

# Getting Around

On the Go

**Word Formation:** Read the text. Use the words given in CAPITALS to the right of each gap to form a word which fits into the gap.

## Transportation Systems Around the World

Tokyo, Japan: Tokyo is famous (0) for many reasons. Its transportation system is just one of them, which is known for its \_\_\_\_\_ (1) and efficiency. The city's trains, including the world-famous *Shinkansen* bullet trains, are renowned for their \_\_\_\_\_ (2). Tokyo also boasts a vast Metro System, with different coloured lines and signs in English that facilitate navigation for both locals and tourists alike.

FAME  
RELY  
PUNCTUAL

Curitiba, Brazil: Curitiba's Bus Rapid Transit (BRT) system is an innovative transportation system that offers a fast and reliable service. The BRT system has dedicated bus lanes and off-board fare collection, making travel faster. The city also offers an \_\_\_\_\_ (3) network of bike lanes and pedestrian streets that allow for a greener and \_\_\_\_\_ (4) mode of transportation.

EXTEND  
HEALTH

Zurich, Switzerland: Zurich's transportation system is convenient and reliable. The city has a network of trams and buses that are always on time, and are easy to navigate with well-designed maps and signs. Zurich also has a bike-sharing program called *ZuriRollt*, which offers a wide range of bikes for short-term \_\_\_\_\_ (5), catering to diverse needs and \_\_\_\_\_ (6).

RENT  
PREFER

Dubai, UAE: Dubai has a \_\_\_\_\_ (7) transportation system which includes a \_\_\_\_\_ (8) metro system. The system is fully automated and runs on time. The city also has a monorail system that connects the city to Palm Jumeirah island.

FUTURE  
DRIVER

La Paz, Bolivia: La Paz's transportation system is one of the most peculiar in the world. The city has developed the world's largest urban cable car network, the *Mi Teleférico* system, which connects the city's \_\_\_\_\_ (9) neighbourhoods and business districts, helping people to get around quickly and efficiently. The cable cars provide breathtaking views of the city and \_\_\_\_\_ (10) Andes mountains, making it a popular tourist attraction in its own right.

HILL  
SURROUND

Medellin, Colombia: Medellin's transportation system also features cable cars, but it's unique in that it acts as a social \_\_\_\_\_ (11), providing affordable and accessible transportation for previously \_\_\_\_\_ (12) communities. The city's *Metrocable*, an aerial cable car system, connects hilly and low-income neighborhoods with the rest of the city. Residents can access education, healthcare, and employment opportunities, empowering them to improve their lives.

EQUAL  
MARGIN