

# VIDEO TIME

## UNIT 20 Urban Life

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**Titre de la vidéo :** 2-minute tours : San Francisco

**Durée :** 1'29"

**Sous-titres :** non

**Lien vers la vidéo :**

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=SPQNsHuR9D0>

### PART 1 ► Watch the whole video.

#### 1 Answer the questions.

a. What is this video promoting?

**The video is promoting the city of San Francisco.**

b. Who could be interested in watching this video? Why?

**Tourists from the USA or from all over the world could be interested in touring the city. People could also be interested in discovering the city because they would like to move to San Francisco.**

#### 2 Number (from 1 to 5) the topics below in the order of the video.

a. Population

d. Cable cars

b. Location

e. Alcatraz Prison

c. Sea lions

#### HELP!

**a backyard** un jardin (derrière une maison)

**a cable car** un tramway à traction par câble

**clam chowder** soupe de palourdes

**crafty** habile, astucieux

**oddballs** des excentriques

**a sea lion** un lion de mer (otarie)

**stroll / wander** se balader, flâner

### PART 2 ► Watch the video from the beginning to 0:17.

#### 3 Answer the questions.

a. Is the city located on the Southern California coast? **No, it is on the Northern California coast.**

b. How many hills are there in San Francisco? **There are 43 hills.**

c. How many inhabitants are there in San Francisco? **There are over 800,000 inhabitants.**

#### 4 Select the right information.

a. San Francisco sits on the edge of *California* / **a peninsula.**

b. People in San Francisco are free **thinkers** / *talkers.*

c. They are also crafty **inventors** / *decorators* and oddballs.

d. The city refuses to be brought down to **earth** / *hell.*

**PART 3 ▶ Watch the video from 0:17 to 0:55.**

**5 Match the attractions and the recommended activities.**

Attractions	Recommended activities
a. Cable car ■	e. stroll through the gardens ■
b. Fisherman's Wharf ■	f. watch the sea lions ■
c. Pier 39 ■	g. grab* a bowl of clam chowder ■
d. Golden Gate Park ■	h. explore the city ■

\* attraper, saisir

**6 Complete the script.**

- a. The cable car offers the best way to **explore** the city, effortlessly climbing the **hills**.
- b. Fight through the **tourists** to grab a bowl of clam chowder.
- c. Indulge your senses<sup>1</sup> in the Mission District, the city's hub<sup>2</sup> for **music** and **art**.
- d. Wander through the neighborhood of Haight Ashbury, a national symbol of the **1960s hippy revolution**.

1. Faites plaisir à vos sens ; 2. centre

**PART 4 ▶ Watch the video from 0:55 to the end.**

**7 Circle in the list below the three San Francisco landmarks which are presented.**

- a. Alcatraz Prison
- c. Union Square
- e. Golden Gate Bridge
- b. Chinatown
- d. Victorian houses
- f. Bay Bridge

**8 Tick true or false.**

	TRUE	FALSE
a. Alcatraz is America's most notorious prison.		X
b. The Painted Ladies are a line-up of pastel-colored houses.	X	
c. The bridge was completed in 1947.		X

**6 Complete the information about the Golden Gate Bridge.**

- a. The Golden Gate Bridge is the most iconic **landmark** in San Francisco.
- b. The Art Deco **suspension** bridge connects the **city** to Marin County.
- c. More than **120,000** cars cross the bridge each day.