Travel



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PM writing

Discussion & Procedure

Travel

Level 26 Emerald

Key Learning Area **Social Studies**

Theme **National and international travel**

Title **Travel: At Home or Overseas**

Text Type *Discussion*

Pages **2–9**

Text Form **School report**

Genre **Non-fiction**

Purpose **To examine more than one side of an issue**

Text Structure

Opening Statement: Outlines the issue *(Page 2).*

Arguments 'For' and 'Against': Includes evidence in support of and against the issue *(Pages 3–8).*

Concluding Statement: Summary of the writer's opinion *(Page 9).*

Language Features

- Nouns *(e.g. families, experiences, castles)*
- Pronouns *(e.g. They, them, it)*
- Adjectives *(e.g. new, different, great)*
- Sensing verbs *(e.g. like, enjoy, think)*
- Adverbial phrases *(e.g. for their holidays, in a different country)*
- Conjunctions/Text connectives *(e.g. and, or, when)*

Title **Make a Travel Brochure**

Text Type *Procedure*

Pages **10–16**

Text Form **Instructions**

Genre **Non-fiction**

Purpose **To provide instructions about how to make or do something**

Text Structure

Goal: Outlines what is to be achieved *(Page 10).*

Materials: Specifies the materials needed to achieve the goal *(Page 10).*

Steps: Lists the steps in order of sequence *(Page 11–16).*

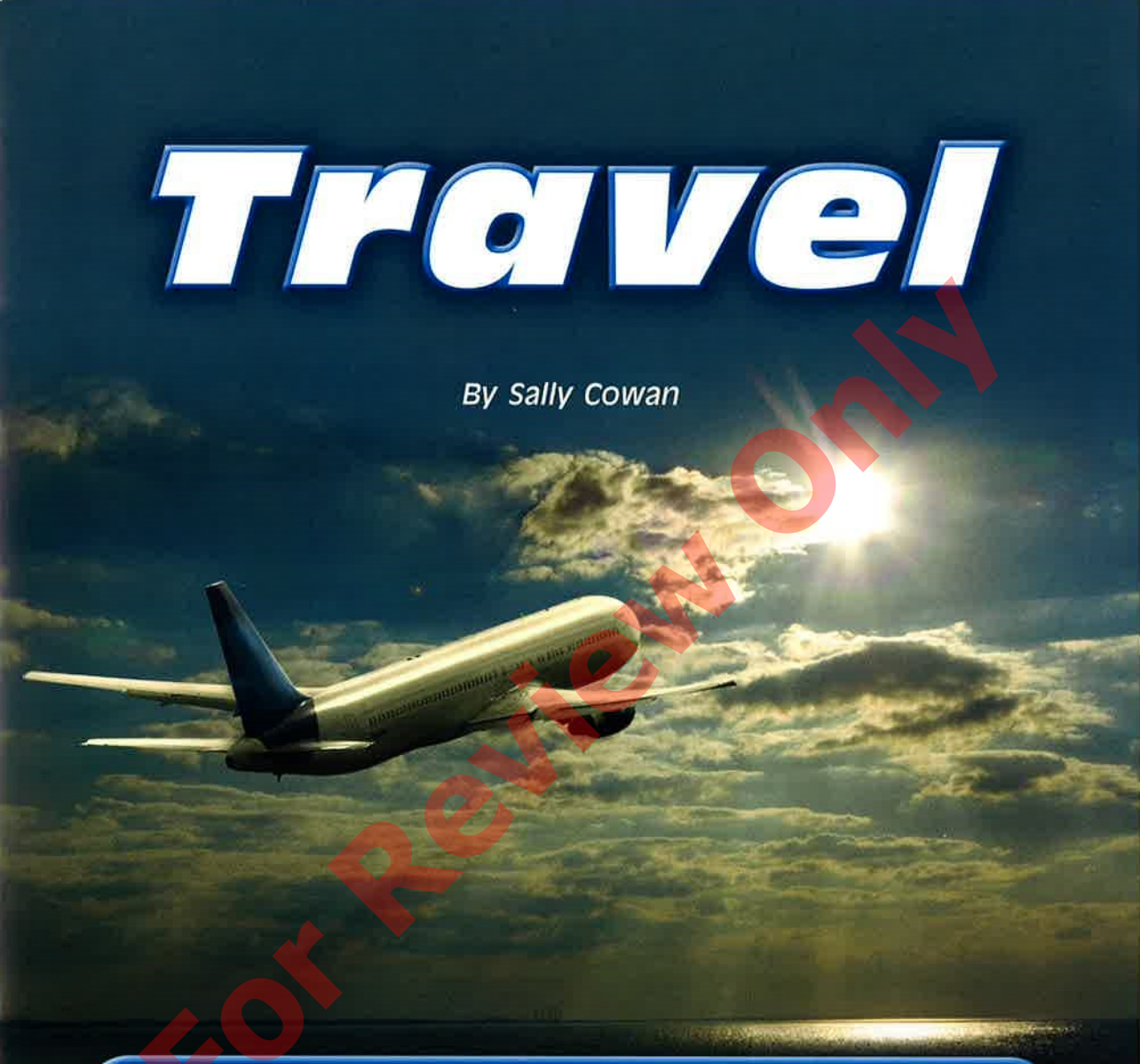
Language Features

- Nouns *(e.g. brochure, information, tourists, arrow, label)*
- Pronouns *(e.g. you, It, they)*
- Adjectives *(e.g. short, two-page, best, special)*
- Present tense verbs *(e.g. plan, Choose, Select, insert, Print)*
- Adverbs *(e.g. Carefully, easily)*
- Adverbial phrases *(e.g. in the brochure, under the title and slogan)*

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Travel: At Home or Overseas

Most families like to travel together and share exciting experiences. But is it better for children to see their own country or to travel overseas?





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Lots of children do not like travelling overseas on long plane trips. They find it more fun to travel short distances by car or bike in their own country.



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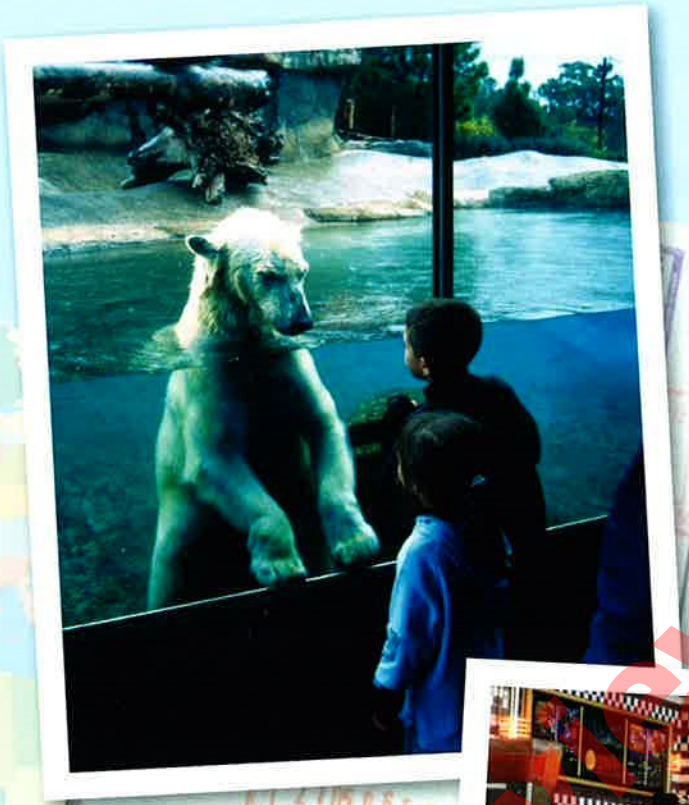
This type of travel does not cost as much as holidays overseas, either. It also allows families to take more holidays, or have friends join them.

Many children like to go to the beach or the countryside for their holidays. Others like to visit amusement parks and zoos, and go to the movies. There is no need to travel overseas to go to these places.





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Parents often think their children would enjoy overseas travel, and learn more from it, when the children are older.

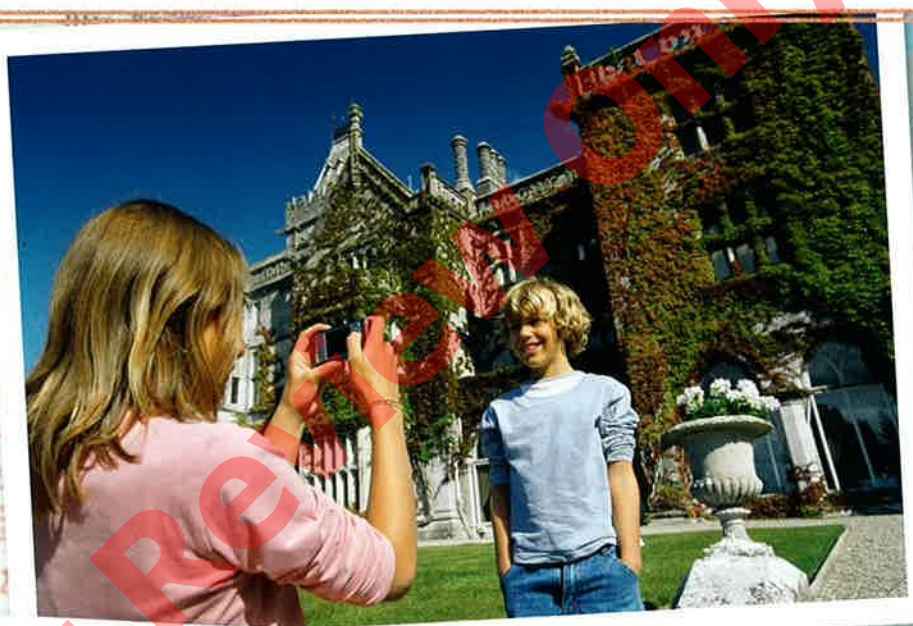
However, there are many children who enjoy travelling to other countries. During the long plane flight, they watch movies or play video games and the journey passes quickly.



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Children who like to travel overseas say that there are so many new sights and sounds to experience in a different country.

It is exciting to visit huge castles. The children enjoy imagining what it would have been like to have lived there long ago.





They also enjoy trying to speak a different language.

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