

# QUIZ ARE YOU A GREEN TRAVELLER?

How much do you really care about the environment? Do our quiz and find out whether you are a green traveller or not. **Analysis** on page 24

Quiz

1. You are in a Spanish hotel and there's a sign in the bathroom reminding you not to use too much water. You:

- a) Only brush your teeth with bottled water, and have a very quick shower once a day.
- b) Leave the tap running while you brush your teeth, and spend the day having nice, cool showers.

2. You want to visit a tropical **rainforest**. Which trip do you go on? One that involves:

- a) A long **trek** on foot into the rainforest that respects the natural habitat.
- b) A ride in a **4X4** along a road that has been **cut through** the rainforest. You can get right to the centre really fast and you don't have to worry about getting wet or bitten by snakes.

3. You've just read a report on **climate change** and the **environmental impact of flights**. You:

- a) Decide that from now on you'll reduce the number of **flights** you take per year.
- b) **Chuck** the report in the **bin** and **book a flight** for a **weekend break** in a European capital.



4. You're on holiday in a large city in the middle of summer. It's hot and **muggy** and you're **sweating** a lot. You:

- a) Find a nice place **in the shade** and drink lots of water.
- b) Go back to your hotel room, turn the **AC** up **full-blast** and have a cold shower for twenty minutes.

5. You're on a safari in Kenya. One of the guides ties a goat to a tree in order to attract a lion. You:

- a) **Rush forward** and rescue the poor little goat.
- b) Get your camera out – you want to capture the moment on film.



6. Your next trip away will be:

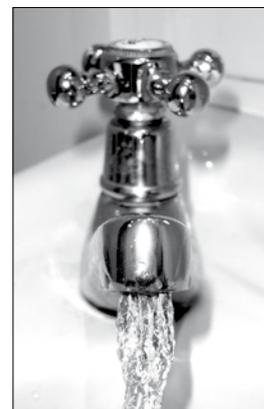
- a) A walking or cycling holiday in an area of natural beauty in your country.
- b) A round-the-world trip taking in 10 major cities and flying on all the best airlines. It'll be fantastic.

7. You're on holiday in India. It's dinner time. What do you do?

- a) I find a nice, pleasant restaurant and try some of the **local delicacies**.
- b) I call my **PA** and **get** a three-course meal **flown out** by private jet – you can't trust the food here. If not, I'll go to a five-star hotel to see what they've got on offer.

8. You want to go to the coast for your next summer holiday. Which place do you choose?

- a) A hotel in a little fishing village on the coast.
- b) A hotel in a beach resort complete with discos, bars, restaurants and a golf course. The resort is right beside a coral reef where the diving is perfect. They **chopped down** six hundred trees to **make room** for the golf course. It's great! ✨



## GLOSSARY

- to leave the tap running** *exp*  
not to turn the tap off. A "tap" is a device that controls the flow of water
- a rainforest** *n*  
a thick forest of tall trees found in tropical areas
- a trek** *n*  
a long journey on foot
- a 4X4** *n*  
a large vehicle for driving in the country
- to cut through something** *exp*  
to use machetes or equipment to cut trees in a jungle so you can move through the jungle
- climate change** *n*  
the changes in the weather and temperature caused by pollution
- the environmental impact of something** *exp*  
the effects that pollution has on the environment (the earth/sea/land/air, etc)
- flights** *n*  
journeys by airplane
- to chuck** *vb inform*  
to throw casually
- a bin** *n*  
a container for rubbish (old bits of paper, etc)
- to book a flight** *exp*  
to reserve a flight
- a weekend break** *n*  
a mini-holiday at the weekend,
- muggy** *adj*  
weather that is unpleasantly wet and hot
- to sweat** *vb*  
to lose liquid from your body because of the heat
- in the shade** *n*  
in an area that is protected from the direct light of the sun
- the AC** *abbr*  
the air-conditioning
- full-blast** *adv*  
at its maximum position
- to rush forward** *phr vb*  
to go forward quickly
- a local delicacy** *n*  
a type of food that is typical in the area you are referring to
- a PA** *abbr*  
a personal assistant. A type of secretary
- to get something flown out** *exp*  
if you "get something flown out to you", you pay someone to put something on an airplane to take it to where you are
- to chop down** *phr vb*  
if they "chop down" trees, they cut all the trees in an area and they clear that area
- to make room for something** *exp*  
to make space for something; to clear an area so something can be built there