



## Worksheet 4. Reading: *Adventure Tours*

These questions and answers are from the FAQ (Frequently Asked Questions) page of a website for Adventure Tour Company. After you read them, answer the questions on the next page.

### Q. What type of person joins your trips and courses?

All sorts! There's no typical customer **profile**. We have young people and older people, men and women, and people from many countries.

### Q. How large are your groups?

The groups are usually small -- between 4 and 12 people. On easy trips, there is a **ratio** of 1 **guide** for every 2 people. On difficult trips, there is 1 guide for each person.

### Q. Do I have to be especially fit?

**Fitness** is important for all aerobic activities like skiing, trekking, and climbing. If you are not **in top shape** now, we recommend this: take regular aerobic exercise -- running, swimming, cycling -- for 2-3 months before your holiday. **On request**, we will send you more **detailed** information and sample **training** programs on CD-ROMs.

### Q. What is included in the price?

Our prices **typically include** all the **fees** for the **guides** and instructors and the **accommodations**. Prices don't usually include travel, lift passes, lunches, personal **insurance**, or rental of **equipment**.

### Q. What kind of accommodations do you use?

In Europe, you stay in double rooms in chalets or hotels with meals included. At high altitudes, you stay in mountain **huts** with 4-8 people in your room. Our trips to Mount Kilimanjaro and the Himalayas are camping trips with two people in one **tent**, with hotel accommodation at the start and end of the **trip**.

### Q. Who leads your trips?

Very experienced mountain guides and ski instructors. They all have specialized training and have **certificates** from professional schools.

### Q. Do you provide equipment?

We **provide** group equipment: **ropes** for climbing trips and camping gear for treks. If you need other equipment we can recommend local rental shops.

### Q. Do you offer group discounts?

We are happy to give **discounts** to groups. Contact us for further **details**.



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Circle T if the statement is true and circle F if the statement is false according to Adventure Tour's FAQ.

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1. T / F The company specializes in tours for women.
2. T / F Usually, there aren't more than 12 people in a group.
3. T / F The company gives fitness classes at its offices.
4. T / F The price of the tour includes the plane fare.
5. T / F People on the tour stay in private rooms in five-star hotels.
6. T / F In Europe, on the mountains, people stay in cabins with several other people.
7. T / F On Mount Kilimanjaro, people camp out in tents.
8. T / F The guides and instructors with the company are very well trained.
9. T / F The company provides the equipment that its customers use.
10. T / F If you are with a group, it's possible that you can get a better price.