

Listening and vocabulary

1 Listen to a travel programme and drag and drop each city into the correct picture (a-c).

Ivrea (Italy) Harbin (China) Lopburi (Thailand)

2 Listen again. Which festival is each statement about? Choose the correct answer - SF (Sculpture Festival), BO (Battle of Oranges) or MB (Monkey Buffet).

1. Warm clothes are recommended.
a. SF b. BO c. MB
2. The place changes completely.
a. SF b. BO c. MB
3. There's a lot of noise.
a. SF b. BO c. MB
4. There's a lot of dressing up.
a. SF b. BO c. MB
5. There's singing and dancing.
a. SF b. BO c. MB
6. It's better at night.
a. SF b. BO c. MB
7. It can get a little frightening.
a. SF b. BO c. MB
8. You can do a sport as well.
a. SF b. BO c. MB



3 Match the adjectives from the box to their corresponding synonyms. Drag and drop them next to the correct sentence.

stunning impressive colourful scary
atmospheric peaceful traditional crowded

1. The street parties are great but they aren't quiet or calm.
2. I love the festivities, but the streets get so full of people. I find it a bit stressful.
3. It's really special with a great feeling in the stadium with all the fans cheering.
4. The costumes are so beautiful and bright - all those greens, reds and oranges!
5. They look very attractive - the costumes and make-up are amazing.
6. The festival is very old. People follow customs or behaviour that haven't changed for a long time.
7. I was really shocked, I didn't think a children's festival would be so frightening.
8. The party was great. I thought the organisation was very well done.

4 Listen, check your answers to activity 3 and repeat the descriptive adjectives.

