

LEIA O TEXTO ABAIXO BUSCANDO A SUA IDEIA PRINCIPAL. BUSQUE NO DICIONÁRIO PALAVRAS CHAVES (SE NECESSÁRIO)

DAILY LIFE

Different countries have different cultures. If you are going to a country and do not know its culture, you may end up being disrespectful, and not on purpose. It can be useful to learn some of the culture and habits of the place you are going to visit before traveling, because you need to respect their culture. Some cultures have different traditions and rituals, customs and beliefs, so you can be in serious problems if you break their rules. Of course, Brazil has its surprising customs, too.

Read the text to see the Brazilian habits that foreigners find weird:

Unique Brazilian Habits

Several showers a day: Brazilians take an average of 2 showers a day; during the summer this number goes up to 4 a day. It's probably because of the hot weather.

The cheek kiss:

Greeting with an "air" kiss. Yes! It's an air kiss because people touch their cheeks and make the sound of a kiss without touching the lips in any part of the person's cheek. Not that easy: the number of kisses may vary. For example, in Sao Paulo, it is just one kiss. In Rio and Bahia, it is two kisses.

Endless vacations: It is common for working Brazilians to get 30 days of paid vacation and 11 public holidays throughout the year.

Brushing teeth at work: Brazilians bring toothbrushes and paste with them so they can brush their teeth up to four times a day, including after lunch.

Talking with their hands: The body language and gestures in Brazil are something unique. It may be OK for Italians, who do the same.

Speaking to you from a very close distance: Related to the habit of talking with their hands, it is also customary in Brazil to talk to people standing too close and touching them on the arms, hands, or shoulder. Brazilians rest their hands on one another and often get very close.

Avocado smoothie: Yes! Brazilians mix avocado with milk and sugar and drink it.

APÓS LER O TEXTO RESPONDA AS PERGUNTAS A SEGUIR:

1-Why is it important to learn some of the culture and habits of the place you are going to visit before traveling?

- 2- Why do Brazilians take 2 or more showers a day?
- 3- How do most Brazilians greet their friends?
- 4- How long does it take Brazilian vacation?
- 5- In what country, besides Brazil, is it common to talk with the hands?
- 6- About the distance they talk to each other, is it safety during the quarantine?
- 7- What color is the smoothie mentioned in the text?
- 8- What habit do you think is the most shocking to foreign people? (Write your answers in Portuguese)