

Checking out



1. Sarah Grey has spent her holiday at a hotel on the Seychelles and is going to check out today. Listen to the dialogue at the reception and decide if the following statements are true or false.

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| Sarah hands her key card over to the receptionist. | ~ | ı | 78 |
| Sarah didn't enjoy her stay in the hotel. | 2 | | . 2 |
| The food in the bars was delicious, but the local people were very unfriendly. | | N. 0 | - |
| The room number is 304. | | | |
| Sarah is surprised about the hotel bill. | - | | |
| The receptionist asks Sarah to pay in cash. | | | |
| The total amount is 1,200 €. | | | |

2. Listen again and match the expressions (1.-10.) with the explanations (a.-j.).

| 1. room key | a. something that is extra | | |
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| 2. to print out | b. a list showing how much you have to pay | | |
| 3. bill | c. you do that on the last day before you leave the hotel | | |
| 4. to check out d. to make something a part of something else | | | |
| 5. additional e. a piece of metal that you use to lock or unlock a door | | | |
| 6. phone call | f. to write your name on a piece of paper | | |
| 7. to include | g. to like something more than something else | | |
| 8. to prefer | h. to produce a printed copy of a document | | |
| 9. to sign | i. when you talk to someone on the phone | | |
| 10. slip | j. a small piece of paper | | |

| 3. When you write the bill for a hotel guest there might be other items on it than just the costs for accommodation. Make a list of such additional items. | | | | | | | | |
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4. Complete the definitions with the right means of payment. Use the words in the box.

| bank transfer | cash | credit card | instalments | traveller's cheque |
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- 1. Regular payments that you make until a product is completely paid:
- 2. It's a plastic card which you can use to buy products which you pay for later:
- 3. Money in the form of notes and coins:
- 4. Money which is electronically moved from one bank account to another:
- 5. You use it for a fixed amount that you exchange for the money of another country:

5. In many hotels it is common to pay by credit cards but there are also other methods of payment. Say in which situations you would use them and why.

Example: paypal: I usually pay by paypal when I buy things on the internet because this form of payment is accepted worldwide.

- a. bank transfer
- b. EC card
- c. in cash
- d. in instalments
- e. traveller's cheques



