure board



security gate



14 moving walkway





15 duty free shop



(departure) gate



10 departure lounge



18 runway

PART

**Q** Conversations

- Raymond G Ground Staff
- I'd like to check in.
- May I have your ticket and passport, please?<sup>1</sup>
- R Here you are. I'd like a window seat.
- On the scale, please.
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  De
- R All right.
- OK. Here's your ticket, boarding pass, passport and baggage claim tag. You'll be boarding at Gate 8. The boarding time is 9 a.m.
- Thank you very much.

#### **Useful Pattern**

I'd like a/an

- middle seat
- aisle seat

#### **Alternative Expressions**

- 1 Passport and ticket, please.
- 2 luggage



self-service check-in kiosk

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- Helen James
- Shouldn't we be going this way to passport control<sup>1</sup>?
- Let's go through the e-gates.
- H E-gates? I've never done<sup>2</sup> that.
- Ome on, I'll show you. It's easy. Lots of airports have them now.
- What do I need to do to go through an e-gate?
- Just let the machine scan your passport and then look at the monitor. At some airports, I think you need to leave your fingerprints.
- Sounds very convenient!

#### Alternative Expressions

1 passport inspection

2 used Useful Pattern

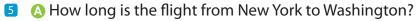


# PART 3

### **Useful Expressions**



- Are there any planes to Boston on Sunday?
- 2 A How often is there a flight to Paris?
  - **3** We have flights to Paris every hour.
- 3 At what time does the next plane to London leave?
- 4 A What's the next one after that?
  - B The next one is flight 10 at 10:45.



- (3) Well, supposedly one hour, but it's sometimes longer.
- 6 (A) I'd like to make a reservation to Chicago for tomorrow.
  - I can give you a reservation on that.
- - (B) You must make a reconfirmation 48 hours ahead.
- 8 How much is the round trip?
- The one-way ticket from San Francisco to Boston is \$700.
- Mare they non-stop flights?
  - Yes. Direct to Paris.
- M Is that a direct flight?
  - That is not a direct flight. You need to transfer in Bangkok.
- 1'd like to travel first-class, please.

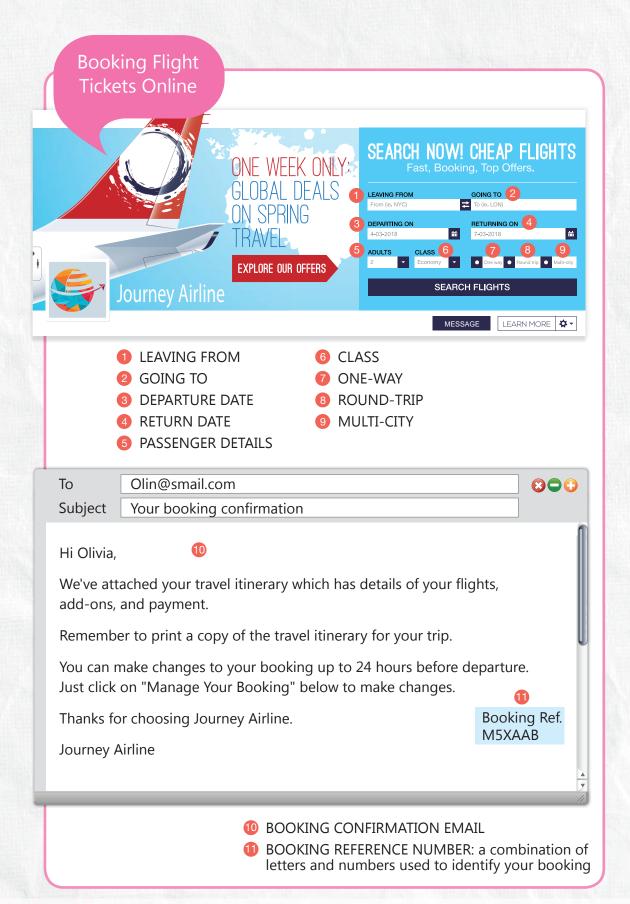




- Please put your bags on the scale.
- What's the baggage allowance?
- 29 Can I carry this bag on?

# O4 Customs Clearance and Boarding

- 30 Please walk through the security gate.
- 31 Please open your bag. We'd like to have a look.
- 32 Just make sure you don't have any liquid with you.
- 33 Test again.
- Mhen is the boarding time?
  - (3) I'm afraid your flight is delayed.
- May I have your attention, please. Thai Airlines flight TG 635 to Bangkok is now boarding. Passengers in the first class, please proceed to the boarding gate now.
- 36 Attention, please. Due to weather conditions, all flights to Taipei will be delayed. We truly regret the delay. Thank you for your cooperation and patience. We will inform you of the new departure time as soon as possible. Thank you.



#### E-ticket 1



(cc by Airodyssey)

- Booking Number
- 2 Flight Number
- 3 From . . . To . . .
- 4 Aircraft Type
- 6 Airline Class
- 6 Seat Status
- 7 Time: departure time
- 8 Passenger Name

- Ticket Number
- Frequent Flyer Number: a series of number for travelers to accumulate mileages
- 11 Special Needs: special travel needs
- Purchase Description: payment details
- 13 Price: each payment detail
- 10 Total Fare
- (5) Forms of Payment: credit card/check/cash



# V123456<<MMM1231234K0005679L3ZZZ1234M56789

Schengen VISA

- Issuing Post Name
- 2 Control Number
- Surname
- Given Name
- 5 Visa Type:
  passport type
  Regular
  Official
  Diplomatic
  Other
- 6 Class: the type of visa that shows your purpose of travel
- Passport Number
- Sex
  M (male) / F (female)
- 9 Birth Date
- Nationality
- 1 EntriesM (multiple)S (single)
- Issue Date
- 13 Expiration Date
- 4 Annotation:
  additional information
  about one's visa
- 1 Valid For
- 2 From . . . Until . . .
- 3 Type of Visa
  C (short term)
  D (long term)
  - Number of Entrie
- 4 Number of Entries MULT/SINGLE
- **5** Duration of Stay
- 6 Issued In
- On (Date)
- 8 Number of Passport
- Surname, Name
- Remarks: additional information about one's visa



# **Exercise**

# Chapter 01 At the Airport

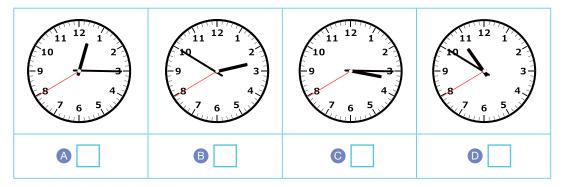
### Listening



(012) 1 Listen to the following conversation between a passenger and a clerk at the check-in counter. Check the box that shows the luggage the man has.



(013) ② Listen to the conversation again and look at the clocks below. What time should the man be at the boarding gate? Check the box under the correct picture.



Look at the following image of a visa and choose the correct answers.



- \_\_\_\_1. How long is this visa valid for?
  - (A) Thirty days.
- (B) Two months.
- (C) One year.
- (D) Forever.
- \_\_\_\_2. Using this visa, how many times can Ms. Hsu enter the country she is visiting?
  - (A) Once.
- (B) Twice.
- (C) Five times.
- (D) As many times as she wants.

### C Pair Work

With a partner, take turns playing the roles of a passenger and a clerk at the check-in counter. Use the information below.

AIR TICKET			BOARDING PASS	
NAME OF PASSENGER  JOHN SMITH	FLIGHT NUMBER CK239	TYPE Return Ticket	NAME OF PASSENGER NOTE: JOHN SMITH	SEAT NUMBER  28A
FROM New York JFK	DEPARTURE TIME 7:20 p.m.		I FROM I New York JFK I I TO	FLIGHT NUMBER CK239  DATE
TO London LHR	ARRIVAL TIME 10:40 p.m.		L Condon LHR	25 DEC 18 BOARDING TIME
GATE C12	6:50 p.m.	Two suitcases, 20 kg each	C12	6:50 p.m.

#### **Example:**

Passenger: What time does the plane depart?

Clerk: It departs at 7:20 p.m.