

## Webquest about Santa Barbara

1. Go to the webpage <http://www.santabarbaraca.gov/Visitor/> and answer the following questions:
  - a) Why is Santa Barbara sometimes called the American Riviera?
  - b) Why is Santa Barbara just a short hop (Hüpfen, Sprung) away from the rest of the world?
  - c) The beach is great but what else can you do in Santa Barbara? Name 2 sights and 2 activities.
2. Go to [http://www.santabarbaraca.gov/Visitor/Things/Parks\\_and\\_Beaches/](http://www.santabarbaraca.gov/Visitor/Things/Parks_and_Beaches/) and answer the following questions:
  - a) What is special about Santa Barbara?
  - b) So you think the city is very clean and tidy, and why do you think so?
  - c) How many beach parks does Santa Barbara have?
  - d) If you like to do sport, is Santa Barbara a good place to go? Why and what can you do there?
3. Now back at the main page and have a look at the link street trees. Do you see why Santa Barbara is designed to be a “Tree City USA”?
  - a) How many trees exist in Santa Barbara?
  - b) What are the benefits (Vorteil) of trees in a city? Name at least 3 in your own words.
4. What is the weather like in Santa Barbara during Winter? At <http://134.176.128.63/fheit.html> you can look up how many degrees it is in Celsius.
5. Have a look at the houses at <http://www.santabarbaraca.gov/Beachfront/> . You can rent them to celebrate your birthday or other special days. Would you like to have a party in one of these facilities? Why?
6. What can you do at the facility at <http://www.santabarbaraca.gov/eRecreation/Facilities/FacilitiesDetail.asp?FacilityId=103> ? Do you have to pay to stay there?

## Webquest about Death Valley and Yosemite National Park.

1. Let's have a look at the Death Valley. Open <http://134.176.128.63/fheit.html> .
  - a) Why is the Death Valley a land of extremes?
2. Use the link "direction" and tell me:
  - b) At which border is the Death Valley?
  - c) You pass the Death Valley when you are on your way from ? to ?? Name the two famous cities. You can use the California State map to have a look where it exactly is.

Have a look at the pictures at <http://www.nps.gov/pwr/customcf/apps/pgallery/display-slideshow.cfm?aid=192&gid=192&park=deva&sort=title&aTitle=Artist%27s%20Drive%20%26%20Artist%27s%20Palette>

And <http://www.nps.gov/pwr/customcf/apps/pgallery/display-slideshow.cfm?aid=193&gid=193&park=deva&sort=title&aTitle=Dante%27s%20View>

3. There is another famous National park in California. Open [http://2getgold.com/yosemite/yosemite\\_national\\_park/yosemite\\_national\\_park.html](http://2getgold.com/yosemite/yosemite_national_park/yosemite_national_park.html) and write down
  - a) When was Yosemite made a National Park?
  - b) What is special about Yosemite National Park?
  - c) What kind of animals live in Yosemite National Park?
  - d) When is the maximum flow in the Yosemite falls?
  - e) What happens in years of little rainfalls?

Have a look for yourself at the sheer rock walls at

[http://2getgold.com/yosemite/yosemite\\_national\\_park/yosemite\\_national\\_park.html](http://2getgold.com/yosemite/yosemite_national_park/yosemite_national_park.html)

## Webquest about Los Angeles

1. Imagine you are in L. A. Certainly you want to visit the Universal Studios in Hollywood. Go to <http://themeparks.universalstudios.com/hollywood/website/index.html> and write down:
  - a) Are the studios open on a Sunday?
  - b) When do they open during the week?
  - c) How much is a ticket, if you don't want to stand in a queue, but to skip the line and you can't go there for a special day.?
  - d) When you are on Studio tour you can see the following things. Have you seen some of the movies that refer to? Which one?
2. Talking about Hollywood. Have a look where some of the stars go to: <http://www.seeing-stars.com/Play/ElFloridita.shtml> . Answer the questions:
  - a) Is El Floridita a typical American restaurant?
  - b) Can you dance there?
3. The Viper Room is another spot where you can see lots of famous people. Go to <http://www.seeing-stars.com/Play/ElFloridita.shtml> and answer the following questions:
  - a) What happened to Phoenix River there?
  - b) What did the Mike Jagger do when a photographer took a photo of him?
  - c) Why had Tommy Lee to go to jail (Gefängnis) for six months?
  - d) Who owned the club for a few month?
4. There are some famous streets in Hollywood. The Hollywood Boulevard is one of them. Open <http://www.seeing-stars.com/Streets/HollywoodBlvd.shtml>
  - a) How long did most tourists stay at the Hollywood Boulevard?
  - b) What did they look at?
5. Another famous street is the Sunset Boulevard. At <http://www.seeing-stars.com/Streets/SunsetBlvd.shtml> you can read about it.
  - a) From where to where does Sunset Boulevard go?
6. Now another street: Melrose Avenue: <http://www.seeing-stars.com/Shop/Melrose.shtml>
  - a) Why do people go there?
  - b) What do people do there?
  - c) Is it a place for older or for younger people?