

# Inside Out

## 1. Monuments Quiz

On 31<sup>st</sup> March 1889, one of the world's most famous monuments was officially opened in Paris, France: the Eiffel Tower. We've put together a quiz about Gustave Eiffel's creation and also four other instantly recognisable man-made structures: Big Ben in London; the statue of Christ the Redeemer in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil; Sydney Opera House in Australia; and the Statue of Liberty in New York.

### Level

Intermediate

### How to use the lesson

1. Divide the class into two teams, Team A and Team B. If there are more than ten students in your class, divide them into four teams (Two Team As and two Team Bs).
2. Give each student in Team A a copy of Worksheet A and each student in Team B a copy of Worksheet B. If possible, the two teams should be at some distance from the other because the answers are clearly marked on the page, and they won't want the other team to see the answers!
3. First, ask the two teams to read the sentences in Part 1 and to fill the gaps with the correct words. Either check their answers yourself or copy the answers at the bottom of this page to give them.
4. After they have checked the answers, tell your students they are going to prepare a multiple-choice quiz for the other team. Refer them to Part 2, which shows an example of the question format. Ask them to do the same for all the questions. If you have word-processing facilities, ask your students to type out their questionnaires.
5. When they have finished, teams exchange their quizzes and select what they think is the correct answer for each question.
6. Check the answers as a team game with each team scoring one point for a correct answer. The team with the most points is the winner.

### Answers for Team A

1. 1889
2. iron
3. bell
4. hundred
5. mountain
6. stone
7. Australia
8. 1973
9. Liberty, island

### Answers for Team B

1. 300
2. revolution
3. 1859
4. parliament
5. 1931
6. sea
7. sails
8. theatres
9. woman, torch

## **Follow up**

For any more information on any of the above, check out the websites below for project work or more quizzes.

## **2. Related Websites**

Send your students to these websites, or just take a look yourself.

<http://www.tour-eiffel.fr/teiffel/uk/>

Official website of the Eiffel Tower

<http://www.nps.gov/stli/>

Part of US National Parks Service site – lots of information on the Statue of Liberty

<http://www.beautiful-london.co.uk/big-ben.htm>

Facts about Big Ben, the Houses of Parliament, and other famous places in London

<http://www.sydneyoperahouse.com/>

Official website of the Sydney Opera House

<http://www.copacabana.info/christ-the-redeemer.html>

The statue of Christ the Redeemer in Rio de Janeiro – facts and pictures.