**WELCOME TO OSTRAVA**

a hometown - An individual’s place of birth, childhood home, or place of main residence.

**Quiz:**

How far is Ostrava from the Polish border? a) 10km b) 13km c) 18km

How many rivers flow through the City? a) 3 b) 4 c) 5

What is the area of Ostrava? a) 146 km2 b) 214 km2 c) 312 km2

How many municipalities are there in Ostrava? a) 12 b) 15 c) 23

What is the population density? a) 1000 inhabitants/ km2 b) 1250 i/ km2 c) 1500 i/ km2

What is the average annual temperature? a) +3°C b) +8°C c) + 13°C

How long is the territory of Ostrava in east-west direction in a beeline? a)19.657km b) 23.545km c)25.443km

Is it longer in the north-south direction? a) yes b) no

What is the highest point of Ostrava? a) 226m.a.s.l. b) 336m.a.s.l. c) 446m.a.s.l.

**Mind map:**

**MY HOMETOWN**

**Conversation**:

Do you still live in your hometown?

What's your hometown like?

What is the population of your hometown?

What do you like about your hometown?

What do you dislike about your hometown?

Does anyone famous come from your hometown?

Does your hometown have any festivals? What happens at that festival?

Are there any local traditions in your hometown?

Has your hometown changed a lot since you were a child? If so, how? Have the changes been for the better or worse?

Is your hometown famous for anything?

What are some things in your hometown that are part of history?

What does your hometown produce? What does it grow?

What is the best season in your hometown?

What are the main attractions in your hometown?

How do you see your hometown changing in the next 20 years?

Is your hometown growing? Is this a good or a bad thing?

If you could change one thing in your hometown, what would you change and why?

What is the rate of crime in your hometown? What crimes are most common?

Have you ever visited Ostrava’s websites?

Why should tourists visit Ostrava?.

If you could change one thing about Ostrava, what would you change and why?

**Song:** **Take Me Home, Country Roads**

Almost heaven, West Virginia, Blue Ridge Mountains, Shenandoah \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.  
Life is old there, older than the trees, \_\_\_\_\_\_ than the mountains, growing like a breeze.  
  
Country roads, take me home to the place I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  
West Virginia, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ mamma, take me home, country roads.  
  
All my \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_gather round her, miner's lady, stranger to blue \_\_\_\_\_\_\_.  
Dark and dusty, painted on the sky, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ taste of moonshine, teardrop in my eye.  
  
Country roads…

I hear her voice in the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ hour, she calls me, the radio reminds me of my home far away.  
And driving down the road I get a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ that I should have been home yesterday, yesterday.  
  
Country roads…

**Reading:** I love living in **San Diego**. The weather here is perfect, sunny nearly every day, but sometimes there is a cold wind that comes off the Pacific Ocean. There's also a famous zoo here in San Diego and I like to go in the summer to see all the animals. My favourite thing about San Diego is the many types of restaurant that are here. I love Chinese, Thai and Indian food and in San Diego, I can eat them all. I go to college near the zoo. I am studying to become a vet, so one day I want to work inside the zoo. San Diego is not an old city, but there are parts more than one hundred years old and there are interesting museums here.

**Chester** is an old Roman city and I live near the centre. Chester is in the north of England and the weather is sometimes terrible -- a lot of rain and wind, even in the summer. The Romans were in Chester two thousand years ago and today, there are buildings and walls from that period; it's incredible to think of something so old. I work for an advertising agency and our office is near one of the Roman gates to the city. There are other big cities near Chester, like Liverpool, Manchester and Birmingham, but I prefer to stay here. If I want to go to London, it's only two or three hours on the train. Chester is not too big and not too small. It's perfect for me!

I'm a student in **Paris**. The university I go to is very near the River Seine which passes through Paris. I love my city. Millions of tourists come to Paris every year because it is famous for being so beautiful -- there are buildings, bridges, art galleries and museums here, and some are five hundred years old or more. French food is delicious and famous all over the world: fresh croissants in the morning is the perfect breakfast and in the evening, maybe you would like some snails! The weather in Paris is okay, the winter is sometimes cold and wet, but the summers are always warm. Something I don't like about Paris is the metro. It's very expensive and always too crowded.

Vocabulary practice:

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ - an area where cars or other vehicles may be left temporarily

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ - a marked part of a road where pedestrians have right of way to cross

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ - a passage or path for walking along

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ - a place where a bus regularly stops, typically marked by a sign

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ - a place, typically attached to a bar or tavern, where drinks are served

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ - a room or building for the display or sale of works of art

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ - a building or outdoor area in which plays and other dramatic performances are given

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ - an area where cars are not allowed, typically in the city centre

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ - the principal church of a diocese, with which the bishop is officially associated

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ - a building or room containing collections of books, periodicals, and sometimes films and recorded music for people to read, borrow, or refer to.