Unit 2

Our country today



- **Topics** The seven Emirates; population; education; work; transport; nature
- **Use of English** Comparatives; superlatives; prepositions; adverbs of manner; sequencers; present perfect; gerunds; word class

Lessons 1–2 The seven Emirates

Learning objectives

By the end of this lesson students will be able to;

- **Infer the meaning of new words from captions**
- **Listen for details**

Lessons 1–2 **The seven Emirates**

- Can you list the seven Emirates by size?
- Can you list the countries bordering the UAE?

Emirate	Capital	Population		Area	
		2018	%	(km²)	(mi²)
Abu Dhabi	Abu Dhabi	2,784,490	29.0%	67,340	26,000
Ajman	Ajman	372,922	3.9%	259	100
Dubai	Dubai	4,177,059	42.8%	3,885	1,500
Fujairah	Fujairah	152,000	1.6%	1,165	450
Ras al-Khaimah	Ras al-Khaimah	345,000	3.6%	2,486	950
Sharjah	Sharjah	2,374,132	24.7%	2,590	1,000
Umm al-Quwain	Umm al-Quwain	72,000	0.8%	777	300
UAE	Abu Dhabi	9,599,353	100%	77,700	30,000





تعلیم

Vocabulary

- **Learning new vocabulary:**

New Vocabulary

Landmark (n.) : a location or a building that is famous and usually visited by tourists



Resort (n.) :
a kind of hotel that usually has a beach and spa area



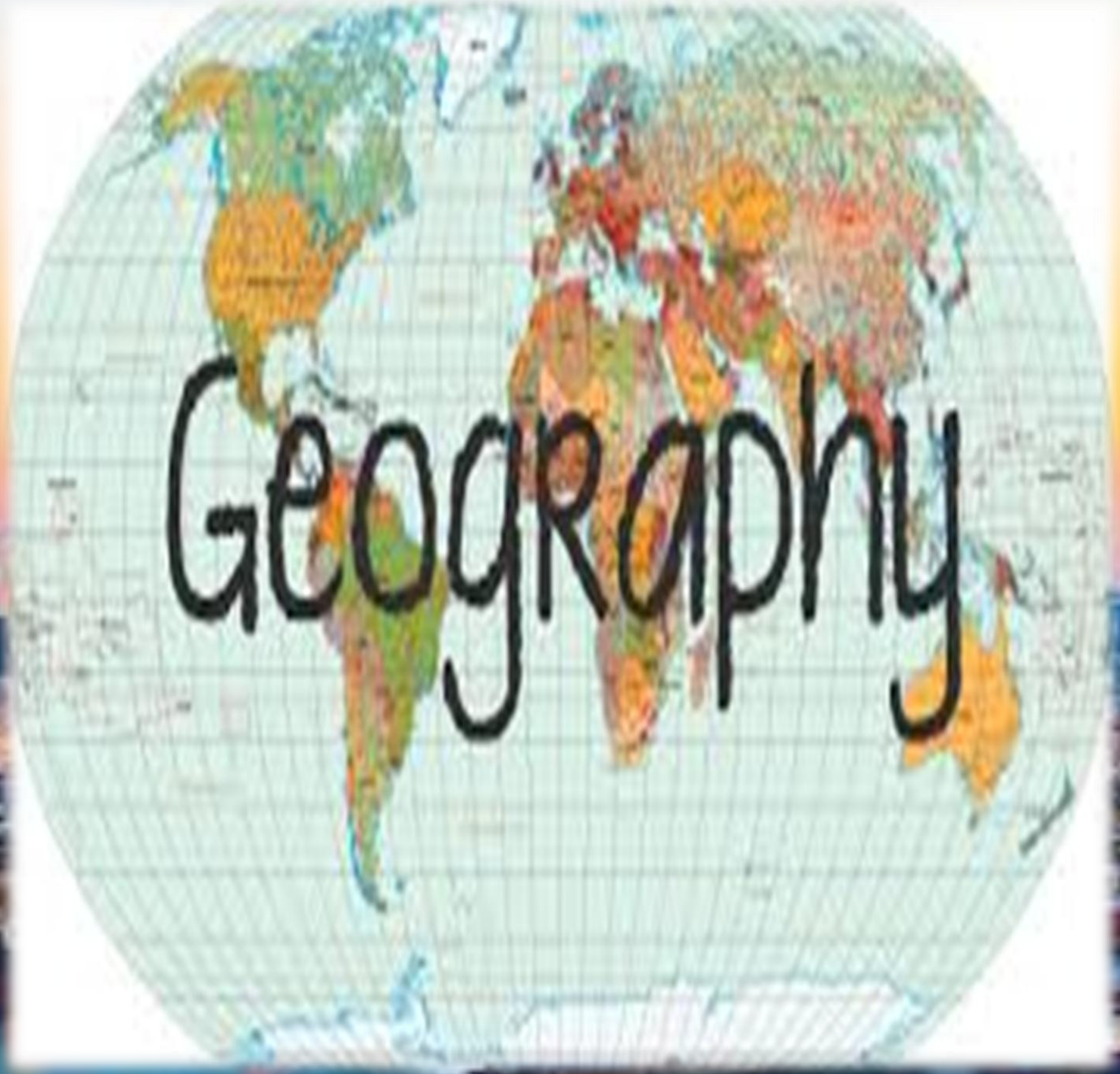
Population (n.) : the number of people living in a city or country



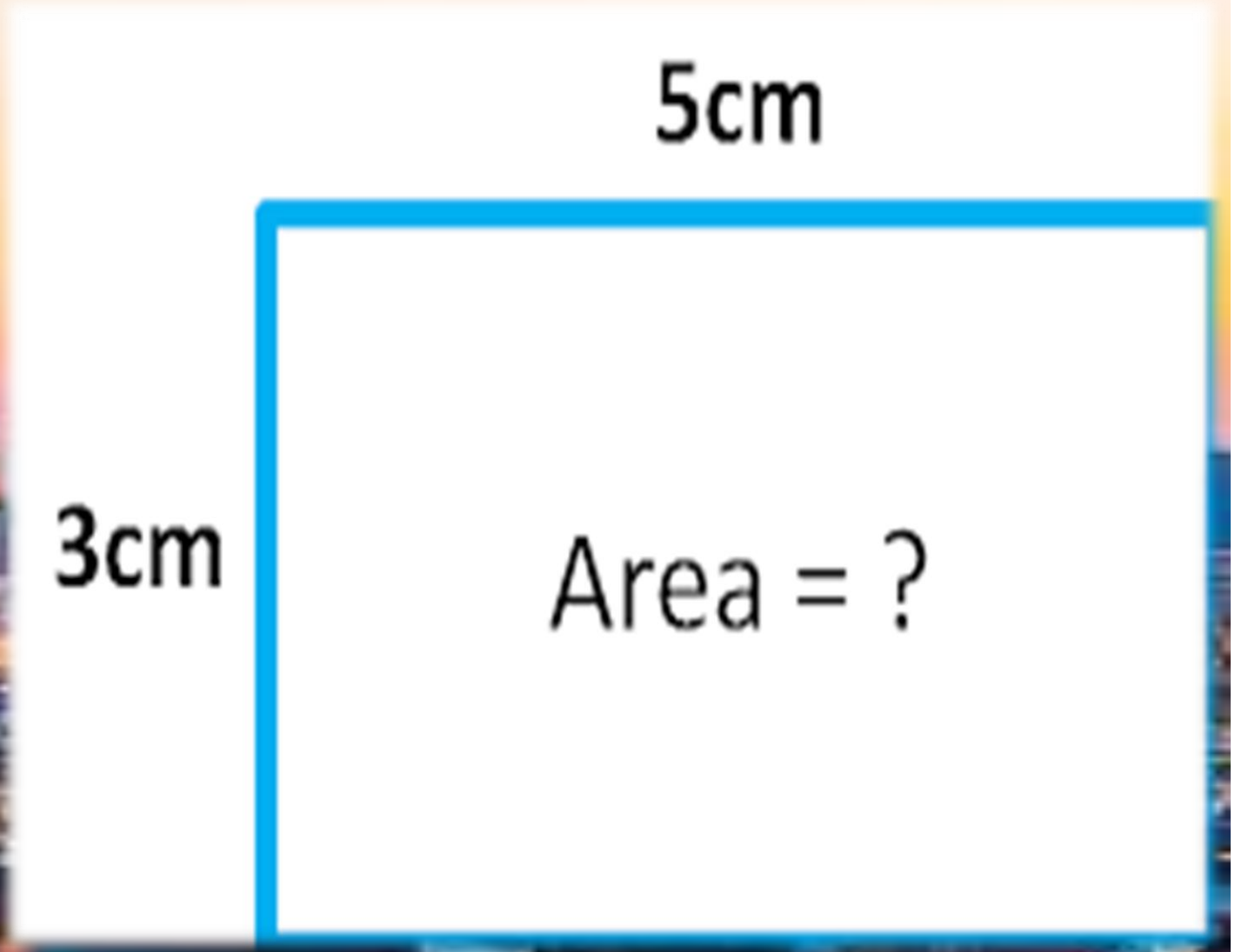
Environment (n.) : the surroundings or conditions in which a person lives



Geography (n.) : in a way that relates to a country's location, earth shape



Area (n.) :
the amount of space that a place covers





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Vocabulary

- Practice

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landmark resort environment geographically population area

3 Complete the sentences with the words from Activity 2. There is one extra word.

1 Each Emirate has at least one _____; Dubai has Burj Khalifa and Burj Al Arab, Abu Dhabi has Sheikh Zayed Mosque and Sharjah has the Sharjah Art Museum.

2 _____, the UAE is well placed for travel between the East and the West.

3 The _____ of Ras Al Khaimah is 1684 km^2.

4 Dubai has a pleasant _____; it is very clean and attractive.

5 Fujairah has a nice _____ on the beach, with lots of facilities.



تعلیم

Listening

- Listen and find details

Listening strategy

Before listening to a text that may contain a lot of numbers, try to predict what the numbers will describe. For example, a documentary about a country will have numbers to describe area, population and temperature.

Listening 29

https://www.liveworksheets.com/od1592775bd

1 Listen to part of a documentary about the UAE. Choose the correct answer.

1 The population in the UAE is around …

a 8.3 million.
b 9.2 million.
c 7.8 million.

2 The number of non-Emiratis in the UAE is …

a 8.3 million.
b 7.8 million.
c 9.2 million.

3 The three reasons that the documentary gives for the UAE being popular with tourists are …

a shopping, hospitality and safety.
b shopping, resorts and restaurants.
c shopping, events and nature.

4 The total area of the seven Emirates is …

a 83 600 km².
b 8360 km².
c 83 600 m².

5 The Emirate with the highest population is …

a Dubai.
b Abu Dhabi.
c Ajman.

6 Abu Dhabi is the wealthiest Emirate with regard to …

a tourism.
b natural resources.
c Gross Domestic Product.

Unit 7

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https://wordwall.net/resource/10898233

Then match the words to the correct definition below.

1 a location or a building that is famous and usually visited by tourists _____

2 a kind of hotel that usually has a beach and spa area _____

3 the surroundings or conditions in which a person lives _____

4 in a way that relates to a country's location _____

5 the number of people living in a city or country _____

6 the amount of space that a place covers _____

landmark

resort

population

environment

geographically

area

1 Find the words below in the wordsearch.

HW

R	E	S	O	R	T	O	L	G	A	J	S	I	O	E
W	U	M	B	V	Z	A	A	E	O	R	J	L	O	N
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K	Z	V	G	Y	I	I	P	C	T	J	V	H	A	N
V	A	E	L	L	Q	K	Z	A	O	F	V	F	M	T
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J	J	F	T	U	Y	F	C	L	D	B	U	V	Z	Z
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