

San Francisco or Las Vegas?

Name _____

Part 1: Housing Prices

Type of Housing	San Francisco	Las Vegas	_____

Where did you find this data: _____

Use this information to create a series of bar graphs.

Part 2: Raw Wages Information

Jot down annual or hourly wages for two jobs plus the minimum wage.

Job	San Francisco	Las Vegas	_____
	\$ hr / yr	\$ hr / yr	\$ hr / yr
	\$ hr / yr	\$ hr / yr	\$ hr / yr
Minimum Wage	\$ hr / yr	\$ hr / yr	\$ hr / yr

Where did you find this data: _____

Part 3: Monthly Wages

Use the raw wages to find the monthly wages.

Job	San Francisco (Monthly wage)	Las Vegas (Monthly wage)	_____
Minimum Wage			

Use this information to create a series of bar graphs.

Part 3: How To Convert To Monthly Wages

Name _____

Annual to Monthly 1

City	Annual Salary	Months Per Year	Monthly Wage
San Francisco	\$ _____	12 =	\$ _____
Las Vegas	\$ _____	12 =	\$ _____
_____	\$ _____	12 =	\$ _____

Annual to Monthly 2

City	Annual Salary	Months Per Year	Monthly Wage
San Francisco	\$ _____	12 =	\$ _____
Las Vegas	\$ _____	12 =	\$ _____
_____	\$ _____	12 =	\$ _____

Hourly to Monthly 1

City	Hourly Wage	Hours Per Week	Weekly Wage	Weeks Worked Per Year	Annual Wage	Months Per Year	Monthly Wage
San Francisco	\$ _____	40 =	\$ _____	x _____ =	\$ _____	12 =	\$ _____
Las Vegas	\$ _____	40 =	\$ _____	x _____ =	\$ _____	12 =	\$ _____
_____	\$ _____	40 =	\$ _____	x _____ =	\$ _____	12 =	\$ _____

Hourly to Monthly 2

City	Hourly Wage	Hours Per Week	Weekly Wage	Weeks Worked Per Year	Annual Wage	Months Per Year	Monthly Wage
San Francisco	\$ _____	40 =	\$ _____	x _____ =	\$ _____	12 =	\$ _____
Las Vegas	\$ _____	40 =	\$ _____	x _____ =	\$ _____	12 =	\$ _____
_____	\$ _____	40 =	\$ _____	x _____ =	\$ _____	12 =	\$ _____

Part 4: Quality Of Life

Name: _____

San Francisco

Fun Rating (1-10): _____

What's the weather like?

What is there to do?

Las Vegas

Fun Rating (1-10): _____

What's the weather like?

What is there to do?

City #3: _____

Fun Rating (1-10): _____

What's the weather like?

What is there to do?

Part 5: The Graph - Ordered Pairs

Name: _____

Rank the cost of each city from 1-10, then use your 1-10 "fun" ranking from the previous worksheet to create ordered pairs.

	Cost (1-10)	Fun (1-10)
San Francisco		
Las Vegas		

Use these ordered pairs to graph each city onto a scatter plot, with "cost" on the Y-axis and "fun" on the X-axis.

Part 6: The Recommendation

Name: _____

Finally, you'll propose which city is best to live in based on all the evidence you collected. Begin with this outline, then write up an official document.

The Outline

Recommended city: _____

Sum this city up with a one sentence catch-phrase:

Evidence #1: _____

Why this is important: _____

Evidence #2: _____

Why this is important: _____

Evidence #3: _____

Why this is important: _____

In your final product, you must include the following:

- Housing information, with beautiful bar graph.
- Wage information, with beautiful bar graph.
- Examples of weather information and things-to-do.
- Beautiful scatter plot graph comparing costs vs fun.
- Your final recommendation summary, written out.

Bonus points for being clever, using creative visuals, and entertaining your audience.