

Cumulative Questions for My Region and Tulum, Mexico

What are the similarities and differences between my local area and Tulum, Mexico?

Question	Answer
1. What is an atlas?	b) an atlas is a collection of different types of maps
2. What is the scale of a map?	a) a map is always smaller than the area it represents, so most maps include a scale to show how much smaller the map is
3. How is a map in an atlas and a globe different?	c) maps in atlases are 2-D drawings of our world from above. A globe is a 3-D sphere, and they show the whole planet Earth
4. What is the index of an atlas?	b) the index of an atlas is found at the back of the atlas and lists towns, cities, countries and continents in alphabetical order
5. What does the equator separate?	a) the equator separates the northern hemisphere and the southern hemisphere
6. What is the weather like at the equator?	c) the weather at the equator is hot all year round
7. Which of these statements is false?	b) there is some land at the North Pole. People can easily survive in the conditions found here
8. What is the climate like in Antarctica?	b) Antarctica is the coldest and windiest place on Earth. Antarctica's winter also lasts for eight months.
9. What are the four countries of the United Kingdom (UK)?	a) England, Scotland, Wales and Northern Ireland
10. Which country does not have an official flag?	a) Northern Ireland
11. What is a capital city?	c) a capital is a city where a country's government is located. This is where government buildings are and where government leaders work.
12. Where is London located?	b) London is located in the Greater London region of England
13. Which city is built on top of old volcanoes?	a) Edinburgh is built on top of old volcanoes
14. Which of these statements is true?	c) physical features like seas, mountains and rivers are natural. Human features are things like houses and roads that people have built
15. What is a town?	b) a town is a place which has a few thousand people, more homes and shops than a village and some leisure facilities, e.g. a swimming pool
16. In which direction does a compass needle always point?	a) north
17. Which of these makes it easier to read maps and can show human and physical features?	a) map symbols
18. What is a bird's eye view?	c) a bird's eye view is a view of something from above, just like a bird would see it
19. What is fieldwork?	c) fieldwork is when you go outside and discover things about a place, such as different human and physical features in the area
20. Which of these statements is false?	b) a shop, medical centre and office are examples of physical features
21. What are the three large countries of North America?	b) North America mainly comprises three large countries: Canada, the United States and Mexico
22. What is the difference between northern and southern Mexico?	c) the northern part of Mexico is a desert. Southern Mexico is a tropical rainforest
23. What is the official language of Mexico?	a) Spanish
24. What is the climate in Tulum, Mexico?	b) Tulum has a tropical savanna climate which means it is hot all year round
25. Why is Tulum famous?	a) Tulum is famous for discovering ruins and remains built by ancient people called the Maya
26. Which statement is false?	a) Tulum is not suitable for tourists due to the ruins of the Maya people.
27. Which statement is true?	b) Tulum is a rainforest, home to many animals including the howler monkey and collared anteater
28. What is a coral reef?	b) coral reefs are underwater structures of tiny animals called coral
29. What is a cenote?	a) a cenote is a natural underground lake. Gran Cenote is one of the most popular cenotes in Tulum
30. Which of these human features would you expect to find in Tulum?	a) hotels, restaurants, shops and places of worship
31. What does comparing mean?	c) comparing means observing two different things and noticing their differences and similarities

