

Ziel 1: I can understand information about the Caribbean.

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Rose Great Hall, Jamaica

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Tourists who are bored of the beach can visit one of the many historic houses in Jamaica. These were mostly built in the 18th century by rich Europeans who owned sugar plantations. Perhaps the most famous of these houses is Rose Great Hall in Montego Bay. This house was built in 1770 and was owned by John Palmer, but it was his wife Annie who made this house very famous. Annie Palmer is also known as the 'White Witch of Rose Hall' and people say her ghost can be seen in the house at night. Annie's nursery teacher taught her how to do magic, and the legend says that Annie used her magic skills so that John Palmer would marry her. John Palmer was very rich and owned one of the largest plantations in Jamaica. People say Annie killed him so that she could control the plantation, and then killed her next two husbands too. Later she was killed by a slave who worked on the plantation. We know today that the story is not true, but people still visit the house to see if they can see the famous ghost.



Answer the questions.

1. What is the name of the most famous historic house in Jamaica? Rose Great Hall in Montego Bay
2. What is the house famous for? It's famous for the ghost of Annie Palmer.
3. Why did John Palmer marry Annie? She used her magic.
4. What happened to Annie's husbands? She killed them.
5. How did Annie die? She was killed by a slave.
6. Is this story true? No, it isn't.

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Ziel 2: I can write a fictional story.

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Use these words to write a short story about the Caribbean. (Lösungsvorschlag)

Last summer I was on a holiday in Dominica with my family. We decided to go on a hiking tour through the jungle because we wanted see the famous hot lake. We started our tour early in the morning. It soon became very hot in the jungle and there were a lot of insects. Suddenly my mum screamed loudly. She had just stepped on a snake. We were really scared but the tour guide caught it and said that it wasn't dangerous. Then I noticed an awful smell. It came from the snake because this snake smells bad when it is scared.



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## Ziel 3: I can talk about standards and values.

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Who gives better advice – friends or parents? (Lösungsvorschlag)

a) Collect reasons.

parents	friends
<p>your parents love you</p> <p>they want to help you</p> <p>they are older and have more experience in life</p> <p>they had the same problems when they were young</p>	<p>your friends know you best</p> <p>they often have the same problems</p> <p>they are younger and understand you better</p>

b) Write your opinion.

The question is 'Who gives better advice - friends or parents?' On the one hand, friends can give great advice because they know you best and they often have the same problems. On the other hand, your parents also know you really well and they really want to help you because they love you. It may be true that your friends are also young and understand your problems better. However, your parents are older and have more experience in life. In my opinion you should listen to your friends and to your parents because both can give you great advice.

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## Ziel 4: I can understand a pirate story.

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Read the text on pages 38–41 in your book again. Put the sentences in the right order.

- 5 Eliza tried to protect Carol from the pirate.
- 2 Eliza's journey from Bristol to the Caribbean was quiet and peaceful.
- 7 Eliza and Carol were taken away and put in a cabin with the other prisoners.
- 3 Pirates attacked the Lady Margaret.
- 6 Captain Blackheart chose a punishment for Eliza.
- 1 Eliza was offered a job as governess to Lord Winton's children.
- 8 A ship of the Royal Navy arrived.
- 4 Eliza put on men's clothes.

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## Ziel 5: I can pass on information about tourist attractions.

## BLOG

## Reiseabenteuer

## 1 Kuba – meine Highlights und die besten Tipps

Ich habe drei aufregende und spannende Wochen auf dieser karibischen Trauminsel verbracht und möchte meine tollsten Erlebnisse und Tipps heute mit euch teilen. Vielleicht bekommt ihr ja auch Lust auf einen Urlaub auf Kuba.



Für die Einreise nach Kuba benötigt ihr einen Reisepass, der noch mindestens sechs Monate gültig ist. Zusätzlich braucht man eine Touristenkarte (tourist card), die man vor der Einreise kaufen muss. Man erhält sie normalerweise in deutschen Reisebüros. Man kann die Insel gut mit dem Bus erkunden oder ein Auto mieten. Die Straßen sind aber meistens schlecht, also solltet ihr vorsichtig fahren. Die beste Reisezeit für Kuba ist von November bis April. Das ganze Jahr über liegt die Temperatur um die 28 Grad, aber von Mai bis Dezember kann es öfter regnen. Von Juli bis Oktober kann es auch Wirbelstürme geben. Die Landessprache auf Kuba ist Spanisch. Englisch wird kaum gesprochen, deshalb solltest du vorher unbedingt einige wichtige spanische Wörter lernen und ein Wörterbuch mitnehmen. Das Internet ist auf Kuba nicht sehr gut ausgebaut. In Hotels kann man meistens WLAN nutzen, aber es ist oft überlastet und sehr langsam. Es gibt auf Kuba sehr schöne Hotels, aber am besten lernt man Land und Leute kennen, wenn man in Gästehäusern übernachtet. Alle Unterkünfte, die eine Lizenz haben, sind an der Haustür mit einem blauen Anker gekennzeichnet. Buchen könnt ihr über das Internet.



## Das waren die Highlights meiner Kubareise:

- Ein Bummel durch die Hauptstadt Havanna mit ihrer wunderschönen Altstadt und Uferpromenade.
- Die Strände im Norden der Insel. Dort kann man auch hervorragend tauchen.
- Der Baconao Park in der Nähe von Santiago de Cuba. Um die Aussicht zu genießen, müsst ihr auf den "großen Stein" klettern. Bei Santiago de Cuba könnt ihr auch Kaffeeplantagen besichtigen.

You are preparing a presentation about Cuba for your English class. You have found this blog entry on the internet. What tips does the text give you about travelling to Cuba? (Lösungsvorschlag)

*You need a passport and a tourist card. The best weather is between November and April. It is warm all year but it can rain during the other months and there can even be hurricanes between July and October. People in Cuba speak Spanish and most don't understand English. The internet is very slow in Cuba. There are nice hotels but it is better to stay in a guest house if you want to meet local people. You can book guest houses or hotels on the internet. In Cuba you can visit the capital Havana, the beaches in the north and Baconao Park. You can also go diving or visit a coffee plantation.*