

2 LISTENING



Khaju Bridge, Isfahan



The Grand Bazaar, Isfahan

- A** **Make predictions.** Answer the questions with a partner.
1. Look at the map. Say the countries together. What part of the world is this?
 2. Look at the photos. What words describe these places? Use the words from page 24.
- B** **Listen to John talk about the city of Isfahan.** Where is it? Write your answer: _____
CD 1 Track 15
- C** **Listen for details.** Listen. Match the places (1–5) to the words that describe them (a–h). Some will have more than one answer. CD 1 Track 16
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| 1. Iran _____ | a. beautiful | e. wonderful |
| 2. Iranians _____ | b. big | f. old |
| 3. Khaju Bridge _____ | c. famous | g. relaxing |
| 4. the main square _____ | d. friendly | h. interesting |
| 5. Isfahan _____ | | |
- D** **Do you want to visit Isfahan? Why or why not? Tell a partner.**

3 READING

A In one minute, write down any famous cities and places in your country on a piece of paper. Compare your lists with a partner's. Why are the places famous?

B Scan for information. Read the email. Where is Melissa? In which city and country? Follow the steps below to guess.

- Circle key words.
- Write your guess:

- Compare your answer with a partner's.
- Check your answer at the bottom of the next page.

C Read for details. Read

Melissa's note. Circle T for True or F for False. Correct the false sentences to make them true.

- Melissa is in Sydney. T F
- She's on vacation. T F
- She's in a big city. T F
- Long Street is not busy. T F
- Penguins are on Table Mountain. T F
- Melissa loves soccer. T F
- Her vacation is fun. T F

WORLD LINK



Go online and find one more fact about this city. Tell your partner about it. Would you like to visit here? Why or why not?

A GREAT PLACE TO VISIT

Hi Cary,

Greetings! It's day six of my vacation. I'm in a big city of 3.75 million people. It's very exciting.

Right now I'm in a busy cafe on Long Street. There are a lot of restaurants and shops on Long Street. The streets are very crowded! There are a lot of interesting things to see and do here. Boulders Beach is beautiful. It's famous for penguins!

There's also Table Mountain. It's a popular place. The view from there is really wonderful.

There are a lot of World Cup soccer stadiums here. Do you like soccer? I don't!

I'm having a great time! Please say "Hi" to everyone in Sydney for me!

Melissa

Table Mountain

soccer stadium

Cape Town, South Africa

Penguins at Boulders Beach