

Unit 27

Let's See the World!

Lesson 27 AMAZING Countries

Word Bank

Great Barrier Reef → Gran Barrera de Coral

Uluru

Sydney Opera House

Funnel web spider → araña de tela en embudo

① Read the tourist brochure for Australia and complete using the Word Bank. Then label the pictures



Uluru



Sydney Opera House



Funnel web spider



Great Barrier Reef

Australia - Where Everything is Bigger and Better

Come to wonderful Australia, where everything is bigger and better! Come visit Sydney, Australia's biggest city with a population of 4.9 million people. It is just a little bit bigger than Melbourne which has 4.5 million people. It's an incredible city which is famous for the Great Barrier Reef where they have theatre and music shows. Sydney's climate is also warmer than Melbourne's, but the hottest regions of Australia are the Northern Territory and Western Australia.

Australia is also famous for some of the most astonishing natural wonders that exist on planet earth. For example the 2nd Sydney Opera House in Queensland is the largest coral

reef in the world, and Funnel web, which is located in the Northern Territory, has also been declared the largest rock in the world.

And for reptile and spider lovers, Australia is also famous for some not so friendly wonders of nature. We have some of the most venomous snakes and spiders in the world. In fact the Funnel web is the second most poisonous spider in the world, just behind the Brazilian Wandering spider.

So if you like fascinating architecture and wonderful nature (that includes venomous snakes and spiders!), be sure to come visit sunny Australia!

2 Answer the questions based on the tourist brochure

① Which city is smaller, Sydney or Melbourne?

Melbourne is smaller than Sydney

② Which is hotter, Northern Territory Sydney or Melbourne?

The hottest territory is Sydney

③ Why is Uluru famous?

Uluru is famous for its ability to change colour based on the time of year and the time of day

④ Which city is colder, Sydney or Melbourne?

Melbourne is colder

⑤ What is the name of the largest coral reef in the world?

It's called the Great Barrier Reef of Australia

⑥ Which spider is more venomous, the funnel web or the Brazilian wandering spider?

The most poisonous spider is the Australian funnel spider (*Atrax robustus*) it is considered the most dangerous spider in the world

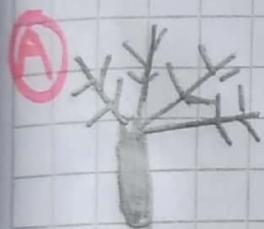
Lesson 2 >> Crossing Borders!

Word Bank

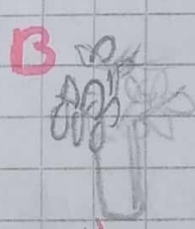
Summer Autumn

Winter Spring

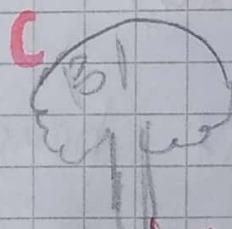
1 Label pictures A-D and Complete Sentences 1-4 with the words in the word bank



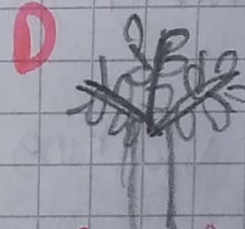
winter



Autumn



spring



Summer

1 We were swimming at the beach and the Sun is shining. It's really hot and sunny. It is Summer

2 It's really cold today. We're wearing jackets and building a snowman. It is winter

3 Today we are having a picnic in the park. The weather is nice and warm. It is ~~Autumn~~ Spring

4 The weather today is cloudy and windy. The leaves are falling off the trees. It is Autumn

2 put the words in order to make questions
and the we the pictures to answer them

1 is/riding/what/she/?

what is she riding

she is riding a horse

2. doing/what/they/are/?

They are walking at beach

3 + traveling/is/where/he?

he is traveling at the chynesse wall

4 they/are/making/what/?

They are doing a snow man

3 Write 3 things that people around you are doing

1. My mom is cooking at the kitchen

2. My dad is reading the bible

3. My sister is doing her homework

LESSON 3 World Citizens

1 Look at the information in the chart and complete the sentences

	New Zealand	Canada
Size of country	268,021 km ²	9,984,670 km ²
Average nationwide temperature	12.7°C	10.3°C
Population	4,721,610	36,286,425
Languages spoken	English, Maori	English, French, 9 indigenous languages
Number of international visitors in 2015	5.5 million	27.5 million

1 The area of New Zealand is smaller than (small) the area of Canada

2 The average nationwide temperature in New Zealand is higher than (high) in Canada

3 Canada's population is bigger than (big) New Zealand

4 In Canada people speak different languages (languages) in New Zealand

5 In 2015, Canada had more international visitors than International in New Zealand

2. Read Johan's description of his home city and then write a short description of your city.

Hi! My name is Johan and I'm from Mexico City in Mexico. It is the largest city in Mexico with more than 8.8 million people. In fact Mexico has more than 120 million people!

The city is surrounded by beautiful mountains and volcanoes and inside the city there are many famous buildings from the Aztec period, especially the Aztec Templo Mayor. We also have Chapultepec, which is one of the biggest urban parks in the world!

Mexico City only has two seasons; the dry season from November to April and the wet or rainy season from May to October. Temperatures can go from 0°C in the wet season to 32°C in the dry season.

I love this city, but I can understand why many people find it very stressful. If you don't like cities, don't worry, Mexico also has some of the most beautiful beaches in the world.

So Welcome to Mexico!

(Name, where you're from and population)

I am from Bogotá
In Bogotá there are more than 7,781 million inhabitants

(What is your city famous for?)

because there is a lot of culture and art and it has very beautiful places. It is one of the most touristic cities in the world.

The weather is cold about 18°C

(Conclusion)

I invite you to come

Choose the best option.

1. She was swimming ~~when~~ she saw a shark.
a. for b. during c. while **d. when**
2. While I ~~walked~~, it ~~started~~ to rain.
a. was walking / started
b. walked / was starting
c. was walking / was starting
d. walked / started
3. Santa Marta is the ~~oldest~~ city in Colombia.
a. older **c.** most oldest
b. oldest d. more old
4. Medellin is the second ~~larger~~ city in Colombia.
a. largest than c. larger
b. most large **d.** largest
5. I think Cartagena is ~~more~~ than Barranquilla.
a. the more beautiful
b. the most beautiful
c. more beautiful
d. most beautiful
6. He ~~a~~ on the phone when he received the good news.
a. was talking / received
b. talked / was receiving
c. were talking / received
d. was talking / was receiving
7. She arrived while they _____.
a. slept c. was sleeping
b. sleep d. were sleeping
8. I visited the Taj Mahal ~~when~~ I was traveling in India.
a. for b. during c. while **d.** when
9. Salento is the ~~most~~ town in Quindio.
a. interesting **c.** most interesting
b. more interesting d. interest
10. Villa de Leyva is ~~b~~ for its town square.
a. good c. hard
b. famous d. delicious

		Very well	Quite well	With difficulty
Vocabulary	I can understand vocabulary related to lifestyles in cities and activities in the past.	X		
Grammar	I can use comparatives and superlatives to compare cities and the past progressive tense to talk about activities in the past.	X		
Reading	I can understand texts that talk about activities in the past and compare cities.	X		
Writing	I can write texts comparing cities and talking about activities in the past.	X		
Listening	I can understand conversations that compare cities and talk about activities in the past.	X		
Speaking	I can speak about activities in the past and lifestyles in cities.	X		

		Very well	Quite well	With difficulty
Vocabulary	I can understand vocabulary related to typical characteristics of different countries.	X		
Grammar	I can use comparatives and superlatives to compare countries, and the present continuous to talk about things that are happening at the moment of speaking.	X		
Reading	I can understand texts that compare characteristics of countries.	X		
Writing	I can write about the characteristics of different countries.	X		
Listening	I can understand conversations about the characteristics of different countries.	X		
Speaking	I can speak about the characteristics of different countries.	X		