San Francisco



2 ▶ **Watch the DVD clip. Tick the things that you see.**

a old houses	☐	**f** a busy street	☐
b a spectacular bridge	☐	**g** a steep hill	☐
c a cathedral	☐	**h** a crowded market	☐
d a harbour	☐	**i** a historic cable car	☐
e an island	☐		

3 ▶ **Watch again. Complete the sentences with the words below.**

16 million neighbourhood population prison seafood steep tourists

1 San Francisco has a _____ of under 900,000.
2 It is very popular with _____ and over _____ visitors come here each year.
3 Lombard Street is famous because it is very _____.
4 Alcatraz Island is famous because of its large _____.
5 Fisherman's Wharf is a _____ on the waterfront.
6 There are many restaurants serving _____.

4 ▶ **Watch again. Match the events (a–e) with the years (1–5).**

1 1873	**a** The Golden Gate Bridge opens.
2 1933	**b** Alcatraz prison opens.
3 1937	**c** Alcatraz prison closes.
4 1963	**d** Sea lions arrive at Fisherman's Wharf.
5 1989	**e** Cable cars start working.

6 RECYCLE **Choose the correct words.**

1 The **historic** / **remote** centre was built over a thousand years ago.
2 This hotel is so **expensive** / **boring** that only very rich people stay there.
3 The views of the mountains were **spectacular** / **remote**.
4 That restaurant is really **cheap** / **impressive** but the food is excellent.
5 At night it's quiet and really **atmospheric** / **crowded**.
6 The museum is really **romantic** / **busy** and there are always thousands of people there.

7 **Complete the text with the words below.**

attracts classical icon fascinating neighbourhoods symbol vibrant

Berlin

Berlin is one of Europe's most [1]_____ cities and it [2]_____ over 25 million visitors every year. The city is full of interesting and fashionable [3]_____, including Kreuzberg and Neukölln in the south, and Prenzlauer Berg in the east.

The [4]_____ of Berlin is the bear, and you can see pictures of bears everywhere throughout the city. There are some fine examples of both modern and [5]_____ architecture and the most famous landmark is the Brandenburg Gate, which has become an [6]_____ of the city and its [7]_____ history. Berlin is a great city to explore and visitors will certainly not be disappointed.

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