

1.	POLICE TYPICALLY ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR MAINTAINING PUBLIC ORDER AND SAFETY, ENFORCING THE LAW, AND PREVENTING, DETECTING, AND INVESTIGATING CRIMINAL ACTIVITIES. THESE FUNCTIONS ARE KNOWN AS POLICING. POLICE ARE OFTEN ALSO ENTRUSTED WITH VARIOUS LICENSING AND REGULATORY ACTIVITIES.
2.	THERE IS A REMARKABLE HISTORICAL, GEOGRAPHIC, AND ORGANIZATIONAL DIVERSITY IN THE ACTIVITIES OF PEOPLE WHO ARE DEFINED AS POLICE. AS POPULATIONS GREW AND INFORMAL INSTITUTIONS OF SOCIALIZATION AND SOCIAL CONTROL—SUCH AS THE FAMILY, SCHOOLS, AND THE CHURCH—DECREASED IN EFFECTIVENESS, POLICE BECAME INCREASINGLY NECESSARY.
3.	LIFE WITHOUT INTERNET IS HARD TO FATHOM. SOME STUDIES SHOW US THAT AN EXCESSIVE USE OF SOCIAL MEDIA CAN NEGATIVELY IMPACT OUR LIVES: FOR THIS REASON, IT'S ALSO TRUE THAT LIMITING THEIR USE COULD HAVE POSITIVE EFFECTS ON OUR LIVES AND ON OUR WAY OR RELATING TO OTHERS.
4.	SOME COUNTRIES ARE, ECONOMICALLY, MUCH MORE UNEQUAL THAN OTHERS. AND THAT'S BECAUSE A SIGNIFICANT PORTION OF ECONOMIC INEQUALITY IS THE RESULT OF CHOICES THAT GOVERNMENTS MAKE. THAT'S WHY A LOT OF PEOPLE ARE TRAPPED IN POVERTY WITH LITTLE CHANCE TO CLIMB UP THE SOCIAL LADDER.
5.	MILLE MIGLIA IS A RACE RESERVED TO CARS BUILT BETWEEN 1927 AND 1957. EVERY YEAR, IT ATTRACTS THOUSANDS OF CAR LOVERS FROM ALL OVER THE WORLD, ESPECIALLY DURING THE CAR CONTROL PROCEDURES WHICH ARE PERFORMED IN THE HISTORIC STREETS AND SQUARES OF BRESCIA.

6.	WHEN EXPLORING NEW YORK CITY, THERE ARE SEVERAL DIFFERENT OPTIONS FOR ACTIVITIES DURING A DAY TRIP. SOME VISITORS COME TO SEE A SHOW, VISIT ART MUSEUMS, OR SIMPLY TO SHOP IN MANY OF THE CITY'S HIGH-END RETAILERS. HOWEVER, MANY TOURISTS SIMPLY COME TO NEW YORK CITY FOR THE SIGHTSEEING. ONE OF THE MOST VISITED LANDMARKS IN NEW YORK CITY IS THE EMPIRE STATE BUILDING.
7.	AROUND THE WORLD, ONE IN FOUR PEOPLE WILL HAVE SOME KIND OF MENTAL ILLNESS DURING THEIR LIFETIME. AROUND 450 MILLION PEOPLE ARE LIVING WITH A MENTAL HEALTH PROBLEM RIGHT NOW, MAKING IT ONE OF THE BIGGEST HEALTH ISSUES IN THE WORLD. YET PEOPLE RARELY TALK ABOUT ANY MENTAL HEALTH PROBLEMS THEY HAVE BECAUSE THERE IS STILL A LOT OF STIGMA.
8.	WE ARE NOW FACING THE WORST REFUGEE CRISIS IN HISTORY. THE NUMBER OF REFUGEES HAS DOUBLED IN THE LAST TWENTY YEARS. THE SITUATION IS CLEARLY WORSE IN SOME COUNTRIES THAN IN OTHERS. FIFTY-FIVE PER CENT OF REFUGEES WORLDWIDE COME FROM SYRIA, AFGHANISTAN AND SOUTH SUDAN.
9.	WHAT COULD BE THE NEGATIVE ASPECTS OF LIVING WITHOUT A SMARTPHONE? LET'S THINK ABOUT A TOOL LIKE GPS, FOR EXAMPLE: ALL SMARTPHONES CONTAIN GPS AND WE WOULD BE LITERALLY LOST WITHOUT IT. IT IS AN IMPORTANT TOOL FOR PEOPLE WHO LOVE TRAVELING OR ARE FREQUENTLY REQUIRES TO TRAVEL FOR WORK.
10.	THE ITALIAN IDENTITY CARD IS AN IDENTITY DOCUMENT THAT IS ACCEPTED AS A PASSPORT TO EXERCISE THE RIGHT OF FREE MOVEMENT IN THE EUROPEAN ECONOMIC AREA AND SWITZERLAND OR TO TRAVEL TO THOSE COUNTRIES WITH WHICH ITALY HAS SIGNED SPECIFIC AGREEMENTS.
11.	THE MAIN PREROGATIVE OF PARLIAMENT IS THE EXERCISE OF THE LEGISLATIVE POWER, THAT IS THE POWER TO ENACT LAWS. FOR A BILL TO BECOME LAW, IT MUST RECEIVE THE SUPPORT OF BOTH HOUSES IN THE SAME TEXT.
12.	ROAD TRAFFIC SAFETY REFERS TO THE METHODS AND MEASURES USED TO PREVENT ROAD USERS FROM BEING KILLED OR SERIOUSLY INJURED. TYPICAL ROAD USERS INCLUDE PEDESTRIANS, CYCLISTS, MOTORISTS, VEHICLE PASSENGERS AND PASSENGERS OF ON-ROAD PUBLIC TRANSPORT (MAINLY BUSES AND TRAMS).
13.	SPEED LIMITS ON ROAD TRAFFIC, AS USED IN MOST COUNTRIES, SET THE LEGAL MAXIMUM SPEED AT WHICH VEHICLES MAY TRAVEL ON A GIVEN STRETCH OF ROAD. SPEED LIMITS ARE GENERALLY INDICATED ON A TRAFFIC SIGN REFLECTING THE MAXIMUM PERMITTED SPEED - EXPRESSED AS KILOMETRES PER HOUR (KM/H).
14.	A SEAT BELT IS A VEHICLE SAFETY DEVICE DESIGNED TO SECURE THE DRIVER OR A PASSENGER OF A VEHICLE AGAINST HARMFUL MOVEMENT THAT MAY RESULT DURING A COLLISION OR A SUDDEN STOP. WEARING SEAT BELTS GREATLY REDUCES THE RISK OF DEATH AND INJURY IN THE MAJORITY OF CAR CRASHES.
15.	EVERY TIME YOU GO ONLINE YOU LEAVE A TRAIL. THIS IS JUST LIKE A REAL FOOTPRINT. IT REVEALS WHERE YOU'VE BEEN, HOW LONG YOU STAYED AND WHAT YOU'VE BEEN DOING THERE. EVERY TIME YOU REGISTER FOR AN ONLINE SERVICE, SEND AN EMAIL, DOWNLOAD A VIDEO OR UPLOAD A PHOTO, THE INFORMATION CAN BE ACCESSED AND YOUR DIGITAL FOOTPRINT CAN BE REVEALED.
16.	IN GARDONE RIVIERA ON LAKE GARDA, BEFORE ENJOYING AN APERITIF ALONG THE LAKE YOU HAVE TO VISIT VITTORIALE DEGLI ITALIANI, THE HOUSE-MUSEUM CREATED BY POET GABRIELE D'ANNUNZIO. ON LAKE IDRO, YOU WILL BE CHARMED BY THE MAJESTIC ROCCA D'ANFO A NAPOLEONIC FORTIFICATION DOMINATING THE WATERS.

17.	THE MOST PRESTIGIOUS BRESCIAN LIBRARY OWES ITS NAME TO CARDINAL QUERINI, WHO FOUNDED IT IN 1747 IN THE BISHOP'S PALACE IN VIA MAZZINI – WHICH IS STILL ITS CURRENT LOCATION. SINCE THEN, QUERINIANA LIBRARY HAS CONTINUED TO ENRICH ITS COLLECTION WHICH TODAY BOASTS AS MANY AS 500,000 VOLUMES.
18.	LOCATED JUST STEPS FROM BRESCIA AND LAKE ISEO, THE AREA CALLED FRANCIACORTA IS FAMOUS FOR ITS WINE PRODUCTION. THERE IS MORE: ITS BEAUTIFUL HILLS, CULTURAL AND HISTORICAL SITES, RELAXING NATURAL ENVIRONMENT, SPORTS AND ENTERTAINMENT REPRESENT A TRUE DISCOVERY FOR MANY TOURISTS WHO VISIT THE REGION FOR THE FIRST TIME.
19.	SPRING IS THE IDEAL TIME TO VISIT BRESCIA'S CASTLE, THE SYMBOL OF THE CITY. THE FORTIFICATION CAN BE EASILY REACHED ON FOOT FROM THE OLD CITY CENTRE. ONCE YOU ARE ON TOP OF THE HILL, YOU WILL BE ABLE TO ADMIRE THE ENCHANTING VIEW BELOW, WALK ON THE DRAWBRIDGE AND IN HIDDEN TUNNELS, AND ENJOY A DRINK AT ONE OF THE BARS OUTSIDE THE WALLS.
20.	BASIC HEALTH INSURANCE BY LAW AS PART OF THE SOCIAL INSURANCE IS A LEGAL OBLIGATION IN ITALY. IN OTHER WORDS, IN CASE OF SICKNESS, ACCIDENT AT WORK OR UNEMPLOYMENT THE SOCIAL INSURANCE SYSTEM IS TAKING OVER THE COSTS OF TREATMENT, REHABILITATION AND FOR MEDICINE.
21.	IF YOU ARE STAYING IN ITALY WITHOUT AUTHORIZATION, YOU DON'T HAVE ACCESS TO HEALTHCARE, BUT YOU ARE GUARANTEED URGENT AND PRIMARY HEALTHCARE. ONE OF THE NON-GOVERNMENTAL ORGANISATIONS THAT PROVIDES BASIC AND SPECIALIST HEALTHCARE FOR MIGRANTS – WITH OR WITHOUT RESIDENCE PERMITS IS EMERGENCY THAT HAS A CLINIC IN PALERMO TOO.
22.	MY JOB IS A LONG DISTANCE FROM MY HOME, ALMOST 50 MILES AWAY. I HAVE TO WAKE UP EARLY EVERY MORNING. THERE'S NEVER ENOUGH TIME FOR A RELAXED BREAKFAST. AT EXACTLY 6:00 AM, I GET INTO MY CAR AND START THE LONG DRIVE. DURING THE MORNING RUSH HOUR, THOUGH, IT'S NOT VERY ENJOYABLE DRIVING ON THE HIGHWAY.
23.	JOBS, OR FORMS OF EMPLOYMENT WHEREIN EMPLOYEES PERFORM A SERVICE OR DUTY IN EXCHANGE FOR FINANCIAL COMPENSATION, PLAY A PROMINENT ROLE IN SOCIETY. FURTHERMORE, ALL JOBS—EVEN THOSE OF SEEMINGLY LITTLE SIGNIFICANCE—ARE IMPORTANT, AS THEY SIMPLY WOULDN'T EXIST IF THEIR SPECIFIC RESPONSIBILITIES WEREN'T OF VALUE TO EMPLOYERS.
24.	THANKSGIVING IS A HOLIDAY CELEBRATED IN NORTH AMERICA. IN THE UNITED STATES, THANKSGIVING IS A FEDERAL HOLIDAY (MEANING ALL GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES AND MOST PRIVATE EMPLOYEES ARE GIVEN A DAY OFF OF WORK), AND ALWAYS TAKES PLACES ON THE FOURTH THURSDAY IN NOVEMBER, REGARDLESS OF THE DATE.
25.	LOCATED AT THE FOOTHILLS OF THE ALPS, IN A PRIVILEGED POSITION IN SOUTHERN EUROPE, LAKE GARDA IS THE IDEAL BASE FOR VISITS TO VERONA (30 KM), MILAN (100), VENICE (130) AND OTHER ART CAPITALS, ALLOWING YOU TO RETURN EVERY NIGHT TO YOUR HOTEL. WELL CONNECTED TO THE MAJOR COMMUNICATION ROUTES OF NORTHERN ITALY, IT IS SERVED BY NUMEROUS AIR AND RAIL CONNECTIONS.
26.	DOCTORS, OR MEDICAL PROFESSIONALS WHO SPECIALIZE IN PROVIDING HEALTH-RELATED ASSISTANCE TO PATIENTS, ARE SOME OF THE MOST RESPECTED INDIVIDUALS IN AMERICA AND THE WORLD. IT'S THE RESPONSIBILITY OF DOCTORS TO HELP THOSE WHO FEEL LESS-THAN-STELLAR TO DETERMINE THE UNDERLYING HEALTH ISSUE(S) AND RECOMMEND AN EFFECTIVE TREATMENT.
27.	WHILE EATING AT A RESTAURANT IS AN ENJOYABLE AND CONVENIENT OCCASIONAL TREAT, MOST INDIVIDUALS AND FAMILIES PREPARE THEIR MEALS AT HOME. TO MAKE BREAKFAST, LUNCH, AND DINNER DAILY, THESE PERSONS MUST HAVE THE REQUIRED FOODS AND INGREDIENTS ON HAND AND READY TO GO

