



Arriving in London

Most people who come to London come by plane. There are five airports for London, but the most famous and popular are Heathrow and Gatwick.

1 Find the five airports and write the names in the correct places.

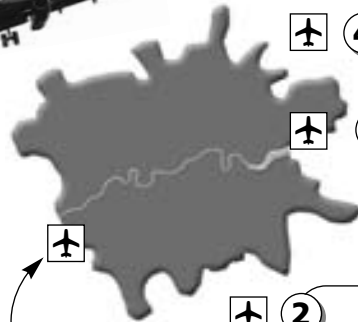
Heathrow: This is the busiest* airport in the world. It's west of London.

Gatwick: This airport is for many people going to holiday destinations*. It's south of London.

Stansted: This airport is good for cheap* flights. It's north-east of London.

Luton: This airport is in a town north of London. It's also a good airport for cheap flights.

City: This is a small airport near the city of London. It's for short flights and business flights.



1 Heathrow

2 You land in London and get off* the plane. You see three signs*. Where do you go?

- Check-in >
- Passport control >
- Departures >

A British passport looks like this. Now fill in a passport for yourself.

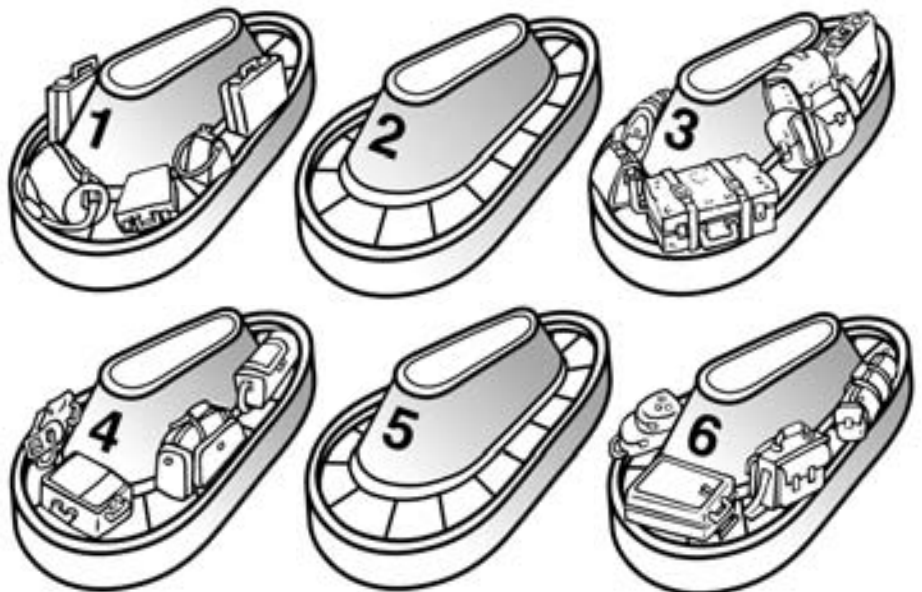


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3 Now you need to find your bags and suitcases. Where do you go?

- Toilets >
- Duty-free >
- Baggage reclaim >

4 You are in the baggage hall. You arrive from Lisbon, Portugal. You have got a large rucksack and a large old suitcase. Where's your luggage?



Arrivals	Flight number	Time	Baggage reclaim number
Barcelona	BA 2549871	13:40	4
Warsaw	LOT 2377877	delayed	-
Berlin	LH 588910	13:45	1
Lisbon	BA 097177	14:00	3
Milan	ALIT 324417	14:05	6
Vienna	AUST 71928	delayed	-



5 You want to leave the airport. Where do you go?

Gates 1-10 ▶
 Exit ▶
 Entrance ▶

To get to the centre of London from the airport is very easy. You can go by bus, train or taxi.

6 Many visitors go to the centre of London by train. Look at the leaflets and fill in the information.

stansted express

Stansted Express is a fast way to and from Stansted Airport, with trains every 15 or 30 minutes from Liverpool Street Station. And with a journey time of 45 minutes, the Stansted Express is a quick way to your destination. A single ticket costs £13.00.

For more information please click on 'service news' or call 0845 8500 150

Heathrow express

- ▶ **Heathrow Express** is a fast and convenient* way to travel between Heathrow Airport and London Paddington. It is a non-stop service and it takes only 15 minutes.
- ▶ With trains every 15 minutes, the **Heathrow Express** is better than any other form of transport.

**Why not book online NOW?
Single tickets cost only £13.00.**

For information call:
(+44) 845 600 1515

Luton Airport

With a modern airport and rail station, London Luton Airport is perfect for business and holiday travellers.

Thameslink takes you between London Bridge station and Luton Airport Parkway in 30 minutes. From the train station you catch the FREE bus, which takes you to the airport in five minutes.

- Up to eight Thameslink trains an hour between London Bridge and Luton Airport Parkway
- Fast trains take 30 minutes to London
- £10.00 one way between London and Luton Airport Parkway

gatwick express

The Gatwick Express is a high-speed train between Central London and Gatwick Airport. With a journey time of just 30 minutes from London Victoria Station to Gatwick (35 minutes on Sundays), there is no faster way between the city and the airport.

Why not book online now?
Single tickets cost £11.00.



VOCABULARY CHECK LIST

What is it in your language? Find out!

- busiest (*from busy*)
- destinations
- cheap
- to get off
- signs (a sign)
- convenient

Name of airport	Where do you arrive?	How long does it take?	How much does it cost?
Heathrow			
Gatwick			
Stansted			
Luton			

www.baa.co.uk/main/airports/heathrow