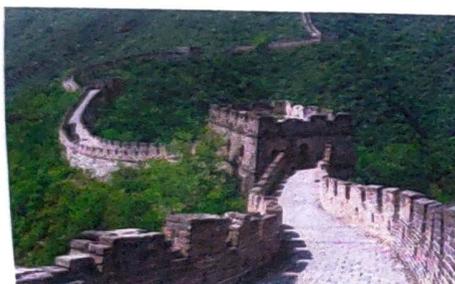


# Decimal Facts

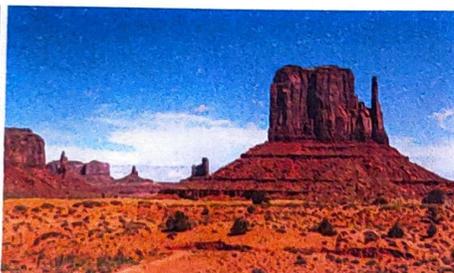


Match the decimals to what they represent.

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|--------------------------------|--|
| 1. 365.25 days (c)             | a. Length of the Great Wall of China   |
| 2. 98.6 degrees Fahrenheit (j) | b. Hottest temperature ever recorded, at Death Valley, California, USA in 1913 |
| 3. 2.5 per cent (d)            | c. Length of a year  |
| 4. 829.8 metres (e)            | d. Percentage of earth's water that is fresh                                   |
| 5. 21,196.18 kilometres (a)    | e. Height of Burj Khalifa, the tallest man-made structure in the world         |
| 6. 97.5 per cent (h)           | f. The distance that is run in a marathon                                      |
| 7. 9.58 seconds (i)            | g. Population of the world   |
| 8. 42.195 kilometres (f)       | h. Percentage of earth's water that is salty                                   |
| 9. 56.7 degrees Celsius (b)    | i. World record time for the 100-metre dash set by Usain Bolt                  |
| 10. 7.4 billion (g)            | j. Normal body temperature   |



a.



b.



e.



i.



## Wise Owl says...

The name of 'Google', the popular search engine, has come from a misspelling of the word 'googol'. The word googol is a very **large** number (the number one followed by one **hundred zeros** to be exact).

# Water



**A** Choose the right water words to match the meanings.

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|---|----------------|
| 1. A part of a town that is next to water                   | a. Waterlogged |
| 2. A place that is so full of water that it becomes flooded | b. Watertight  |
| 3. Something that does not allow water to get in or get out | c. Waterproof  |
| 4. Something that cannot be damaged by water                | d. Waterway    |
| 5. A river or canal along which boats can travel            | e. Waterfront  |



**B** How water-wise are you? Take this quiz to find out.

1. Brine is water with a large amount of **salt/sugar**.
2. When something is slightly wet we say it is **parched/damp**.
3. The process of supplying crops with water is called **irrigation/evaporation**.
4. We should not drink **potable/non-potable** water.
5. Watery mud is called **slime/slush**.
6. Tiny drops of water that form on cool surfaces at night are called **puddles/dew**.
7. When the level of water vapour in the air is high, we say that it is **humid/dry**.
8. A light rain is a **drizzle/downpour**.
9. If you are drenched, you are very **dry/wet**.
10. A geyser is a **hot/cold** spring.



**Wise Owl says...**

- The **longest river** in the world is the Nile River.
- **Steaming** and **boiling** are methods of cooking us
- **Swimming, surfing** and **waterskiing** are water sp