

Watch the video and choose the correct answers

1. What is the name of the desert town in Australia that is the focus of the video?
A. Sydney
B. Uluru
C. Coober Pedy
D. Brisbane
2. What is the extreme summer temperature experienced in Coober Pedy?
A. Up to 40 degrees Celsius
B. Up to 45 degrees Celsius
C. Up to 50 degrees Celsius
D. Up to 52 degrees Celsius
3. Why are the homes in Coober Pedy mostly built underground?
A. To protect against wildlife
B. To reduce construction costs
C. To escape the hot weather
D. To be closer to the opal mines
4. What type of underground facilities, other than homes, are mentioned in the video?
A. Hospitals and schools
B. Factories and warehouses
C. Churches, hotels, and shops
D. Restaurants and entertainment venues
5. What is the main problem that visitors to Coober Pedy experience, according to the resident?
A. Difficulty finding their way around
B. Lack of tourist attractions

C. Inability to see the houses

D. Overwhelming heat and humidity

6. What is the primary economic activity in Coober Pedy, as mentioned in the video?

A. Cattle farming

C. Opal mining

B. Tourism

D. Agriculture

7. What is the approximate population of Coober Pedy, as stated in the video?

A. Fewer than 500 people

C. Fewer than 2,000 people

B. Fewer than 1,000 people

D. Fewer than 5,000 people

Answer the questions.

1. The article says the underground homes are cool in summer. What other advantages are there to living in an underground home?
2. What disadvantages can you think of to living underground?
3. Would you like to live in an underground home? Why? / Why not?