Speaker 1

I was always bad at languages and communicating with people. Then I decided to go to France to study French. I took a 4-week course and when I came back, I passed my French exam very well. I have become more open to people and I have also changed my views on fashion and many other things.

Speaker 2

I'm from Boston. A few years ago, my family and I took a two-week trip to Italy. I liked it that the Italians were very helpful and kind to each other. I also enjoyed the friendly atmosphere and respect in Italian families. I mean I really would like to bring back home the idea of a big family, where the old and the young live together.

Speaker 3

When I travel I try not to stay in a hotel but with a host family. I travel to meet people and communicate with them to get to know their lifestyle better. I like shopping and trying the foods they eat. I enjoy learning the culture and traditions.

Speaker 4

I'm English, I was born in England and I understand the wish of English people to see other places. I agree the weather in England is awful, but the grey sky doesn't stop those who want to see all the wonderful museums, palaces, tearooms and such. I spend every Christmas and summer holidays visiting different parts of Britain. Britain is very beautiful!