

NAME: _____

1) Read the text

Australia is the biggest island in the world. A lot of people in Australia live by the coast. They like surfing and going to the beach. Australians speak English. They sometimes call their country 'Oz'.



Sydney Harbour Bridge

The biggest city in Australia is Sydney. There's a big bridge in Sydney. It's called Sydney Harbour Bridge. You can climb it. Look at the picture; this is what you can see from the top!

There are lots of mountains in Australia. The highest mountain in Australia is Mount Kosciuszko. You can ski there in winter.



Mount Kosciuszko

The Great Barrier Reef is in the sea off the coast of Australia. It's very big. You can see it from space!



Great Barrier Reef

There are lots of deserts in Australia. Australians call the desert 'the outback'. It's a very dry country. The Great Victoria Desert is the biggest desert in Australia.



Kangaroo

Australia has got lots of special animals. Kangaroos can jump three metres! Koalas live in trees and eat the leaves. The emu is a very big bird. It runs very fast but it can't fly. There are crocodiles and snakes, too. They're dangerous.

2) Read the text again and write TRUE (T) or FALSE (F)

- Australia is one of the biggest countries in the world. _____
- Sydney is the capital city of Australia. _____
- Mount Kosciuszko is not the highest mountain in the country. _____
- You can see The Great Barrier Reef from the space. _____
- Australia is drier than other countries. _____

3) Complete the text. Use the comparative or superlative form of the adjectives in brackets.

I went on holiday last year but it was a disaster! My hotel room was _____ (small) than the one in the photograph in the brochure. I think it was the _____ (small) room in the hotel. The weather was terrible too. It was _____ (cold) than in England. The beach near the hotel was very dirty – it was _____ (dirty) than all the beaches on the island. The food was _____ (expensive) than I expected and I didn't have enough money.

One day I went shopping in a big department store and I broke a vase. It was the _____ (expensive) vase in the whole shop. But the _____ (bad) thing all was that I lost my passport and I couldn't go back home. It was the _____ (horrible) holiday in all my life.

4) Write the adjectives and their comparative and superlative form.



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5) Write sentences comparing these places and things

a. The country – The city

b. Villaguay – Buenos Aires

c. A Ferrari car – A Ford car

6) Listen to Todd comparing San Francisco and LA and choose the correct option (up to 2:22)

- a. His mom/ dad is from San Francisco.
- b. San Francisco is smaller / bigger than LA.
- c. San Francisco is more expensive / cheaper than LA.
- d. San Francisco is probably the most expensive city in the world / in US.
- e. The weather in LA is colder/ warmer than San Francisco.
- f. He thinks that San Francisco/ LA is prettier.

