



## Vocabulary

**Directions:** Use your smartphone to translate or define each vocabulary word.

ideal (adj)	
tan (n)	
exotic (adj)	
climate (n)	
border (n)	
proximity (n)	
cuisine (n)	
option (n)	
coastal (adj)	
seafood (n)	

## Multiple Choice

**Directions:** Choose the best answer.

1. Ice cream is a(n) \_\_\_ snack for a hot summer day.

- A. exotic
- B. tan
- C. coastal
- D. ideal

3. Miami is a \_\_\_ city. We often go fishing and swimming.

- A. exotic
- B. proximity
- C. coastal
- D. option

2. We have three \_\_\_ for dinner; we can have pizza, chicken, or hamburgers.

- A. cuisine
- B. options
- C. seafood
- D. border

4. I like meat but I don't like \_\_\_.

- A. seafood
- B. coastal
- C. cuisine
- D. tan

## Reading

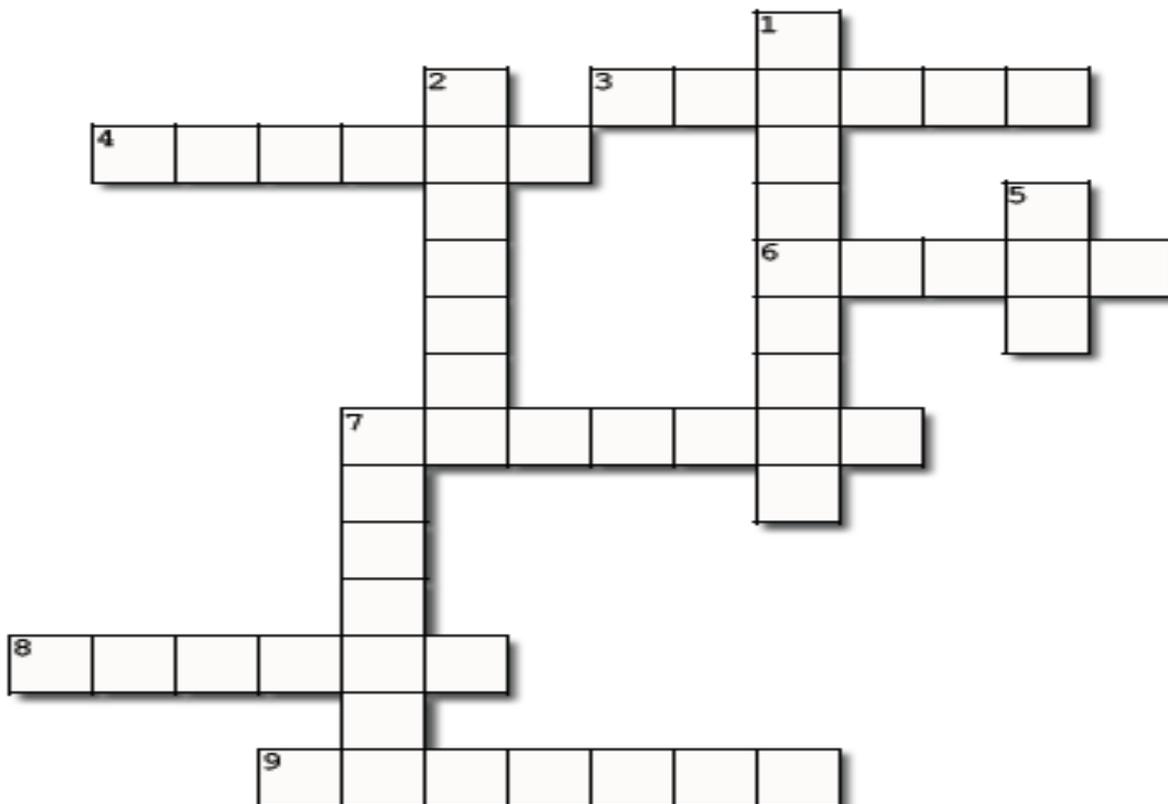
San Diego is located in Southern California. San Diego is known for its year-round beautiful weather. The sun is always shining there which makes every day a perfect "beach day." San Diego is an **ideal** place to work on your **tan** or to go surfing with your friends.

Have you heard of the San Diego Zoo? The San Diego Zoo opened in 1922 and has grown into one of the most well-known zoos on the planet. There you can see more than 3,500 animals and 700,000 **exotic** plants. San Diego's beautiful **climate** creates a comfortable atmosphere for (most of) the animals and all of the human visitors. In 2018, more than four million people visited the San Diego Zoo.

If you look at a map, you'll see that San Diego is very close to the Mexican **border**. Because of its **proximity** to Mexico, Mexican **cuisine** is very popular in San Diego. You can eat burritos, tacos, enchiladas, and other Mexican-inspired dishes. Other food **options** include California-style pizza and, because San Diego is a **coastal** city, fresh **seafood** is also on the menu of the things to eat.

source: [https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/San\\_Diego](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/San_Diego)

## Crossword



### Across

3. a line that separates one country from another
4. something that may be chosen
6. perfect
7. overall weather conditions
8. interesting because it's from a faraway place
9. fish or shellfish from the sea used for food

### Down

1. nearness in place
2. describes the land next to a sea
5. darkened skin from sun exposure
7. a style of cooking