

International Money: Currency Conversion

Camilla needs to change her money to the currency of the country that she is visiting. This is called **FOREIGN EXCHANGE**. You can get this from most banks, post offices and currency shops. Look for a sign called 'Bureau de change'.

Let's go
on tour!



Here's the maths:

To work out how much foreign currency Camilla gets:

**British currency x Exchange rate
= Foreign currency**

To work out how many pounds (GBP) Camilla gets back:

**Foreign currency ÷ Exchange rate
= British currency**

Using the 'exchange rates' in the table below, can you do the sums to work out how much different currency Camilla can buy?

Country	Symbol	Exchange rates for GBP
Australia	AU\$	1.83 AUD
European countries	€	1.11 EUR
USA	US\$	1.25 USD
India	₹	95.03 INR

Top tip: Use a calculator to work out the answer, but write down the working out part.

2. She then goes to Australia and back. She has 200 Australian Dollars left over. **Help Camilla convert the money back to British Pounds.**

3. Camilla's next trip is to Spain. She has saved £350 to go to Spain for a week. **How many Euros will Camilla get?**

1. Camilla is going on her first trip to the USA. She saves £150 from her pocket money. **How many United States Dollars can she get?**

Top tip: GBP stands for Great British Pounds.

4. Finally Camilla's last destination is India. **After returning from India, she needs to convert 1,000 Indian Rupees to British Pounds. Can you help her?**