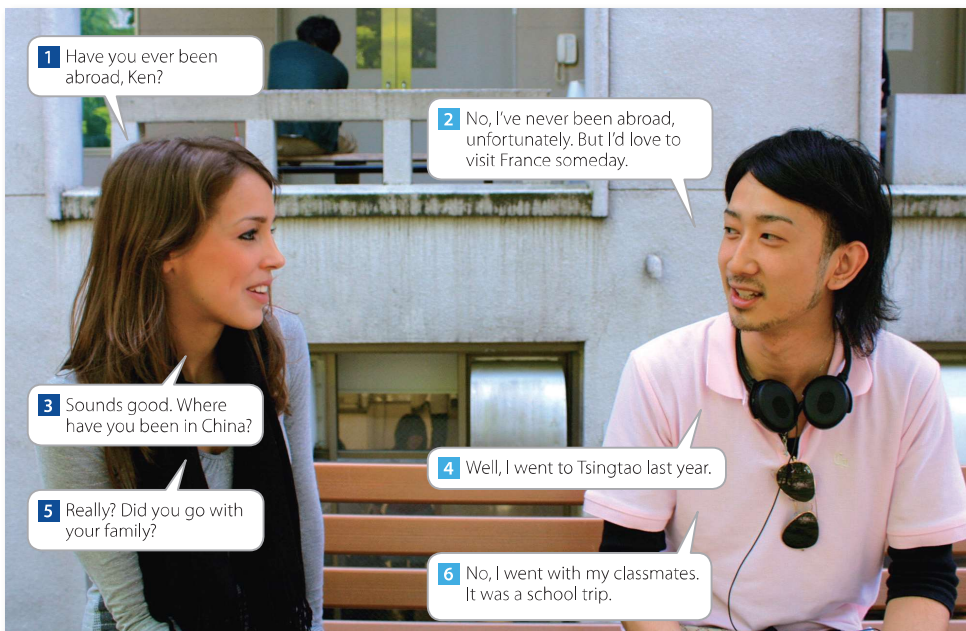


▶▶ PART 1

PREVIEW



1 Have you ever been abroad, Ken?

2 No, I've never been abroad, unfortunately. But I'd love to visit France someday.

3 Sounds good. Where have you been in China?

4 Well, I went to Tsingtao last year.

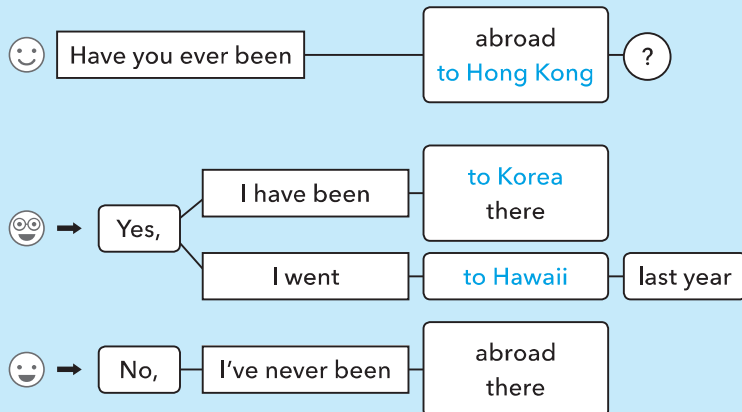
5 Really? Did you go with your family?

6 No, I went with my classmates. It was a school trip.

MODEL SENTENCES



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1 Vary your questions



Write the open form of this question:

Have you ever been abroad?

→ Where.....?

2 How about you?



Have you ever been abroad? If so, where? If not, where would you like to go someday?

Where have you been in China?

Have a chat to practice open and closed questions:

A: Have you ever been abroad?

B: → Yes, I've been to (the USA).

→ No, I haven't, but I'd love to go to (France) someday.

A: And where have you been in China?

B: I went to (Shanghai a few years ago).

SOUNDING NATURAL NOTE



Tell your travel story



Add extra details by answering some of these implicit questions, or ask them out loud to help your partner speak.

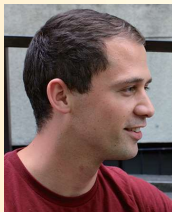
→ Golden Rule 2: Give longer answers



Did you go there by yourself?
Who did you go with?

I went

- by myself
- with my family
- with my school
- with friends



How was it?
Was it _____?

It was

- nice
- great
- tiring



What did you do there?
Did you _____?

- I did some sightseeing.
- I studied English.
- I did a homestay.
- I visited the Louvre museum.



How long did you stay?

I stayed

- overnight
- for a few days
- for two weeks

It was just a day trip.

GUIDED SPEAKING PRACTICE



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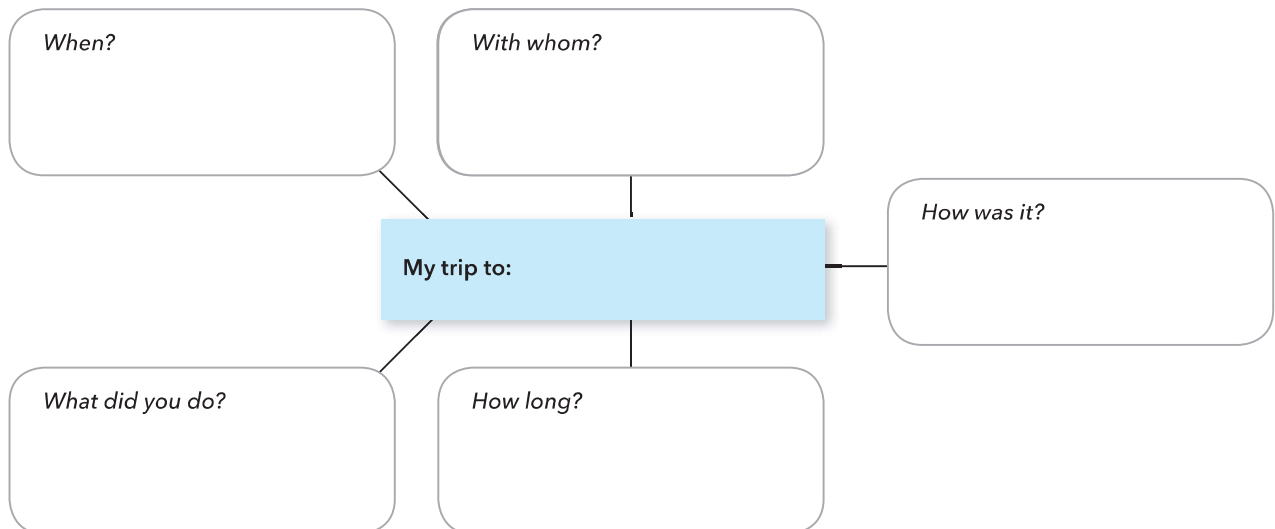


1	I went to Australia last summer	with my family	to Pingyao for sightseeing in August	interesting
2	I have been to Korea	with my classmates on a school trip	to Thailand last summer	hot
3	I went to Canada in 2008	with my girlfriend	to Alaska in 2010	cold but very beautiful
4	I have been to Italy	on a tour	to Beijing during spring break	exciting
5	I went to Singapore when I was in high school	with my class on a school trip	to London last summer	awesome

3 How about you?

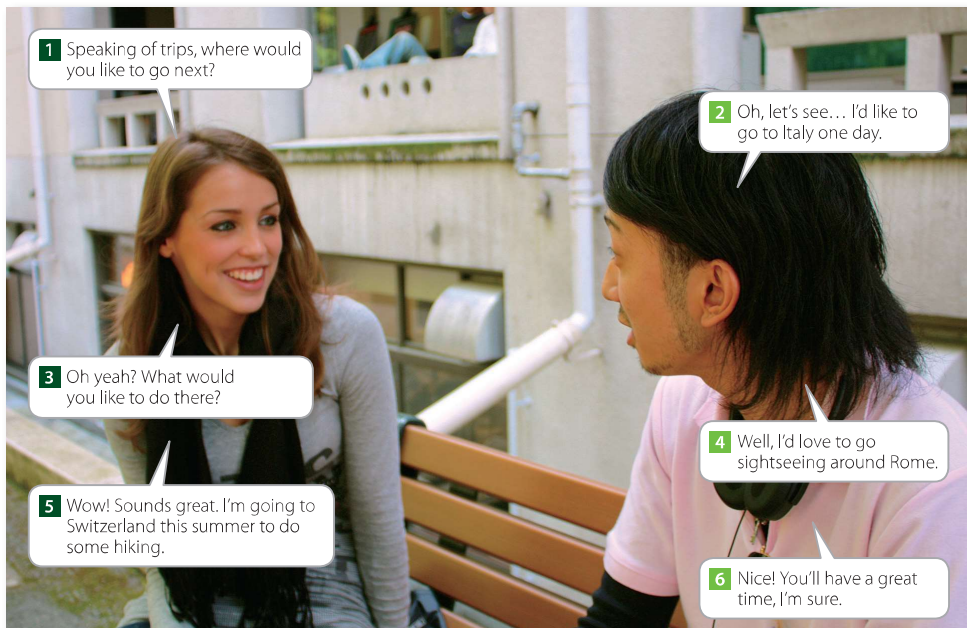


Fill out the mind map with some information about a memorable trip:

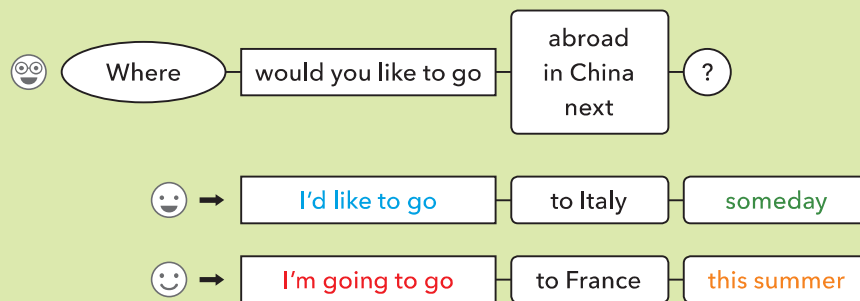


▶▶ PART 2

PREVIEW



MODEL SENTENCES



1 Variation vocabulary

単語リスト

I'd like to go	I'm going to go	someday	this summer
I'd love to go	I'm going	for my honeymoon	in the fall
I want to go	I will go	when I retire	during the spring break
I'm thinking about going		after I get a job	for the holidays
I'm considering going			from the 5th to the 8th of May

2 Vary your questions



Write the closed form of this question:

Where would you like to go abroad?

→ Would you ?

3 How about you?



Where would you like to go someday?

Abroad:

In China:

Have a chat about future trips, like this:

A: Where would you like to go abroad?

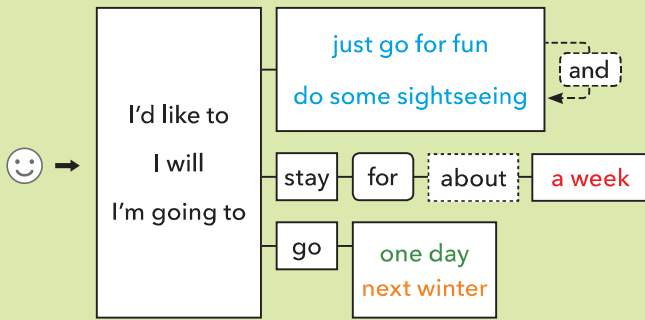
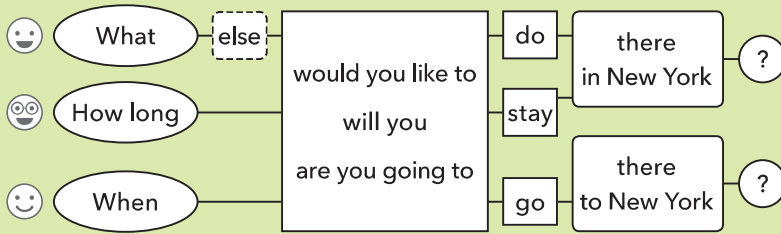
B: I'd like to go to (*Europe*) someday.

A: Oh really? How about in China? Would you like to go to (*Shanghai*)?

→ Yes, that would be great.

B: → No, not really. I'd rather visit (*Pingyao*).

MODEL SENTENCES



1 Variation vocabulary

単語リスト

just go for fun	a week	one day	next winter
do some sightseeing	two days	when I can save enough money	next weekend / month / year
do a homestay	a few months	after I graduate	in July
visit my family / friends	half a year	before I turn 30	on Tuesday
go camping		in a few years	this weekend
see the Mona Lisa		before I start a family	next summer vacation

SOUNDING NATURAL NOTE



2-21

Talk about yourself without waiting for questions

When people have a conversation in English, they often speak about themselves without waiting to be asked questions (Golden Rule 3). Talking about yourself is an invitation to the conversation partner to do likewise on the same or related topic.

A: I really want to go to Europe someday.
 B: Oh yeah? Me, too, I would love to travel abroad after I graduate.
 A: I would love to visit France or Spain.
 B: Sounds nice. I'd like to go to Australia.

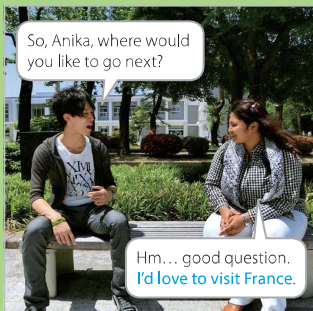
→ Golden Rule 3: Talk about yourself

→ Conversation Strategy 3: Reacting

GUIDED SPEAKING PRACTICE



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1	I want to go to New Zealand after I graduate.	I want to do a working holiday for a year.	I'm planning on visiting my family in Beijing next month.	I just want to take it easy at home.
2	I'm considering a trip to Guam.	I want to try scuba diving.	I'm going to Shanghai with my club.	We're going to practice tennis.
3	I'm thinking of going to Greece.	I'd love to see the Acropolis.	I'm planning to go to Shanghai Disneyland with a few friends.	We'll stay overnight.
4	I would love to visit Canada.	I want to go skiing in Vancouver.	I'm off to Indonesia this winter.	I'm going snorkeling in Bali.

PERSONALIZE IT!



Write a short dialog with a classmate about your future travel ideas and/or plans:

A:

B:

A:

B:

A:

B:

A:

B:

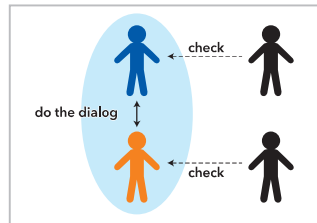
SPEAKING TIME: Memorize & Perform



1 Memorize your dialog



2 Stand and rehearse



3 Perform and give feedback

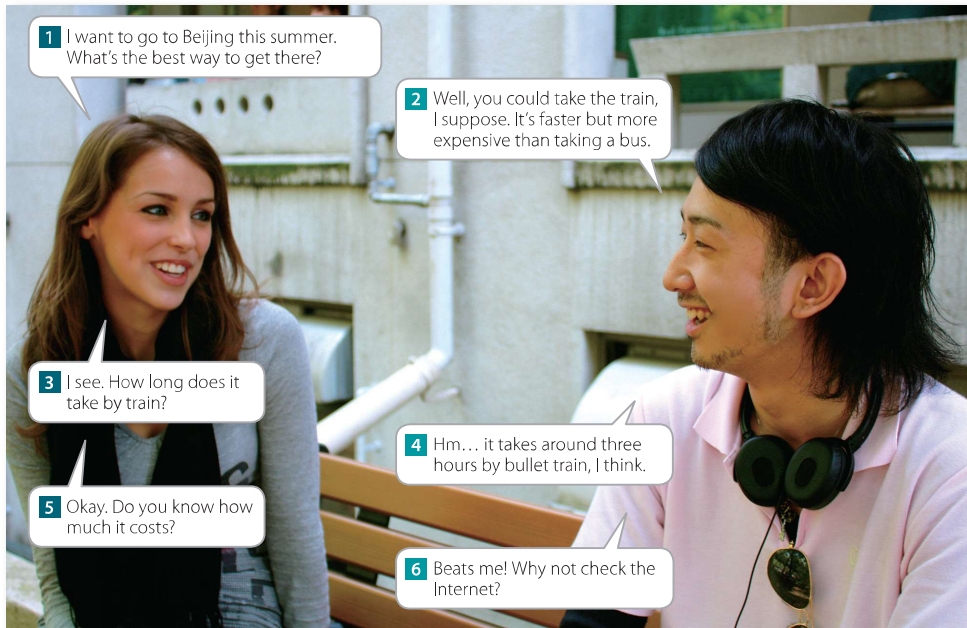


4 (Optional) Perform for the class

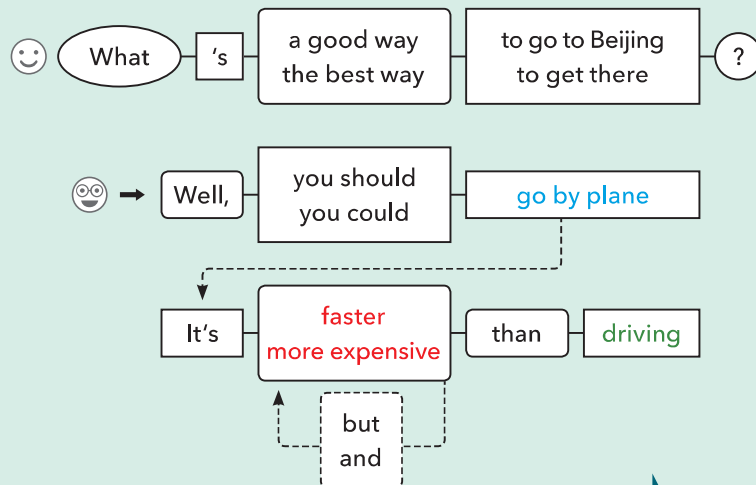


▶▶ PART 3

PREVIEW



MODEL SENTENCES



1 Variation vocabulary

単語リスト

go by plane
fly
go by car
drive
go by train
take the train
go by bus
take a bus

faster
slower
more expensive
cheaper
more comfortable
less comfortable
more fun
less fun

going by plane
flying
going by car
driving
going by train
taking the train
going by bus
taking a bus

2 Vary your questions



Write the closed form of the following question:

What's the best way to go to Macao?

→ Is.....?

3 How about you?



From where you are now, what is the best way to get to your home?

You should.....

It's..... and / but

..... than.....

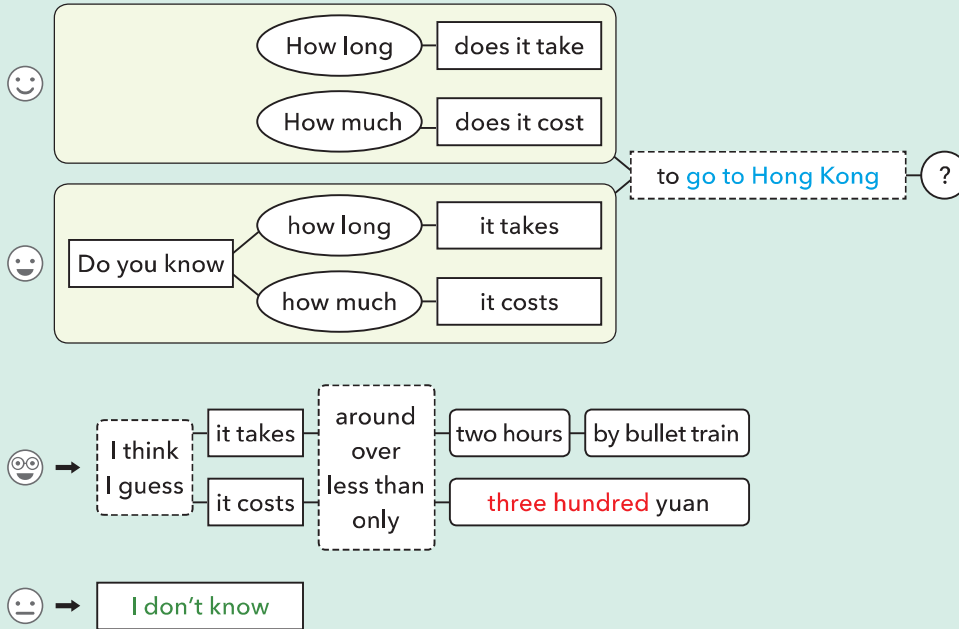
Have a chat about traveling to your home, like this:

- A: What's the best way to get to your home?
- B: Hm... let's see. Well, you could (*take the train*).
- A: I see. How about (*the bus*)? Is that a good way to get there?
- B: → Yes, it's (*less expensive*) than (*the train*).
- No, you should (*drive*). It's (*more comfortable*).

MODEL SENTENCES



2-24



1 Variation vocabulary

単語リスト

go to Thailand
get there
spend a night there
study abroad for a year

five hundred yuan
two hundred dollars
one hundred and fifty euros
fifty dollars

I don't know
I'm not sure
I have no idea
Beats me!

SOUNDING NATURAL NOTE



When you don't know, say so



In some cultures, it's polite to spend a bit of time thinking about a question you have been asked, even if you really don't know the answer. In English, when you are asked a question you don't know the answer to, it's much better to say "I don't know" quickly rather than remaining silent (Golden Rule 1).

It's nice to add a short comment after "I don't know" to avoid sounding too abrupt. For example, you could say "Why not check the Internet?" or just make a very approximate guess.

A: Do you know how long it takes to fly to Greece?
 B: I don't know! It must be long ...

A: How much does it cost to go to Boston by bus?
 B: Beats me! Around 100 dollars, maybe?

→ Golden Rule 1: Avoid long silences

→ Conversation Strategy 4: Expressing uncertainty

GUIDED SPEAKING PRACTICE



1	Korea / fly	more expensive but much nicer than taking the ferry	three hours from Haneda Airport	Beats me! Why not check the Internet?
2	Shanghai / take the night bus	slower but cheaper than the train	eight hours by bus or three by train	Hm, good question! Not too much, I guess...
3	Vietnam / take the train	cheaper and more interesting than flying	ten hours or more	I'm not sure... Maybe around one hundred dollars?
4	South Korea / go by plane	faster and more convenient than going by ferry	four hours	I have no idea... But it's not too expensive, I think.

LISTENING PRACTICE



Listen to the dialog and fill in the missing words:



A: I went to Kyoto⁽¹⁾
 B: Really? That sounds nice. How was it?
 A: Oh, it was great. The weather was⁽²⁾, and I did a lot of sightseeing. I took the night bus from Tokyo.
 B: Fantastic. I'd love to go there myself.
 A: Yes, you should!
 B: Is the night bus the⁽³⁾ to get there?
 A: Well, you could also go by train, of course. It's more expensive but⁽⁴⁾ than the bus.
 B: I see... How long does it take by bus?
 A: Um, around six hours.
 B: And do you know how long it⁽⁵⁾ by train?
 A: I'm not⁽⁶⁾. Maybe two or three hours?
 B: Wow, that's fast!
 A: Yes, but it's much more⁽⁷⁾.
 The night bus costs only 8,000 yen round trip.



SPEAKING TIME: Free Conversation



1 Time to put it all together! Have a conversation like the one above with several classmates about your travel stories. Be sure to include as many of the following questions as you can:

Open questions

Closed questions

Have you ever been abroad?	Where have you been in China?
Who did you go with?	Did you go by yourself?
What did you do there?	Did you do any sightseeing?
How was it?	Was it fun?
Where did you stay?	Did you stay at a hotel?
How long did you stay?	Did you stay for a long time?
Where would you like to go next?	Would you like to go abroad someday?
What's a good way to get there?	Is the night bus a good way to get there?

2 Time for some role-playing! Have the same conversation while using a character card from pages 124-127.

