

Planning a World Tour

Watch the interview video with Charlie Barnes from Bastille about what it's like playing with a world renowned band and touring the world.

Task

Your record label is about to release your band's next album and would like you to do a 20-show world tour to promote it. They need to decide with your Agent and Management team where in the world and what venues you want to play. Your team would like your input to plan it. Use the accompanying 'World Planning Sheet' to complete the task below.

Things to think about:

1. When in the year should/would you like to tour to avoid clashing with some of the big UK festivals?
2. Where in the world would you like to play?
3. What venues would you like to play at? Big stadiums, famous venues or cool outdoor locations?
4. When should you have days off and what could you do?
5. How will the band travel between the gigs and where will they stay?
6. How far apart are the shows and how long does it take to get there?
7. How many days will you need, including days off and travel days?