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USE THE CLUES PROVIDED TO FIGURE OUT
WHAT CITY WE ARE LOOKING FOR

WHEN YOU THINK YOU HAVE IDENTIFIED THE CORRECT
CITIES SEND US YOUR GUESSES TO GEOSCIENCES@FHSU.EDU

1. I'm the city noted for being the birthplace of jazz and throwing a big Mardi Gras celebration. What city am I?

2. This city has been settled for more than 6,000 years and is situated on the Nile River. The city is home to the pyramids of Giza and the Sphinx.

3. This city is a major Historical and cultural center. It was founded by Peter The Great. The city lies about seven degrees south of the Artic Circle.

4. This city is the largest and most populated city in the Western Hemisphere. The city is home to the country's economic, cultural, and federal centers. The city is home to the Zócalo, Museo Nacional de Antropologia, and the Frida Kahlo Museum.

5. This city is capital of its nation and is located on the Island of Java. This city is the most populous city in Southeast Asia. This city is home to Istana, Merdeka, and Kota Tua.



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7. This city is located on two continents and straddles the Bosphorus Strait between the Sea of Marmara and the Black Sea. The city was once name Constantinople.

8. This city is located on the Western Side of the European Continent in the North Atlantic. The city is situated on the River Thames and has been a major settlement for over two thousand year. This city is home to Big Bend, and Buckingham Palace.

9. This city at the heart of what was an ancient Mesopotamia and lies about 330 miles from the headwaters of the Persian Gulf. This city lies on the Tigris River, and the primary language is Arabic.

10. This city is located in the southern portion of the United States but is known for its culture and history. This city is the fourth largest in the United States. This city is known to be the most ethnically diverse metropolitan area of the USA. This city is home to the NASA control & training facility as well as Hermann Park.

11. This is the Northernmost, and coldest mega city in the world. It is the center for both of its own country, as well as Eastern Europe's economic, cultural, and scientific centers. This city is home to the third busiest metro in the world with over 6 million passengers a day.

12. This city is nicknamed the City of Lights. it is the center of its country's economy, politics, and culture. It is famous for its art museums, and historical buildings. This city is home the Eiffel Tower.



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13. This city is the capital of a nation consisting of 7641 islands. This city is located on the Island of Luzon, and the Mouth of Pasig River.

14. This city lies on the canalized Mapocho River and features a view of the Andean Mountains to the East. It is one of the most Modern South American cities. The city is home to Santa Lucia Hill, and La Moneda Palace.

15. This is the most populated city in Africa. This city is a megacity and serves as a major financial center for the whole continent of Africa. This city is home to the Lekki Conservation Centre, and the Nike Art Center.

16. This city was known as Hanyang and is the breakdancing capital of the World. The city is located only 35 miles from its national Northern Neighbor. This northern neighbor and the country have serious tensions, and a history of conflicts.

17. This city is located on the Eastern Coast of the United States. The city has many nicknames, one is the Big Apple. The city is famous for being home to the Statue of Liberty, the Empire State Building and Times Square.

18. This city is the most traveled to the city in the whole of South America and is home to beautiful beaches. The language of the city is Portuguese. The city is famous for its carnival, and the Christ the Redeemer Statue.

19. This is the largest city in Western Asia and located at the foot of the Elburz mountain range. Farsi is the primary language spoken.

