

Exercise 1: Write full sentences from the phonetic symbols

/tʃaɪ'ni:z/ /'tʊərɪsts/ /rɪ'si:vd/ /ə/ /'seɪfti/ /'wɔ:nɪŋ/.

/'ɑ:ftə/ /ðə/ /'wɔ:nɪŋ/, /'trævələz/ /'kænsɪd/ /ə'baʊt/ 491,000 /pleɪn/

/'tɪkɪts/ /tu:/ /dʒə'pæn/.

/'meni/ /tʃaɪ'ni:z/ /'tʊərɪsts/ /'vɪzɪt/ /dʒə'pæn/.

Exercise 2: Fill in the missing vowel letters

Th__y are the b__ggest gr__p of vis__tors.

In the f__rst nine m__nths of 2025, alm__st 7.5 million Ch__nese people w__nt to Japan.

People w__rry about s__fety.

Now, they do not tr__vel to Japan.

Exercise 3: Fill in the missing consonant letters

So__e people sa__ tourists may ___oose Europe and

Sou___east Asia in___ead.

The Nikkei sto___ index went do_____.

Companies lo__e money.

Exercise 4: Group words with the same vowel sounds

/ɪ/:

/eɪ/:

/æ/:

/aɪ/:

/i:/:

Ans

Exercise 1:

Chinese tourists received a safety warning.

After the warning, travelers canceled about 491,000 plane tickets to Japan.

Many Chinese tourists visit Japan.

Exercise 2:

They are the biggest group of visitors.

In the first nine months of 2025, almost 7.5 million Chinese people went to Japan.

People worry about safety.

Now, they do not travel to Japan.

Exercise 3:

Some people say tourists may choose Europe and Southeast Asia instead.

The Nikkei stock index went down.

Companies lose money.

Exercise 4:

/ɪ/: tickets visit biggest visitors million Nikkei index

/eɪ/: safety plane say may Asia

/æ/: Japan travel

/aɪ/: Chinese nine

/i:/: received people