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Reading: Our trip to Lisbon

Focus: reading a travel-planning email: present continuous for arrangements, going to, will, may / might

Our trip to Lisbon

Hi Sara! Our trip to Lisbon is next week. We're flying on Monday morning at 7.15. Tom's brother is driving us to the airport at five. We're staying at a small bed and breakfast near the river. We're meeting Tom's friend Luis there at two.

On Tuesday we're going to visit the old town and take photos. On Wednesday we're going to rent a car and drive to a beach. It's May, so it will probably be warm and sunny. I don't think it will rain.

On Thursday we might take the ferry across the river. It's often windy, so they may cancel it. Shall I book a table for all of us on Friday evening? Please let me know. See you soon, Lena

1 Read the email. True or false?

1. Lena and Tom are flying on Monday evening. ☐ T ☐ F
2. Tom's brother is driving them to the airport. ☐ T ☐ F
3. Their accommodation is near the river. ☐ T ☐ F
4. They're going to visit the old town on Monday. ☐ T ☐ F
5. Lena thinks it will rain. ☐ T ☐ F
6. They may not take the ferry because of the wind. ☐ T ☐ F

2 Answer the questions about the email.

Example: What time is the flight? → It's at 7.15 on Monday morning.

1. Where are they staying?

2. What are they going to do on Tuesday?

3. What will the weather probably be like?

4. What does Lena want to book for Friday evening?

ANSWER KEY

1 1 F, 2 T, 3 T, 4 F, 5 F, 6 T **2** 1 They're staying at a small bed and breakfast near the river. | 2 They're going to visit the old town and take photos. | 3 It will probably be warm and sunny. | 4 She wants to book a table for all of them.

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