

Ninth International Essay

Contest for Children and Young People of African Descent

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7-10 Years (300-500 words)

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Would brilliant Barbados beat Unique Uganda? Would this be the best time of my life? Would you like to know about my amazing holiday in Barbados? Well read on because your in for an exciting treat! I enjoy all my holidays because they're jam-packed with fun amusing things to do, but this holiday was absolutely thrilling. It was going to be a holiday to remember.

The cold, frosty morning I woke up it was freezing but still I enjoyed it in some way! Later that morning we set off in a fairly large mini-bus to central Manchester, where we took the over night coach to the gargantuan Heathrow Airport. Unfortunately we had a tiring 3 hour wait but eventually when the time came we happily strolled to our plane.

As we got on to the plane it looked warm and cosy. We went to sit down. Silence. Suddenly the plane roared into action. We were on our way to Barbados. On the plane I ate, I slept, I watched movies, I drank, I slept, I watched movies. It was a repeating process and it went on for nearly 8 hours!

After 8 fun but tiring hour, we landed. As I walked down the stairs of the ~~areoplane~~

plane the sun hit me. As I waited I realised that the man picking us up and his wife had ~~some~~ names that rhyme like Peter and Rita!

Things we did

Most days we would have a jog along the beach while watching expert locals play beach ball. I was fun racing my mum at the end too. The best day though was when we spent a whole day there!

Also we went snorkeling with some amazing turtles! I even got to feel their smooth, soft shells. The bit I hated though, was when a big boat of silly people drove the turtles away. That's where our fun ended.

Because we hadn't been there before we consequently went sight seeing, where we got to see green monkeys and also a pottery shop. We also saw an upright grave!! It was really good.

Furthermore we went to a show where we saw some hilarious entertainment and I even got to sample the tasty, delicious national dish of macaroni cheese with flying fish.

We went on a tour of some of the island where we saw beautiful landmarks such as: Cup and Saucer, Harrison's cave, Nelson statue, the national museum and cherry tree hill.

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The best bit I thought we when we invited
bajan family round for dinner and even got
to use the aparatus that were in the back gar-
den.

We still show the pictures today in 2014, and
I still hope to visit there again. It was also
definately wirth while missing some school too.
I think it's better than Uganda aswell!

Would you like to come with next time I
visit?

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Essay Topics

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1 Why is it important to tell the truth? Tell us a short story of when you were honest. How did you feel?



2 How did you spend your long holidays away from school? Did you continue to learn during your break from school? If so, what did you learn? If not, how did you spend your time?

3 What are your favourite things about some of the people you know who live in your town or village? Why.

4 Why is respect important? How do you show respect to others

5 If you could, how would you make the world a better place?

• Abroad - Barbados

• 2 weeks

• Tour

Nelson's statue

Harrison's cave

Miami Beach

Silver sands beach

Green Monkeys

Cherry tree hill - Mahogany trees - cherry colour

National Museum / Dish

• Dinner with Family

• Pottery shop

• Visiting towns
parishes

• Opening statementⁿ

• Feelings

Act (do)

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Touch

Ask

See

Taste

Imagine

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FANTASTICS

• Opening statement - to young (BB) \ (UU)

• Enjoy holidays

• Getting ready and packing

• Going to airport - London

• Flight / window / views

• Landing / chirpy / heat wave

• Peter / Rita

• Apartment / couldn't wait to go in / hot, humid

• Activities

• Beach / waves / lifeguard / jogging / best day - whole day / Mia Beach

• Snorkling / turtles

• Sight seeing - (PS), (GM) Upright grave

• The Plantation / National Dish / (MC), (FF) sample

• Landmarks (C&S), (HC), (NS), (NM), (CTH)

• Dinner / Apparatus / pictures

• Conclusion / best / soon / invite reader

Cherry no.
Tree chumpus
Hill Mahogany
Cherry colour

- Short / to the point

- Involve the reader

- Personal / feelings

- F.A.N.T.A.S.T.I.C.S.