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1 Read this website about tourist activities in London.
Then read about four young people and what they're interested in.
Find one activity for each person.

www.london.co.uk

Six ideas for tourists in London

1 Oasis is a real oasis in London, with squash courts, a gym and a sauna. Swim in our outdoor pool – open until 9.00 pm all year round.

2 Come to the London Dungeon for the scariest visit in London! Rats, darkness, secrets from the past, and lots of scary surprises! You'll love it!

3 Oxford Street offers nearly two kilometres of world-class shopping, from iconic department stores to classy boutiques. A real shoppers' paradise!

4 The Museum of Brands, Packaging and Advertising shows how cans, packets, boxes and bottles have changed over the years.

5 Hyde Park is the largest of the parks in Central London. Whether you row on the lake or have a picnic on the grass, it's the perfect place to relax.

6 Gorilla Circus Flying Trapeze School: fun, but not easy! Open-air classes in acrobatics in Regent's Park. Classes cost from £22.50

Chloe finds big cities boring because she doesn't like visiting museums or art galleries. She loves learning unusual and exciting sports – even if other people sometimes think they're dangerous!

Daniel's favourite subject at school is art. He's interested in the design of adverts, and wants to work in the advertising industry when he leaves school.

Emily likes visiting places that are a bit frightening. "They're a bit like horror films," she says, "but better – because they're real."

Finley likes walking around town with friends and window shopping. Sometimes he buys things, sometimes he doesn't: he just likes seeing what people buy.

Daniel:	
Emily:	
Finley:	

Chloe:





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(2) A visit to London - Read Lisa's summer diary

Sunday, 21st August

I was finally allowed to travel to London without Mum and Dad to see my cousin Sue. Before I left, Mum gave me lots of advice. I think she worries about me. Uncle Paul and Sue wanted to pick me up, but my train was late and arrived at a different platform. Luckily I had Sue's mobile number. We caught the Tube and Uncle Paul explained the different lines to me. It's not as easy as I thought, but Sue will always be with me.



I've arrived in London!

After lunch Sue and I started our tour. Our first stop was Buckingham Palace. What a great place! You can even visit rooms inside, but we didn't because it's quite expensive and the tour takes about two and a half hours. So I saved time and money (for shopping!). Next we went to Hyde Park. The weather was nice and we sat down and talked about school, friends and boys of course. Sue and I agree on many things. Then we had dinner with Aunt Maggie and Uncle Paul. I was really tired, so I went to bed early. And, of course, Mum rang up to ask how everything went.

Monday, 22nd August

Wow, what a great day! We left the house very early because I wanted to see as much as possible today. Our first stop was London Bridge. It was still very quiet in the city when we walked to the Tower of London. We couldn't go in because it only opens at 10 am on Mondays, so I only took some pictures of it. And again I saved money!! I must visit it next time. We crossed Tower Bridge and stopped at a small restaurant for some tea, some toast and some chatting.

I enjoyed seeing London from a double-decker bus when we went to our next sight, the Houses of Parliament and Big Ben. Later we went to Westminster Abbey and Trafalgar Square. Today I learned that I prefer the bus to the Tube because you see where you are going. Oh, time for dinner.



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Tuesday, 23rd August



Another great day! In the morning
Sue wanted to take me to London
Zoo. We went there by Tube and bus
(good!) and got off at Baker Street.
But children under 16 aren't allowed
to visit the zoo without an adult!
It's on my list for next time.

I love Camden.

So we went to Camden Market. That was good! I enjoyed our walk there very much—it's nearly as good as going by bus. Well, Camden Market is a brilliant place—full of life, culture, music and fashion of course. We walked around for hours and hours—I bought three t-shirts, a pair of trousers and some souvenirs. Things were cheap and good. Time to go now because we're all going to see the musical Billy Elliot tonight. I'm going home tomorrow. ③ Bye, diary.

a) Are the statements right, wrong or not in the text? Tick () the correct box.

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2	On Sunday evening Sue and Lisa talked long about boys and everything.			
3	Sue is Lisa's only cousin.			
4	Lisa didn't visit the Tower of London.			
5	Lisa will come to London again.			
6	Lisa's mum rang up every evening.			
7	Lisa is not interested in the zoo any longer.			
8	Sue and Lisa always took the Tube.			
9	At Camden Market Lisa bought some souvenirs for her parents.			
10	One evening they all went out.			



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1 Lösungen zu 1. READING - Ideas for tourists

Chloe: Gorilla Circus Flying Trapeze School

Daniel: Museum of Brands, Packaging and Advertising

Emily: London Dungeon Finley: Oxford Street

② Lösungen zu 2.

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