# Welcome to Ukraine

#### O Facts about Ukraine : \* Ukraine the geographical centre of Europe; \*Area: 603,700 sq.km; \*Mountains : the first is the second Crimea Mountains; \*Seas : the Black Sea and the Sea of Azov;

### \* Rivers : the Dnipro , the Dnister , the Southern Buh , the Danube ;

- \* Lakes : the Shatski Lakes , Synevyr ;
- \* Mineral resources : 80 different types including coal, iron, natural gas, graphite,

manganese , non – metallic minerals ;

\* Flora : steppes , forest
\* Fauna : steppe zone
animals , forest animals
\* Birds : carrion eagle ,
black griffon , storks .



#### \* Your Helping Hand

If you want to report what the speaker said about the future , use :

a) ... would + do ( the Future – in – the – Past ) Example: Ann said, « I will try a summer job » . = Ann said that she would try a summer job .

b) ... was /were going to ...

Example: Bob said , « I am going to visit Lviv » . = Bob said that he was going to visit Lviv .

c) ... could do ...

Example: John said, « I can meet you tomorrow » . = John said that he could meet me next day .

d) ... might do ...

Example: Mary said, « The climate may change soon ». =

Mary said that the climate might change soon.

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- If it isn`t Vera? Where are you going?

- To Geography club .Our teacher said we would plan a round Ukraine trip.

- That sounds interesting ! Are you friends coming to our country . What are you friends interested in ?
- They study geography at as we do. They wrote that they could come to Ukraine to see some interesting places .
- That's great. Where will thee trip start?
- Our teacher said we would specify our route today.
- I think you should start with Svyatogorsk in the Donetsk region which is considered to be the Ukrainian Switzerland. You can get there by bus , by train.

- I`ve been there once and I still remember the majestic views .By the way , our friends said they would like to go to the Crimea.

 Perfect ! Once they get to the seaside they will be rewarded with nice views and excursions to amazing places
 While travelling in the South – East of the country don`t miss a chance to visit an architecture museum in Pereyaslav – Chmelnytsky.

- By all means.

#### Words

1. To explore – досліджувати 2. Majestic – величний 3. Preserve – заповідник 4. To climb – підйом, сходження 5. Gorgeous – яскравий 6. Panoramic view – панорамний вид 7. Alpine meadows – Альпійські луки 8. Flower – studded – grass – всіяна квітами трава 9. Fertile - родючий 10. Latitude - широта 11. Altitude - довгота 12. Proximity - близькість 13. Drought - посуха 14. Alongside - вздовж 15. Admirable - надзвичайний 16. Urban - міський 17. To confirm - підтверджувати 18. To identify - ототожнювати 19. Evergreen – вічно зелений 20. To pour – полити

#### Phrases

1. To boarder on sth - межувати з ... 2.To be washed by sth – мити щось A round Ukraine trip – туди і назад по Україні
 To be interested in – цікавитись чимось 5. To specify the route - уточнювати маршрут 6. To be rewarded with sth – бути нагородженим чимось 7. To miss a chance of doing – втратити шанс 8. To be amazed to do sth – бути під враженням 9. To share sth with sb – поділитись чимось 10. To follow a traditional four-season pattern – слідувати традиціям чотирьох пір року 11. Tour into – тур в ... 12. To fill the air with sth – наповняти повітря чимось 13. Breathtaking view - захоплюючий 14. To glow in the colors of changing leaves – виблискувати кольорами листя 15. Indian summer – Бабине літо 16. To do sth for hours on end – робити щось 17. To have an irresistible fascination – бути привабливим 18. To decide on sth – вирішувати щось 19. To experience different types of weather - зазнавати досвіду

#### Expressions

That sounds interesting – це цікаво!
 Perfect – чудово !
 By all means – безперечно
 Not for nothing – не даремно
 I must fly – я дуже поспішаю !
 In general, - в цілому, ...
 Now it ... now it – то ... то ...
 Fancy – не дивно
 Small wonder – тільки уяви ...

#### Winter.

O Winter is very cold, snowing .Dark early, as the nights are getting longer. Often the temperature drops below zero, and in a frost, the water turns to ice .This time of year many are involved

in winter sports , sledding , skiing and skates. In winter, a lot of holidays , chief of which is the New Year.



#### Spring.

O When spring comes, nature comes alive. Everything is blooming, the trees are green again. The birds return from the days get longer Sometimes it rains, but generally sunny and warm.

#### Summer.

O The summer is usually hot weather is generally beautiful. The sun shines brightly, trees in green, hear the birds sing. In the summer of

pupils and students holidays, many take summer vacation and going on vacation to the sea.



#### Autumn.

Usually autumn overcast and raining, a strong wind blows. Leaves become yellow and red, and then completely fall off. The sun shines, though, but not warm. On the ground sometimes falls mist. Birds fly away in warm edges. The days are

getting shorter. Because of the rain on the street constantly damp.



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