

DISCOVERING PERU



Cusco: The Ancient Capital of the Inca Empire

-  Cusco is a beautiful city in the south of Peru. It was the capital of the Inca Empire. **There are** many tourist attractions in Cusco. **There** is the famous Plaza de Armas.
-  **There are** ancient Inca walls in the city. There is the Sacsayhuamán fortress. **There are** colorful markets like San Pedro Market. **There aren't** beaches in Cusco because it is in the mountains. **Are there** a lot of history? **Yes, there is!** Cusco is an incredible and picturesque destination.



About the text, answer the questions

- 1  What is Cusco famous for? _____
- 2  Are there beaches in Cusco? _____
- 3  Name two tourist attractions. _____
- 4  Is there a lot of history in Cusco? _____
- 5  What adjectives describe Cusco? _____

GRAMMAR

There is – there are

QUICK RULES

- ✓ Use **THERE IS** for one thing.
Example: *There is a dog in the yard.*
- ✓ Use **THERE ARE** for two or more things.
Example: *There are dogs in the yard.*
- ✓ Use **a** with words that start with a consonant.
Example: *There is a car.*

- ✓ Use **an** with words that start with a vowel (a, e, i, o, u).
Example: *There is an umbrella.*



REMEMBER!

There is = one



There are = two or more



Complete with: **There is** / **There are** / **There isn't** / **There aren't**

- 1 _____ many tourists in Cusco. 
- 2 _____ a famous cathedral. 
- 3 _____ beaches in Cusco. 
- 4 _____ ancient walls. 
- 5 _____ a colorful market. 

