

Astonishing holiday complaints

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These are just two of the astonishing complaints made by British holidaymakers to their tour operators. Here are more astonishing but true complaints.

- 1 The local store didn't sell proper English biscuits like custard creams or ginger nuts.
- 2 The plane flew too high and my wife is scared of heights.
- 3 We booked an excursion to a water park but nobody told us we had to take our swimming costumes and towels.
- 4 We bought designer sunglasses for €5 from a street trader, only to find out they were fake.
- 5 It took us nine hours to fly home from Jamaica but it only took the Americans three hours to get home. That's not fair.
- 6 There were too many foreign people and too much foreign food. Too many foreigners live abroad and they don't speak English.
- 7 The sand was too hot. My children could not walk down to the sea for a swim.
- 8 There were too many other British tourists in Turkey and especially in our hotel.

9 There was too much food at the buffet. I put on 5 pounds in a week.

10 The other women looked too good in their bikinis. It ruined my holiday because my husband kept looking at them.

In response to the complaints one tour operator said: "We are more than happy to deal with any complaints that arise, but we regret that we cannot be held responsible for the temperature of the sand, weight gain as a result of eating too much good food, or the number of other English or foreign people nearby."



"The brochure didn't say that reindeer couldn't fly. Our kids were really disappointed."