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San Antonio is a major city in south-central Texas. It was founded as a Spanish mission and colonial outpost in 1718. The city contains five 18th-century Spanish frontier missions, including The Alamo. Other notable attractions include the River Walk, the Tower of the Americas, the Alamo Bowl, and Marriage Island.

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