

## **Midterm Group Vacation Presentation**

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The presentation should:

- Plan a vacation for all of the students in the class. The vacation must be realistic (but of course not real) and based on research from the internet and calling travel agencies.
- Not cost more than \$1500 per student. Less is okay, but more is not.
- Be given by a group of 3 or 4 students. Each member must contribute equally, and all members must speak during the actual presentation.
- Be 20-25 minutes long. After your presentation, your group will have another 10 minutes to answer questions.
- Tell when (including duration and time of year) and where we would go on vacation. The length and destination for your vacation is up to you, but remember the cost limits.
- Tell what interesting sites and activities we would do or see during the vacation.
- Tell us any extra information that would be interesting about the vacation (including interesting facts about the destination).
- Show any pictures, posters, or other props that might be relevant.
- Be given only in English.

Your teaching demonstration will be worth 20 points or 20% of your final grade. Your grade will be based on the following:

- Correctness of material, including pronunciation, grammar, and word use.
- Realism, including prices, destination information, and so on.
- Knowledge about the destination
- Ability to answer questions.
- Poise.
- Prepared materials, including any visuals and hand outs.
- Student reactions. Students will vote among all their presentations for their favorite vacation. The group who gets the most votes will receive a bonus.

Your grades will also be individually adjusted based on my observations and your group members' input.

Presentations will be given on Monday, October 13 and Wednesday October 15 during class time. The groups and day of presentation will be chosen today. Very little class time will be given to prepare, so groups must schedule their own time to meet outside of class.