

This is a web course assignment.

I. Warm-up questions:

1. According to ancient Greeks, the _____, _____ and most _____ sights are the three items to make the seven wonders of the world.
2. What are the seven wonders of the world?

3. Have you been to anyone of the seven wonders? If yes, which one? Describe your feelings. If not, which one would you like to go visit? Why?

II. Reading: The seven wonders of Taiwan.

1. The first wonder is _____, one of the tallest buildings in the world. It _____ its _____ from the number of stories (floors) above ground level.
2. The second wonder is _____ in suburban Taipei. This museum has the largest _____ of Chinese _____ in the world. The oldest artifacts are pieces of prehistoric _____ over 5,000 years old. Because there are so many items in the museum, the objects of display has to be _____ about every three months.
3. The third wonder is _____ in Taipei, called _____. The reason for it to be the wonder is because _____.
4. The fourth wonder is on the _____ coast of Taiwan, called _____. It is sometimes called Taiwan's Grand Canyon due to its deep and narrow canyon. 450 people lost their lives during its _____.
5. The fifth wonder is _____, located in Nantou County. The lake is known for its _____ instead of its _____. It is surrounded by tea _____.
6. The sixth wonder is the little _____-_____ railway that takes passengers to the mountain _____ of Alishan (Mt. Ali). The little red passenger train passes through 64 _____, crosses 96 _____ and climbs from the _____ plain to the alpine _____ in just 72 _____.
7. The last wonder is _____'s white sandy beaches. Why is it so popular?

Closing:

What might be your eighth wonder of Taiwan?