

PRE-INTERMEDIATE UNIT 3

1 Work in pairs. Discuss the questions.

- 1 What are the most popular things to do/places to visit for visitors to your city?
- 2 Do you like doing these things too, or are they only for tourists?
- 3 Where do you usually take people who come to visit you?

2A Watch the DVD and number the photos in the order you see them.

B Label the photos with the items in the box.

the view from the cable car
'Samba da mesa'
looking for exotic fruit



A _____



B _____



C _____

3A What do these things refer to in the DVD?

- 1 3.5 _____
- 2 1 _____
- 3 2 _____
- 4 Açai _____
- 5 completely free _____
- 6 Lapa _____

B Watch the DVD again to check.

4 Match the words/phrases from the DVD 1-7 with their meanings a)-g).

- 1 common sights
 - 2 the core
 - 3 flavours
 - 4 get up to
 - 5 locals
 - 6 poverty
 - 7 slums
- a) very poor areas
 - b) the particular taste of food and drink
 - c) people who live in an area
 - d) do something
 - e) things you often see
 - f) the situation of being very poor
 - g) the centre

5A You can find the things below in Rio de Janeiro. What do you think they are? Find out as much as you can about them.

- churrasco
- mate
- Santa Teresa
- futevôlei

B Work in groups. Ask and answer questions about the things above. Which of the things would you most like to do/taste/visit?

A: I chose futevôlei.

B: What is it?

A: It's a mixture of football and volleyball.