

## Air Travel English Challenge: Worksheet 2 - 'Who says what?' Part 1

Elicit the jobs of all the people you will speak to and hear speaking at the airport or on the plane (a loudspeaker announcement in the airport / a check-in clerk / an air steward or stewardess (either in person or over the plane loudspeaker) / the pilot / a security guard at the airport / an immigration officer and / or a customs officer / a duty-free shop assistant / other passengers / the person seeing you off / the person meeting you).

Read out some of the sentences below and ask students to identify who says what. NB. This list is similar but not identical to Worksheet 3.

1. Your lifejacket is under your seat.
2. How much money do you have with you?
3. Please raise your arms.
4. It is forbidden to smoke anywhere on the aircraft.
5. How long will you be staying?
6. Aisle or window seat?
7. Business or pleasure?
8. Can I see your boarding pass and passport please?
9. Please do not leave any baggage unattended.
10. \_\_\_\_\_ regrets to announce that flight DR 773 has been cancelled ...
11. Please board immediately at gate number 3.
12. Have a good flight!
13. Please turn off all electrical items during take off and landing.
14. Could you put your bags on the scales, please?
15. This is the final call for flight BD 4566 to Seattle.
16. Next please.
17. The emergency exits are located here, here and here.
18. Do you have anything to declare?
19. Please put your chairs into an upright position.
20. This is your gate number.
21. Boarding will commence 30 minutes before the departure time.
22. We are approaching an area of turbulence.
23. How many items of luggage do you have?
24. What's your address in the USA?
25. Your seat is down this aisle on your right.
26. We will be cruising at 20,000 feet.
27. Are you travelling alone?
28. The temperature at our destination is a pleasant 23 degrees Centigrade.
29. Please put your jacket onto the belt too.
30. Do you have any hand luggage?
31. Ice and lemon?
32. Please stow your hand luggage in the overhead locker or under the seat in front of you.
33. What is the purpose of your visit?
34. Your oxygen mask will drop down from above.
35. Can you open this please?
36. The duty free trolley will be coming around shortly.
37. The gate closes 20 minutes before departure.
38. Even if you are a regular traveller, please listen carefully to the following announcement for your own safety.

39. Did anyone else ask you to carry anything for them?
40. Is there anything sharp or dangerous in your hand luggage?
41. We apologise for any inconvenience caused.
42. Please return to your seats.
43. Please have your passports and boarding cards ready.
44. I'm sorry Madam, that perfume has sold out. Would you like to look at the catalogue again and choose another one?
45. Please remain seated until your seat number is called.
46. Please remain seated until the plane comes to a complete standstill.
47. Please turn off your mobile phones for the duration of the flight
48. Will first class passengers and passengers with small children board first please?
49. Please stow your tables ready for landing.
50. Where are you travelling to?
51. I'm sorry sir, the chicken is finished. Is the vegetarian pasta OK?
52. Sorry, can I get past?
53. Would you like anything to drink?
54. Please open all the blinds.
55. Mr Johnson, is it?
56. Over here!
57. Give me a ring when you arrive, will you?
58. Could I possibly borrow that magazine?