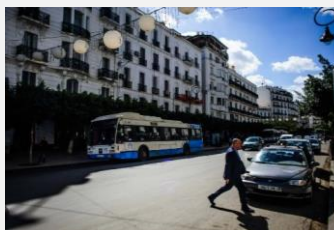


**LANDSCAPE & TOURIST ATTRACTIONS****Street(s)****Garden(s)****Museum(s)****Port(s)****Mosques(s)****Minaret(s)**

**MATCH & PRACTICE**Tourist attractions & Landscape vocabularyPictures**Street****Garden****Museum****Port****Mosque****Minaret**

## TOURISTIC FACTS (ABOUT ALGIERS)



Algiers is the capital of Algeria. It is located in the North of the country overlooking the Mediterranean Sea.

Algiers has a mixed Mediterranean and North-African climate where it is cold in the winter, warm in the spring, hot in the summer and cool in the fall. The weather is **usually** sunny, but it still rains **from time to time**.

Algiers is the biggest city in Algeria and it has some **astounding** sites that attract a number of local and foreign tourists every year.

### 1. "EL CASBAH" OF ALGIERS

The first thing tourists want to do is taking a walk around the old **streets** of "La Casbah", the **historical** and **traditional** heart of Algiers, which was built between the 16<sup>th</sup> and 18<sup>th</sup> century. It is one of the most **unique** places in Algiers.



### 2. THE MARTYR'S MEMORIAL & THE NATIONAL MUSEUM OF MUDJAHID

Next on the list, there is the Martyrs' Memorial. This **monument** was built to commemorate the Algerians who were killed in the Algerian War for Independence. It is now the most popular symbol of the capital Algiers.

Around the monument exists the National **Museum** of the Mudjahid where tourists can discover some **interesting** exhibitions of the war and the local freedom fighters.



### 3. THE BOTANICAL GARDEN HAMMA

The Martyr's Memorial is located in a hill overlooking the city of Algiers. Just down the hill there is one of the best places to relax in Algiers. It is The Botanical **Garden** of El-Hamma. The garden covers a **huge** area of 140 acres and it is home to 1200 different species of plants.

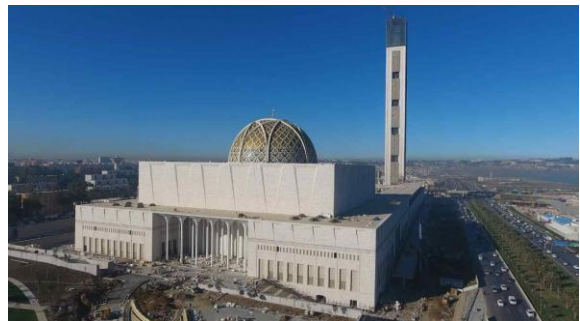


### 4. THE **PORT** OF SIDI FREDJ

The port of Sidi Fredj is actually a simple harbor in Algiers. However, it is known historically as the spot where the French started their invasion of Algiers in the year 1830.

### 5. THE GREAT MOSQUE "DJAMA EL DJAZAIR"

Djama El Djazair is known as "The Great Mosque of Algiers". It is the 3<sup>rd</sup> largest **mosque** after the holly mosques of Mecca and El medina. It also has the tallest **minaret** in the world which stands at 265 meters.



The Great Mosque of Algiers was opened on April 29, 2019 and it is now an important **religious** and **touristic** destination for Algiers visitors.

## HOMEWORK

**Task (Written Expression):** Introduce the Capital Algiers in less than 5 lines.