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1. The town of Chrudim lies at the foot of the _____ in the East of Bohemian region.
2. The population of the town is about _____.
3. The oldest archaeological findings date first signs of _____ back to 5th century BC.
4. The history of this area was influenced by _____ who lived in Hradiste near Nasavrky.
5. Chrudim is mentioned for the first time in historical documents from the _____ century when the Czech king _____ died at Chrudim castle, that used to stand near the present _____ but it does not exist any more.
6. The situation and position of Chrudim changed under the rule of the Bohemian king _____ (in 13th century) who gave Chrudim the status of a royal city.
7. In the first half of 17th century Chrudim suffered great damages caused by the 30 years war, great fires and plundering by _____.
8. The town developed and in the past it was one of the most prosperous towns in the country. It was even called the _____ because of many schools and the rich cultural life.
9. The eventful history of Chrudim is reflected in its many buildings and cultural monuments. A dominant feature of the town is the _____ of the Assumption of the Virgin Mary with two typical spires, which can be seen very far. It was built in the main _____ named after _____, an inventor of the ship propeller who was born here.
10. One of the most important monuments in the square is the _____ of Christ's Transfiguration standing in the middle of the square. In this square you can also find a beautiful building of the _____ and a lot of historical houses in different styles.
11. We mustn't forget to mention another remarkable building of the _____ that stands in Betislavova Street. The house is named after a soap and candle maker Matej _____. Nowadays there is the _____ of _____ that is one of the few museums of its kind in the world and is a real pride of the town. Visitors to this place can see _____ and marionettes from about 40 countries of the world. The museum's _____ change from time to time.
12. The school education has been developed since the 14th _____. In 1460 _____ was born in Chrudim. He was a famous humanist, lawyer and _____.
13. Chrudim has a great number of schools. There are _____ basic schools and _____ secondary schools (_____, _____ í)
14. Good conditions exist in the town also for culture. The traditional concerts of _____ are held in a beautiful hall of the Museum and the annual meetings of amateur _____ take place at the beginning of July.
15. There are many possibilities for _____ there. You can choose among _____ (winter with ice-rink, athlete and two football ones), tennis_____, sports grounds, indoor and outdoor_____, a multipurpose sports hall and some gyms or fitness centres.
16. Chrudim is also an industrial and business centre of this region. The structure of industry, services and trade has changed since 1989. The _____ factory Evona produces mainly _____, _____ and _____.
17. _____ Bára in the shape of an original triangular pyramid is made of wood and is the second tower built on this site (the first one was devastated by a strong gale).
18. The countryside around Chrudim offers various forms of tourism. On a relatively small area there are many historic sights and places of natural beauty. Not far from Chrudim in the village _____ there is a church with a covered wooden bridge and a roof reaching down to the ground.



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20. The Renaissance Chateau in _____ is another specific place especially with its unique _____ museum and a large _____ Park. _____ is a castle miniature in the woods not far from the chateau and is a perfect place for children to play in.
 21. _____ architecture and crafts are displayed in the Vysocina open ó air museum in Vesely kopec.
 22. The Sec _____ and its romantic island form a popular recreation resort visited by lovers of _____ sports as well as people who like hiking.



Complete the sentences about Chrudim

1. The town of Chrudim lies at the foot of the **Iron Mountains** in the East of Bohemian region.
2. The population of the town is about **25 thousand**.
3. The oldest archaeological findings date first signs of **settlement** back to 5th century BC.
4. The history of this area was influenced by **Celts** who lived in Hradiste near Nasavrky.
5. Chrudim is mentioned for the first time in historical documents from the **11th** century when the Czech prince **B etislav I** died at Chrudim castle, that used to stand near the present **historic centre** but it does not exist any more.
6. The situation and position of Chrudim changed under the rule of the Bohemian king **P emysl Otakar II** (in 13th century) who gave Chrudim the status of a royal city.
7. In the first half of 17th century Chrudim suffered great damages caused by the 30 years war, great fires and plundering by **Swedes**.
8. The town developed and in the past it was one of the most prosperous towns in the country. It was even called the **Athens of Eastern Bohemia** because of many schools and the rich cultural life.
9. The eventful history of Chrudim is reflected in its many buildings and cultural monuments. A dominant feature of the town is the **Church** of the Assumption of the Virgin Mary with two typical spires, which can be seen very far. It was built in the main **square** named after **Josef Ressel**, an inventor of the ship propeller who was born here.
10. One of the most important monuments in the square is the **Plague Column** of Christ's Transfiguration standing in the middle of the square. In this square you can also find a beautiful building of the **Old Town Hall** and a lot of historical houses in different styles.
11. We mustn't forget to mention another remarkable building of the **Mydla /Soapmaker's House** that stands in B etislavova Street. The house is named after a soap and candle maker Matej **Mydlá** . Nowadays there is the **Museum of Puppets** that is one of the few museums of its kind in the world and is a real pride of the town. Visitors to this place can see **puppets** and marionettes from about 40 countries of the world. The museum's **exposition/exhibition** changes from time to time.
12. The school education has been developed since the 14th **century**. In 1460 **Viktorin Kornel of V-ehrdy** was born in Chrudim. He was a famous humanist, lawyer and **writer**.
13. Chrudim has a great number of schools. There are **four** basic schools and **seven** secondary schools (**business academy, nursing and social studies, agricultural, industrial**)
14. Good conditions exist in the town also for culture. The traditional concerts of **Musical Fridays** are held in a beautiful hall of the Museum and the annual meetings of amateur **Puppet Theatre** take place at the beginning of July.
15. There are many possibilities for **sports** there. You can choose among **stadiums** (winter with ice-rink, athlete and two football ones), tennis **courts**, sports grounds, indoor and outdoor **swimming pools**, a multipurpose sports hall and some gyms or fitness centres.
16. Chrudim is also an industrial and business centre of this region. The structure of industry, services and trade has changed since 1989. The **textile** factory Evona produces mainly **tights, underwear** and **T-shirts**.
17. Lookout tower Bára in the shape of an original triangular pyramid is made of wood and is the second tower built on this site (the first one was devastated by a strong gale).
18. The countryside around Chrudim offers various forms of tourism. On a relatively small area there are many historic sights and places of natural beauty. Not far from Chrudim in



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19. The **ruins** of the Lichmice Castle from 13th century is one of the dominants of the Iron Mountains.
20. The Renaissance Chateau in **Slati any** is another specific place especially with its unique **Hippologic** museum and a large **English** Park. **Cat Castle** is a castle miniature in the woods not far from the chateau and is a perfect place for children to play in.
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22. The Sec **dam** and its romantic island form a popular recreation resort visited by lovers of **water** sports as well as people who like hiking.