



Hi!

I've got together with six of my friends from college and we're hoping to travel to your country for about two weeks for a holiday. Can you give us some help, please?

We'd like to know when is the best time of year to visit your country. Also, we want to meet people our own age (17-18). What's the best way to do this?

We don't want to carry too much stuff, so can you tell us what clothes we should bring?

And while we're there, would you like to join our group and travel round with us? I think it would be great fun, don't you?

Many thanks and looking forward to hearing from you.

Anne

Tell her when and why

Suggest ...

Advise her

Thank her

3 Read Chiara's email to Anne.

- 1 Has she answered all four points?
- 2 Were her ideas the same as yours?

To: Anne Ryder

Subject: Holiday

Hi Anne,

Thanks for your email. It's very exciting to hear you're coming to Italy. Personally, I think the best time to come is in the spring before it gets too hot.

If you want to meet young people I suggest spending a few days at a school or college. How about coming to mine? I'm sure we can organise something with the teachers. Also, it would be a good idea to stay in a youth hostel.

In the spring the weather is usually quite changeable, so you should bring some light clothes for the daytime but a jersey and a jacket for the evenings.

Thanks also for your invitation to join the group. I'd love to do so if I'm free. I'll be able to show you some of the most interesting things in my area. Let me know when you're coming!

Best wishes,

Chiara

4 Read the email again and underline three suggestions Chiara makes.

5 Put the words in the sentences below into the correct order to form ways of making suggestions. The first and last words are given.

- 1 How to some school young my meet visiting about people?
How about visiting my school to meet some young people?
- 2 I in going clubs the cafés to suggest and evenings.
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- 3 It idea a club good contact be youth in to my would the area.
It It would be a good idea to contact young people in my area.

6 Write your own answer to the writing task. Use the notes you made in Exercise 2. Write between 120-150 words.