



# The Intersection

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## This week at the Center:

We focused on travel. Vocabulary, activities and discussions focused on destinations, modes of travel and personal experiences.

## What's right for you?

Finding a language task that is at the right difficulty level & is interesting is the key! Don't get bogged down in where the tasks you pick falls in the task order of complexity. The tasks listed first are the most complex progressing to less complex. The Intersection is available to everyone at the Center so it covers a wide range of abilities. Pick what works for you today!!

## A word about the name:

The Intersection is where home meets the Center. So many wonder what happens behind closed doors or how do I help at home. Check out the Intersection for ways to keep using your language at home and keep moving on your road to recovery.

## Member Portal:

These are available on our website in the **Member Portal**. Try it out! **Password:** survivor

## Supported Conversation:

We all need help! Many members at the Center benefit from their conversational partner giving them some help. This means always encourage use of gestures, or use of a communication book, have paper nearby for writing or drawing, and give choices. When you don't understand, say so!

## Questions or suggestions:

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## Listening and Reading:

- Check out this list of the top 15 TED talks on travel. Which one is your favorite? <http://wowtravel.me/15-most-inspiring-ted-talks-on-travel/>
- Take a travel personality quiz and see what type of traveler you are! <http://besttripchoices.com/travel-personalities/quiz/>
- Listen to this conversation about travel arrangements and answer questions. Hit **PLAY in exercise 2**. <http://esl-lab.com/flight/flightrd1.htm>
- Read sentences and pick the correct word to fill in the blank. <http://www.learnenglishfeelgood.com/vocabulary/esl-planning-a-trip1.html>
- Match modes of transportation (picture to single word) in memory game format. <http://www.eslgamesworld.com/members/games/vocabulary/memorytext/transport2/index.html>
- Practice listening or reading by matching travel destinations, modes of transportation etc. either by matching words to pictures or pointing to the one that is said. Start with 4 or 5 pictures, if that is too easy, add more.

## Talking and Writing:

- Watch this video and practice answering the questions. [https://video.search.yahoo.com/yhs/search?hsimp=yhs-att\\_001&hspart=att&p=ESL+practice+conversation+travel#id=3&vid=7a9d7ffd7b5cf0256078fa79d5ab5c64&action=view](https://video.search.yahoo.com/yhs/search?hsimp=yhs-att_001&hspart=att&p=ESL+practice+conversation+travel#id=3&vid=7a9d7ffd7b5cf0256078fa79d5ab5c64&action=view)
- Want to practice writing but need some of the letters filled in? Try this: [http://www.manythings.org/vocabulary/games/v/words.php?f=transportation\\_1](http://www.manythings.org/vocabulary/games/v/words.php?f=transportation_1)

