Brazil
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Welcome to Brazil
Sport ✔
Geography ✔
Tourism ✔

Food ✘
Politics ✘
Weather ✘

Brazil
1 e, 2 a, 3 f, 4 b, 5 h, 6 c, 7 i, 8 g, 9 j, 10 d

People
1 Ayrton Senna, 2 Dom Pedro the Second, 3 Jorge Amado, 4 Oscar Niemeyer, 5 Walter Salles, 6 Emiliano de Cavalcanti, 7 Charles Miller, 8 Pelé

Geography and cities
1 Salvador, 2 Natal, 3 Recife, 4 Fortaleza, 5 Rio de Janeiro, 6 São Paulo, 7 Belo Horizonte, 8 Brasília

Traditions
1 Carnival, 2 festa de debutantes, 3 Bumba-meu-boi, 4 Feast Day of Our Lady of Aparecida, 5 New Year’s Eve, 6 Festa Junina, 7 Christmas, 8 the Day of the Dead

Vocabulary: Education
1 preschool, 2 Fundamental Education School, 3 private school, 4 school year, 5 vacations, 6 school day, 7 School meals, 8 subjects, 9 exam, 10 degree

Vocabulary: Nature
1 waterfall, 2 climates, 3 leaves, 4 sand, 5 coral reefs, 6 female, 7 beaks, 8 endangered

Grammar: Passive / active
1 live, 2 are visited, 3 makes, 4 is covered, 5 wears, 6 are put, 7 is made, 8 include
1 were studied, 2 were cut down, 3 became, 4 were offered, 5 was directed, 6 came back, 7 was made up, 8 died
Grammar: Used to
1 Yes
   The Atlantic Forest used to be bigger.
2 Yes
   There used to be more indigenous people in Brazil.
3 No (used to is not used for a single action in the past)
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5 Yes
   Belo Horizonte used to be a village called Curral del-Rei.
6 No (used to is not used for a habit in the present)

Grammar: Superlatives
1 the biggest, 2 the most important, 3 the largest, 4 the best, 5 the noisiest, 6 the most famous,
7 the most popular, 8 the highest

Grammar: Comparison
1 Dom Pedro the First was less popular than his son, Dom Pedro the Second.
2 Other countries have fewer plant species than Brazil.
3 Columbia and Peru have more types of bird than Brazil.
4 Private universities are often smaller than public universities in Brazil.
5 A heavier plate is more expensive than a lighter plate in a comida á quilo restaurant.
6 Other birthdays are less important than a fifteenth birthday.
7 Most other cities are older than Belo Horizonte.
8 The other World Cup™ stadiums are newer than Arena da Baixada.

Grammar: Making questions
1 How many people live in Brazil?
2 When did Westerners arrive in Brazil?
3 How long is the school day in Brazil?
4 How much does the Rio Carnival cost?
5 What is feijoada?
6 Where is the book festival “FLIP”?
7 Who wrote The Alchemist?
8 Which is the most popular sport in Brazil?
9 How many times did Gustavo Kuerten win the French Open?
10 Why does Estadio das Dunas copy the shape of sand dunes? / Why is Estadio das Dunas in the shape of sand dunes?