

LANDSCAPE & TOURIST ATTRACTIONS**Monument(s)****Seaside walkway(s)****Harbor(s)****Beach(es)****Sea(s)****Town(s)**

⊕ MID-SESSION PRACTICE: Match the picture to the correct vocabulary

Tourist attractions & Landscape vocabulary

Pictures

Monument



Walkway



Harbor



Beach



Sea



FACTS ABOUT ORAN CITY

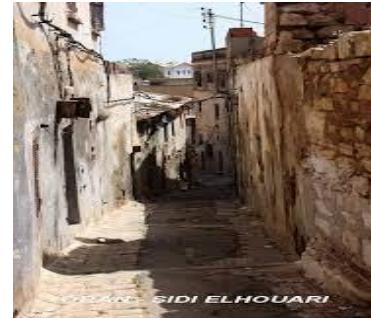


Oran is a coastal city located in the northwest of Algeria. It is about 400km far from the capital Algiers.

The weather in Oran is warm and **mostly** sunny in the spring, hot and nice in the summer and cool and cloudy in the fall. In the winter, the weather is cold but mostly sunny. It rains **sometimes** but it **rarely** snows.

Oran is the 2nd largest city in Algeria after the capital Algiers. And it is one of the most visited places in the country.

The most common tourist attraction of Oran is Santa Cruz **monument** which was built by the Spanish in the 16th century.



Also, tourists would love to visit the old **town** of Sidi Elhouari which is home to many historic buildings and landmarks.



Other than that, Oran visitors **usually** enjoy walking along the **seaside walkway** known as "Front De Mer" where they get a great panoramic view over the **sea**, and the **harbor**.

During the hot summer, Ain Turk is the number one destination for Oran visitors. The region is known for a number of nice **beaches** where tourists can do many beach activities such as swimming (1), **sunbathing** (2), surfing (3), **hiking** (4) and **scuba diving**(5) as well.



HOMEWORK

Task: Read the text and answer the following questions.

Q1. Where is Oran located?

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Q2. How far is Oran from the capital Algiers?

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Q3. Is it an inland city?

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Q4. How is the weather in Oran during the spring?

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Q5. How is the weather in Oran during the summer?

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Q6. Is the weather cold in the fall and the winter?

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Q7. What are the most common tourist attractions of Oran city? (Mention three)

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Q8. What can people do at the beach in Oran?

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