

Hilton Leeds Garforth

Welcome to Hilton Leeds Garforth

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Situated just outside the Centre of Leeds, this comfortable hotel is the perfect place for buisness in the city and leisure in the Yorkshire Dales.

If you want to get away from it all, you don't even have to leave the hotel. In our health club, you can relax in the sauna and steam room or swim in our heated indoor pool. The hotel's modern and well-equipped gym is a great place to work up an appetite before dinner.



Duke's Restaurant offers a great range of dishes, as well _____ a tempting selection of food from our hot and cold tables, and all served in a wonderfully relaxed atmosphere.

The hotel has 144 well-appointed, comfortable rooms. Each room is equipped to the highest standards with private bathroom and shower, direct dial telephone, tea and coffee-making facilities and multi-channel satellite television.

This hotel has easy access to Leeds city Centre and the Royal Armouries Museum. Great walking country in the Yorkshire Dales and the excitement of horse racing at Doncaster and York are all within easy reach.

<http://www.hilton.co.uk/leedsgarforth>

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These questions are based on the information from the website about the Leeds Garforth Hilton

1. Which of the following is an opinion?
 - a) The hotel has 144 rooms
 - b) There are tea and coffee making facilities
 - c) There is a tempting selection of food
 - d) The hotel has a heated indoor pool.
2. The Garforth Hilton is a hotel with:
 - a) 3 stars
 - b) 4 stars
 - c) 5 stars
 - d) No stars
3. In the first paragraph the word 'buisness' should be spelt:
 - a) bussness
 - b) busness
 - c) business
 - d) busyness
4. In the next to last line the word spelt incorrectly is:
 - a) Yorkshire
 - b) racing
 - c) horse
 - d) excitment
5. In paragraph 3 the missing word is:
 - a) by
 - b) on
 - c) as
 - d) an
6. The word 'comfortable' in paragraph 4 is a
 - a) noun
 - b) adjective
 - c) verb
 - d) adverb
7. The following facilities are available at the hotel:
 - a) sauna, sunbed and massage
 - b) outdoor swimming pool, sauna and gym
 - c) gym, sauna and steam room
 - d) gym, Turkish bath and heated pool

Answers:

1c) 1b) 3c) 4d) 5c) 6b) 7c)

Teaching ideas:

Use for individual, paired or group work.

For group work read through text together and discuss.

For example:

- What is it? *A web page.* (Could also be a page from a magazine or travel guide).
- How do you know? *The 'look', the 'table-like' layout, web address at bottom.*
- What is its purpose? *To persuade readers to stay at the hotel. (Also to describe).*
- What persuasive features does it have? *The star rating. The photograph. Use of adjectives and other persuasive language – tempting selection, highest standards, well equipped, wonderfully relaxed atmosphere, etc.*

Other ideas

- Cut up into paragraphs. Ask students to rearrange into a logical order.
- Discuss the reasons for each new paragraph, i.e. new topic / place.
- In pairs, ask each student to create three more questions about the text for their partner to answer.
- Students to find out more information about their local Hilton.
- Give each student two highlight pens (two different colours). Highlight all the facts in one colour, all the opinions in another. Now look at the article – which colour predominates?
- Look at the use of capital letters, commas and apostrophes.
- Students to describe a hotel or holiday home they have stayed in.