



Thank you for all your entries this week, the scores were very close, well done!

We have ONE winner......



Christian.C - Year 7



The answers for each picture has been added to the PPT slides; what is the name of the place in the picture and where in the world it can be located?

Answer



China - Zhangye Danxia Geopark

This country's railway lines could loop around Earth twice

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This country is the third largest country by area at 9,706,961 sq km

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The world's largest Hydroelectric Dam is located in this country.

Stamp collecting is the number one hobby in this country.

Half of the world's pigs live in this country.





Answer



Canada - Banff national park

Half of the country is covered with forests, which should come as no surprise considering one-tenth of the world's forests are here.

The country's capital is the second coldest capital in the world after Moscow.

Despite being a huge country, this country has the fourth lowest population density in the world, with only three people living per square kilometre!

The longest highway in the world is 7,604 kilometres (4,725 miles) in length and is in this country.

This country is home to 48 national parks and national park reserves, 167 national historic sites and four marine conservation areas.



Answer



This country has more than 3,000 McDonald's restaurants, the largest number in any country outside the U.S.

In this country it is considered rude to tear the wrapping paper off of a gift

Twenty-one percent of this country's population is elderly (over the age of 65), the highest proportion in the world.

Ninety percent of all mobile phones sold in this country are waterproof because youth like to use them even while showering

This country and Russia still haven't signed a peace treaty to end World War II

Japan



Vietnam – Mu Cang Chai

This country is the world's largest exporter of black pepper, producing about a third of the world's total

Their flag consists of a golden star with five points to represent farmers, workers, intellectuals, youth, and soldiers. The red background pays tribute to the bloodshed during the wars

Rice terraces are planted that way to enable the crop to grow along the steep mountainsides.

Water puppetry is a popular art form that dates back as far as the 11th century

Snake wine, which is made by steeping whole snakes in rice wine for their venom or essence, is commonly drunk for health, vitality and restorative purposes



Answer



Iceland – Blue Lagoon

Beer was illegal in this country until 1989

This country is one of two places in the world where you can see tectonic plates separate above sea level.

Puffins are considered a delicacy in this country.

This country had the first democratically elected female President and the first openly gay Prime Minister in the world.

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This country is the most eco-friendly country in the world. About 85% of their energy production is from renewable sources (hydropower and geothermal)



Answer



Russia – St Basil's Cathedral

The land border of this country is 20,241 kilometres long, the second longest of any country.

The Trans-Siberian Railroad is the longest in the world; its length is 9,289 kilometres (5,772 miles) and crosses eight time zones.

Chicken's foot soup (kholodets) is a traditional delicacy. Yummy.

It has more time zones (II) than any other country, but since 2011 has only used nine.

The country's greatest museum - The Hermitage is home to around 70 cats, which guard its treasures against rodents.

Answer

This country supplies London with a Christmas tree every year

The capital has been the proud venue of the Nobel Peace Prize ceremony every year

Europe's biggest herd of wild reindeer lives here

Modern and ancient skiing were invented in this country.

Around 98% of this country's domestic power usage is drawn from hydroelectric power plants.

Norway – Lofoten Islands





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