14 Moving

Without transport



Transport

You go by car / plane / bus / train / bike / motorbike / ship / taxi / underground [NOT by a car].

You take a bus / train / taxi / plane and you take the underground.

You ride a bicycle / bike / motorbike / horse.

You drive a car / bus / train.

The pilot flies a plane.

How did you get to Istanbul? We flew there.

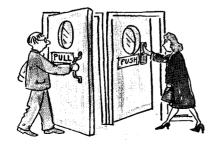
If you catch the bus, train or plane, you arrive in time to get it. If you miss the bus, train or plane, you arrive too late to get it.

You arrive at or in a place [NOT to a place]. The train arrived in Tokyo on time. The plane arrived late at Heathrow.

Tip: When you are travelling you will probably see a lot of notices in English. Make a note of any new words and expressions you see.

See Unit 41 (Travelling) for more words about transport.

Moving objects











Exercises

14.1	Fill the gaps with verbs from A opposite. Write them in the correct form.
	1 Jack likes
	2 Everyone
	3 Every day Jane ten lengths of the swimming pool before breakfast. 4 James can very fast. He has won a lot of races.
	5 Robert loves hills.
	6 The old lady on her way home and broke her arm.
	7 Sandra into the swimming pool and quickly to
	the other side.
	8 It is much better for you to to work than to go by car.
14.2	Ride, drive, go by or take? Write the correct word(s) in the phrase.
	1 Can you a motorbike?
	2 He works for a railway company. He a train.
	3 She sometimes the underground to work.
	4 He goes away from home a lot. He a lorry.
	5 I prefer to a bus than car.
	6 Would you like to an elephant.
	7 You never forget how to a bicycle.
	8 I usually a taxi when it rains.
14.3	Answer these questions. Use every day, once a week, once a year or never.
	1 How often do you walk to work or school? I walk to work every day.
	2 Have you got a bike? How often do you ride it?
	3 How often do you go swimming? Do you go in the sea or in a swimming pool?
	4 How often do you go jogging?
	5 How often do you drive a car?
	6 How often do you go dancing?
	7 Do you often go climbing?
14.4	What other things do we often ask people to pass at the dinner table?
	Write down Please pass + a noun six times. Please pass the sugar.
14.5	Put these sentences into the past tense with the word yesterday.
	1 Jim runs a mile every day. He ran a mile yesterday.
	2 Maria often drives her grandmother to the city.
	2. Bill catches the 9.45 train to London avery day

3 Bill catches the 9.45 train to London every day.
4 I sometimes take a taxi home from the station.
5 Jane often falls when she rides her bike.