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| Angola Exercises | about-the-world.org/3144 | **Video + Exercises** |

**Match terms**

*Task: Match each term with the appropriate explanation!*

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| (C) | Kissama National Park | (1) | one of Angola’s ethnic groups |
| (E) | Ovimbundu | (2) | popular Angolan music style |
| (E) | Portuguese colonization | (3) | cassava flour porridge |
| (F) | Kuduro | (4) | traditional Angolan music genre |
| (F) | Funge | (5) | park known for elephants, zebras |
| (I) | Semba | (6) | Angola’s capital city |
| (I) | Luanda | (7) | occurred in 15th century |
| (N) | Angolan civil war | (8) | lasted from 1975 to 2002 |
| (T) | Tropical climate | (9) | climate type in Angola |

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| **Keyword:** | \_\_\_ | \_\_\_ | \_\_\_ | \_\_\_ | \_\_\_ | \_\_\_ | \_\_\_ | \_\_\_ | \_\_\_ |
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**Complete sentences**

*Task: Match the beginning of each sentence with the end!*

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| (A) | Kissama National Park is known ... | (1) | ... Africa. |
| (C) | The Ovimbundu are one ... | (2) | ... is Angola’s capital. |
| (H) | Angola gained independence in ... | (3) | ... popular in Angola. |
| (M) | Portuguese and African influences ... | (4) | ... are in Angolan cuisine. |
| (O) | Kuduro and Semba are ... | (5) | ... for elephants and zebras. |
| (S) | Angola is located in southwestern ... | (6) | ... of Angola’s ethnic groups. |
| (T) | Luanda, on the Atlantic coast, ... | (7) | ... 1975 from Portugal. |

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**Questions (multiple choice)**

*Task: Answer the questions!*

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| 1. | What is Angola’s official language? |
| (D) | Portuguese |
| (R) | French |
| (V) | English |
| 2. | Which music style is popular in Angola? |
| (A) | Kuduro |
| (B) | Jazz |
| (S) | Reggae |
| 3. | What is the capital of Angola? |
| (N) | Kinshasa |
| (R) | Windhoek |
| (Z) | Luanda |
| 4. | What is a staple food in Angolan cuisine? |
| (R) | Pasta |
| (V) | Rice |
| (Z) | Funge |
| 5. | What type of climate does Angola have? |
| (A) | Temperate climate |
| (L) | Tropical climate |
| (S) | Desert climate |
| 6. | What is Angola known for economically? |
| (E) | Oil and diamonds |
| (R) | Agriculture |
| (V) | Manufacturing |

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**Right or wrong?**

*Task: State whether the statements are true or false!*

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| right | wrong |  |
| (S) | (V) | 1. Angola is bordered by Namibia, Zambia, and the Congo. |
| (F) | (I) | 2. Angola’s official language is Kimbundu. |
| (R) | (M) | 3. The rainy season in Angola is from May to September. |
| (P) | (R) | 4. Luanda is the political and economic center of Angola. |
| (L) | (T) | 5. Angola has a coastline of over 1,600 kilometers. |
| (A) | (E) | 6. Angola was colonized by Spain in the 15th century. |

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| **Keyword:** | \_\_\_ | \_\_\_ | \_\_\_ | \_\_\_ | \_\_\_ | \_\_\_ |
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**7 Questions about the text**

*Task: Answer the questions in one or two complete sentences!*

What is Luanda?

What is Kissama National Park known for?

What is the main feature of Angola’s climate?

What happened in Angola in 1975?

What are the main exports of Angola?

What is Funge in Angolan cuisine?

Who are the Ovimbundu?

**Solution sheet 1**

**Angola**

**Match terms**

Ovimbundu = one of Angola’s ethnic groups

Kuduro = popular Angolan music style

Funge = cassava flour porridge

Semba = traditional Angolan music genre

Kissama National Park = park known for elephants, zebras

Luanda = Angola’s capital city

Portuguese colonization = occurred in 15th century

Angolan civil war = lasted from 1975 to 2002

Tropical climate = climate type in Angola

Keyword: EFFICIENT

**Complete sentences**

Angola is located in southwestern | Africa.

Luanda, on the Atlantic coast, | is Angola’s capital.

Kuduro and Semba are | popular in Angola.

Portuguese and African influences | are in Angolan cuisine.

Kissama National Park is known | for elephants and zebras.

The Ovimbundu are one | of Angola’s ethnic groups.

Angola gained independence in | 1975 from Portugal.

Keyword: STOMACH

**Questions**

What is Angola’s official language?

Portuguese

Which music style is popular in Angola?

Kuduro

What is the capital of Angola?

Luanda

What is a staple food in Angolan cuisine?

Funge

What type of climate does Angola have?

Tropical climate

What is Angola known for economically?

Oil and diamonds

Keyword: DAZZLE

**Right or wrong?**

right

1. Angola is bordered by Namibia, Zambia, and the Congo.

4. Luanda is the political and economic center of Angola.

5. Angola has a coastline of over 1,600 kilometers.

wrong

6. Angola was colonized by Spain in the 15th century.

2. Angola’s official language is Kimbundu.

3. The rainy season in Angola is from May to September.

Keyword: SIMPLE

**Solution sheet 2**

**Angola**

**Questions and answers**

What is Luanda?

Luanda is the capital and largest city of Angola.

What is Kissama National Park known for?

Kissama National Park is known for its wildlife, including elephants and zebras.

What is the main feature of Angola’s climate?

Angola’s climate is tropical with a humid north and drier south.

What happened in Angola in 1975?

Angola gained independence from Portugal in 1975.

What are the main exports of Angola?

Angola’s main exports are oil and diamonds.

What is Funge in Angolan cuisine?

Funge is a porridge made from cassava flour, a staple in Angolan cuisine.

Who are the Ovimbundu?

The Ovimbundu are one of the major ethnic groups in Angola.