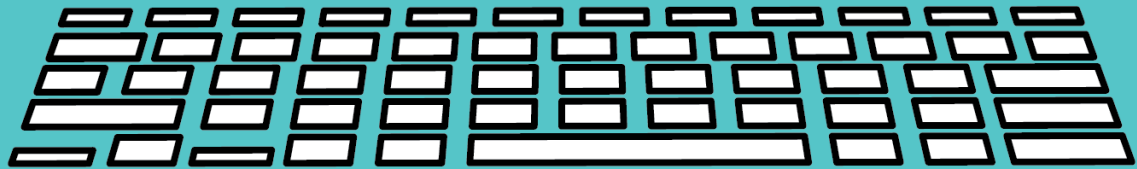
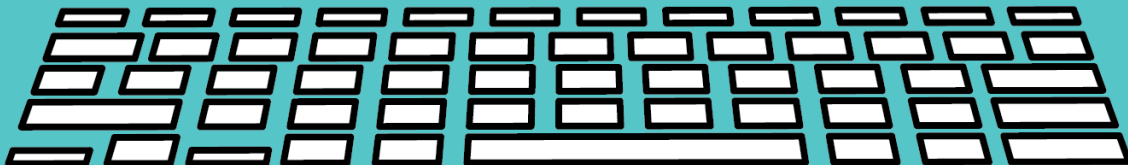


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# EUROPE

**Size:** Europe is the second smallest continent in the world with 3,930,000 square miles.

**Population:** Over 740 million people live in Europe.

**Number of Countries:** The continent is composed of 50 countries. Population is highest in France, Spain, Germany, and Ireland.

**Largest Country:** The largest country in Russia takes up forty percent of Europe. The smallest country in the world is Vatican City. The Vatican is located within Rome and is the home of Catholicism.

**Location:** The borders of Europe are not clear. Some people combine the continents of Europe and Asia and call it Eurasia. Five countries share a border in Europe and Asia: Azerbaijan, Georgia, Kazakhstan, Russia, and Turkey. Europe is bordered by the Mediterranean Sea to the south, Asia to the east, and the Atlantic Ocean to the West.

**Landforms:** There is no desert in Europe. The largest ice system in the world is in the Salzburg Tennen Mountains. It is the Werfen Ice Caves. Dune du Pilat is the largest sand dune on the coast of France. The Great Hungarian Plain is located in southeastern Europe and features several small forests and large patches of grassland.

**Mountains:** Mountain ranges include the Alps, Ural Mountains, Pyrenees, Carpathian Mountains, Apennines, Massif Central plateau, North European Plain. The highest point is Mount Elbrus in Russia.

**Water:** Danube River, Elbe River, Loire River, Po River, Rhine River, Volga River, Ladoga Lake, Onega Lake, Lake Geneva, Lake Como. The Danube River is longest non-Russian river in Europe. It flows from Germany to the Black Sea.

**Natural Resources:** Europe is rich in coal, mercury, zinc, timber, peat, potash, copper, gold and lead. Russia and Ukraine are the main

suppliers of oil. The United Kingdom is the largest supplier of gypsum and chalk.

**Landmarks:** Big Ben in England, Eiffel Tower in France, Parthenon in Greece, Leaning Tower of Pisa and the Colosseum in Italy, the Little Mermaid sculpture in Denmark, Krakow Castle in Poland, Bran Castle in Romania (Dracula), Acropolis in Greece, Alhambra in Spain and the Sistine Chapel in Italy.

**Animals:** The Arctic Fox, Reindeer, Pine Marten and Norwegian Lemmings live in the colder, northern part of Europe. Wild Boar and Raccoon Dogs can be found in Central Europe. Saiga Antelope and Karakurt spiders are in the South. Other unique animals include wolverines, polecats, lynx, puffin and mink.

**Climate:** The climate in Europe varies from high humidity in the west to a cooler feel in the east. The mountains of Europe have tundra and are covered with year-round snow and glaciers.

**History:** Europe was the central point of World War I and World War II. Many great artists and philosophers such as Socrates, Aristotle, Plato, Raphael, Leonardo da Vinci, Michelangelo, Bach, Mozart and Beethoven were born in Europe.

**Celebrations:** The Tenor Festival, Running of the Bulls in Spain, Oktoberfest in Germany, Carnival, Street Parade in Switzerland, Henley Royal Regatta in England, Carnival of Venice in Italy, St. Patrick's Day in Ireland.

**Food:** Popular foods include Palacinka, Pancakes in Czech Republic, Currywurst in Germany, Herring in the Netherlands, Goulash in Hungary. In Slovenia, people like a crepe-like dish called Štruklji. Haggis in Scotland is a Sheep's stomach stuffed with oat and spices.

**Language:** There are over 250 different languages spoken throughout this continent. Russian is the most commonly spoken language in Europe followed by German. Italian is the fourth most commonly spoken language.

**Religion:** Christianity is the most popular religion in Europe followed next by Islam.

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