

ACTIVITY

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Leggi la relazione del ranger e trasforma i verbi al *past simple*.

Grand Canyon, 21st July

Yesterday a group of young tourists

ARRIVED (arrive) here. Their guide

(1) _____ (pick) the group up at the

Grand Canyon Holiday Inn Hotel at about 9.00

a.m. They (2) _____ (be) all on time.

There (3) _____ (be) 20 people in

the group between 13 and 17 and a young

teacher.

So I (4) _____ (think) they

(5) _____ (can) do a lot of different

activities. I (6) _____ (tell) the group

the Colorado river (7) _____ (cut) the earth's crust millions of years ago and (8) _____ (create)

the canyon. It (9) _____ (be) a wonderful day. First of all they (10) _____ (go) down the Angel's

Trail on horseback, it (11) _____ (be) very hot, nearly 50° C but nobody (12) _____ (feel) ill.

They all (13) _____ (have) their bottles of water. I (14) _____ (tell) them to take some water for

the high temperatures.

After a light snack they (15) _____ (hike) down the Canyon. I (16) _____ (recommend) them

to wear comfortable clothes and hiking shoes. The trail down (17) _____ (be) quite steep (= ripido). At

the bottom of the canyon they (18) _____ (go) rafting. Everyone (19) _____ (enjoy) the

experience.

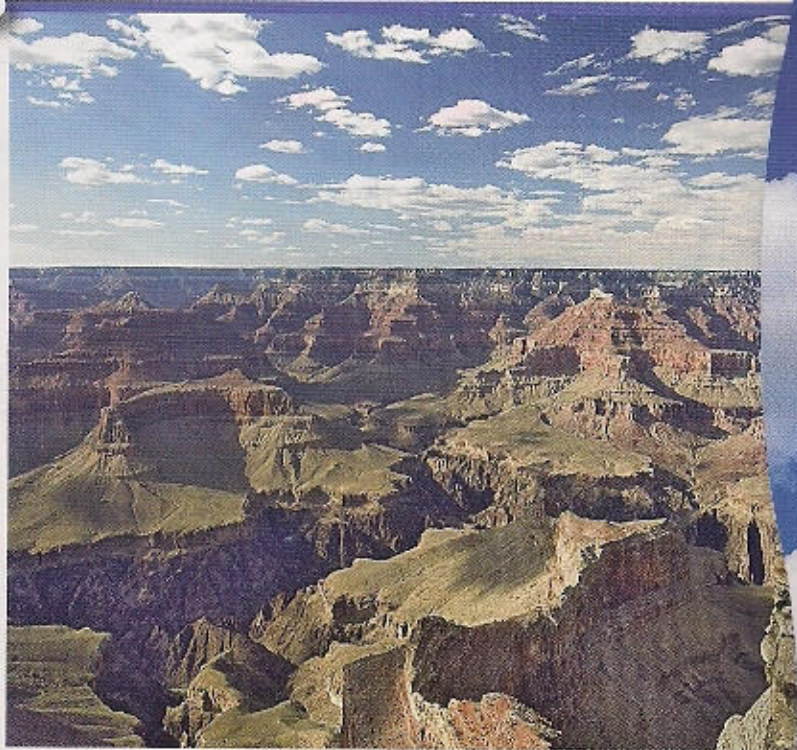
They all (20) _____ (shout) happily.

After lunch they (21) _____ (go) to the Grand Canyon Airport to take a helicopter.

So they (22) _____ (fly) over the Canyon. They (23) _____ (see) the Colorado river and the

Canyon from above. The view (24) _____ (be) amazing!

The group (25) _____ (be) enthusiastic and (26) _____ (tell) me it (27) _____ (be) their best holiday!



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Rileggi attentamente il brano e rispondi alle domande.

1. Where did the guide pick the group up?

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2. Were there any old people in the group?

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3. How many activities did they do?

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4. What is the origin of the Canyon?

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5. What was the weather like?

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6. Did anyone feel ill? Why?

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7. What did they do at the bottom of the Canyon?

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8. What did the group think of that day?

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