



Travel 101: Samantha's Study Guide

Places to Love is a travel show that focuses on destinations, experiences and the people who make us feel like we are a part of a place.

These companion study guides foster opportunities for conversation and critical thinking. *A great question to ask at the end of every segment: "What did that person (or group of people) do to connect with other people?"*

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"Xi'an, China" K-5 Study Guide

FIND YOUR BEARINGS ALONG THE CITY WALL

1. How tall is the wall?
2. What shape is the wall?
3. What does the wall surround?
4. What Dynasty was the City Wall built during?

Did you know? China has had many Dynasties over almost 4,000 years. A "Dynasty" is when one family rules over many generations

VIEWING XI'AN'S TERRA-COTTA WARRIORS

1. Where near Xi'an were the Terra-cotta Warriors discovered?
2. What year were the Terra-cotta Warriors discovered in?
3. The warriors are kind of like a puzzles. How many pieces make up the featured Terra-cotta Warrior?
4. What details do you notice on the warriors?

Did you know? Each statue is completely unique!

A DIFFERENT KIND OF DOCTOR'S VISIT

TCM is an acronym for "Traditional Chinese Medicine"

1. What are a few ingredients you might find in TCM?
2. What does TCM help cure?
3. What might a TCM Doctor check before deciding your prescription ?
4. How did the medicine taste?

NIGHTLIFE, XI'AN STYLE

1. What is the name of the show?
2. What is the show story based on?
3. How many times is this show performed per night?
4. What are some special effects you will see at the performance?

TRANQUILITY IN THE HEART OF THE BUSTLING MUSLIM QUARTER

1. What is the name of the Mosque?
2. Where is the Mosque located?
3. In what century did Muslims first come to China?
4. What road did they travel on to get to Xi'an?

TAKE A BREAK FROM CITY LIFE AT YUAN JIA VILLAGE

1. What was the Yuan Jia Village originally?
2. When should you eat ginger?
3. What does a tea cooker do?
4. How often might you get a massage and your ears cleaned in Yuan Jia?

GO FLY A KITE

1. Have you ever flown a kite?
2. Are these kites for sale?
3. How long is the train kite?
4. What was your favorite kite featured on the show?

Did you know? Kite flying has a history of more than 2,000 years in China.

Answer Key

FIND YOUR BEARINGS ALONG THE CITY WALL

1. 12 Meters / 40Ft
2. Rectangle
3. The old city of Xi'an
4. The Ming Dynasty

VIEWING XI'AN'S TERRA-COTTA WARRIORS

1. Buried in a field
2. 1974
3. 120
4. eg. nostrils, shoe laces

A DIFFERENT KIND OF DOCTOR'S VISIT

1. Herbs, roots, beetles, seahorses
2. Life's ailments
3. Your tongue, and pulse
4. Bitter

NIGHTLIFE, XI'AN STYLE

1. *Song of Everlasting Sorrow*
2. A 1,200-year-old poem
3. 2 times!
4. Lights, fountains, projections

TRANQUILITY IN THE HEART OF THE BUSTLING MUSLIM QUARTER

1. The Great Mosque
2. The Muslim Quarter
3. 1st Century
4. The Silk road

TAKE A BREAK FROM CITY LIFE AT YUAN JIA VILLAGE

1. Farm village
2. In the morning
3. The person who puts coals on the fire to keep the black tea cooking
4. Every month

GO FLY A KITE

1. Yes/No
2. No
3. 31 meters
4. My favorite kite was _____