

FACULDADE DE TECNOLOGIA DA ZONA SUL

Curso: ADS

Unit 14- Video Resource Activity

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≡ **Preview**

1 CULTURE

In North America, game shows are one of the most popular types of TV programs. There are several different game shows on at various times of the day. In most game shows, players test their knowledge on different subjects. Sometimes the questions are quite easy, and sometimes they are very difficult. But other game shows are games of chance. The winner must be lucky, but doesn't have to know a lot of facts.

*What are some game shows on TV in your country?
Which ones are the most popular?
Which ones do you like to watch?*



≡ **Watch the video**

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CHECK THE FACTS

1. Which is longer?

- ☐ the Nile River
- ☐ the Amazon River



the Nile River



the Amazon River

2. Which is higher?

- ☐ Mt. McKinley
- ☐ Mt. Kilimanjaro



Mt. McKinley



Mt. Kilimanjaro

3. What's the largest desert in Asia?

- ☐ the Great Indian Desert
- ☐ the Gobi Desert

4. Which is the largest city in North America?

- ☐ Los Angeles
- ☐ Mexico City



Mexico City



Los Angeles

5. Which country is called the "island continent"?

- ☐ Antarctica
- ☐ Australia

5 WATCH FOR DETAILS

Check (✓) the correct answers. Then compare with a partner.



1. Marlene is from
 - ☐ Seattle, Washington.
 - ☐ Washington, D.C.
2. Marlene is a
 - ☐ computer programmer.
 - ☐ computer engineer.



3. Ted is from
 - ☐ Cambridge, Massachusetts.
 - ☐ Boston, Massachusetts.
4. Ted is a
 - ☐ high school teacher.
 - ☐ college teacher.



5. Lili is from
 - ☐ Vero Beach, Florida.
 - ☐ Miami Beach, Florida.
6. Lili is a
 - ☐ café owner.
 - ☐ chef.

6 WHO WINS THE GAME?

A What is each person's score at the end of the game? Write the number.
Then compare with a partner.

Marlene Ted Lili

B Is the winner happy with the prize? Why or why not?

Language close-up

8 WHAT DID HE SAY?

Watch the video and complete the host's comments. Then practice it.

The host introduces the contestants.

Hi, again, folks. And back to the Final Round of our show. I'm your host, Richard Darien, and are our contestants:

A computer from Seattle, Washington: Marlene Miller!

Marlene has points.

And next to you we have a high school from Boston, Massachusetts: Ted Simmons! Ted currently has points, and he is the !

And our contestant is a café from Vero Beach, Florida: Lili Chen! Lili has points, so she's currently with Marlene.

Oh boy, this is going to be an game, get on to the Final Round. Our are Cities, Deserts, , Mountains, and



9 COMPARISONS WITH ADJECTIVES

A Write questions using the comparative or superlative form of each adjective in parentheses. Then add three questions of your own.

- city: New York – Tokyo? (cold)
Which city is colder, New York or Tokyo?
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- planet: Earth – Saturn – Mars? (big)
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- structure: the Eiffel Tower – the Statue of Liberty? (tall)
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- building: the Houses of Parliament – the Empire State Building? (old)
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- country: Brazil – Canada – Argentina? (large)
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