



## TRAVEL – Part 1

to see someone off, to touch down

### Part 1 conversation:

- VICKI:** Wow, that looks like a long email you're reading there...
- MATT:** Yes, it's from my friend Peter who has just started a round-the-world trip.
- VICKI:** Wow – he's going round the world – how exciting! So did you go with him to the airport to say goodbye to him?
- MATT:** Yes I went **to see him off** at the airport last week. He sounds like he's having a great time.
- VICKI:** So tell us more about your friend's trip.
- MATT:** Well, after **I saw him off** at the airport, he took a plane to Australia!
- VICKI:** What a great start! Where in Australia? Sydney? Perth?
- MATT:** Actually his plane **touched down** in Melbourne. He's going to travel all around Australia.
- VICKI:** So, his plane **touched down** - it landed, in Melbourne. I'd love to go there. But I think he's really brave travelling around on his own.
- MATT:** Well I'm sure he'll meet lots of people while he's travelling.
- VICKI:** That's true.

### Part 1 examples:

1. to see someone off. When my brother went to university in Manchester, I went to the station to see him off.
2. to touch down. Please keep your seatbelts fastened and your mobile phones switched off until the plane has touched down.