

Making Sense Of Place Phoenix: The Urban Desert

Phoenix: A Statistical Overview

Population = 3.3 million
Area = _____ square miles
Average high temperature = _____ degrees
Average snowfall = none
_____% population increase in the last ten years
America's _____ the largest city. And growing fast!

Development in Phoenix has revealed a fundamental paradox in the American dream: we don't necessarily get what we want as a community when we pursue what we want as individual.

Post Video questions # 1 What does this statement mean to you?

A Laboratory in the Desert

*Reflect upon the conflict between open space and development.
Think about your school. Where is the next closest open space located?
Describe what it looks like*

List several reasons to value open space and several reasons to value development.

Value of Open Space _____ Value of Development