### Europe

#### Map of Europe



**Europe** is a continent, the western part of Eurasia. It is not part of Asia, because of a traditional eastern boundary that includes the Ural Mountains in Russia and the Bosporus in Turkey, and from Africa by the Mediterranean Sea to Balkans. The Atlantic Ocean is to the west of Europe. There are over 50 countries in Europe. The European Union is made up of most of the countries in Europe. The city with the most people in Europe is Istanbul.

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#### **Origin of Name**

Europe is named after a person in Greek mythology called Europa. She was said to have been abducted to Crete by Zeus. The name was later used for Greece. Then as the rest of the area we call Europe started to have cities and empires, the whole area West of the Ural Mountains became known by the same name.

Europe includes interesting countries.

#### Germany

Germany is one the largest countries in Europe, and has one of the biggest economies not only in Europe but also the world.

Its most famous cities include Berlin and Munich, but did you know that Germany is also full of rivers and forests!

The capital city is Berlin.

#### Italy

Italy is probably one of the most famous and most popular countries on Earth! Pasta, pizza, Pisa!

From its amazing food to its beautiful scenery and friendly people, Italy sure is a beautiful country.

The capital city is Rome.

#### France

The name France comes from the Latin word Francia, which means 'country of the Franks'. The official language is French.

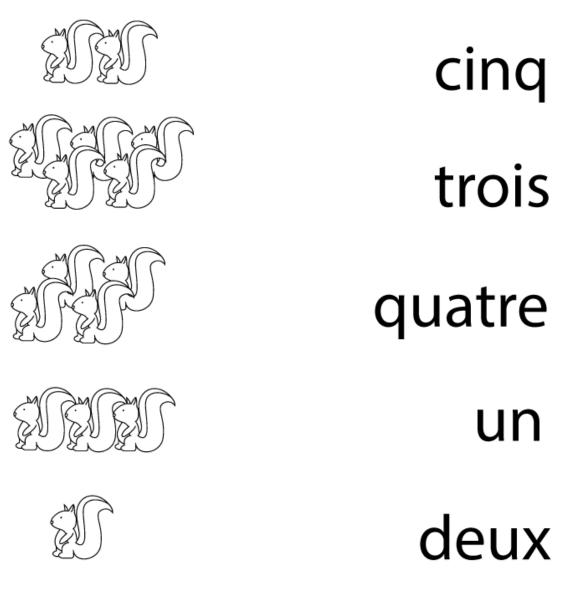
French is the second most studied language in the world after English.

The capital city is Paris.

The famous Eiffel Tower in Paris was built as the entrance point for the 1889 World Fair. It is one of the most visited monuments in the world.

European Countries		
Albania	Liechtenstein	
Andorra	Luxembourg	
Austria	Macedonia	
Belarus	Malta	
Belgium	Moldova	
Bosnia and Herzegovina	Monaco	
Bulgaria	Netherlands	
Croatia	Norway	
Czech Republic	Poland	
Denmark	Portugal	
Estonia	Romania	
France	Russia	
Hungary	San Marino	
Iceland	Serbia	
Ireland	Slovakia	
Latvia	Spain	
Lithuania		

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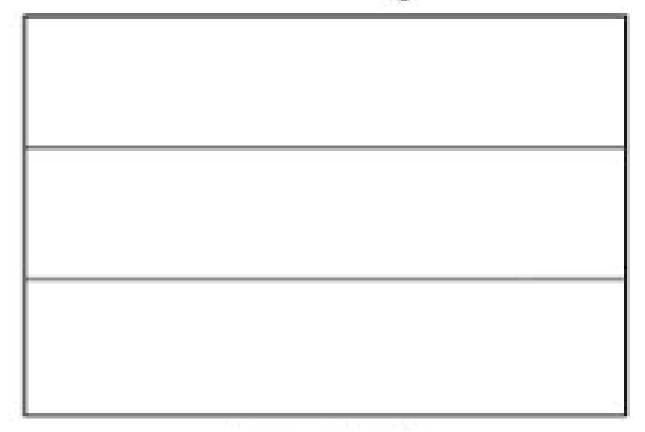


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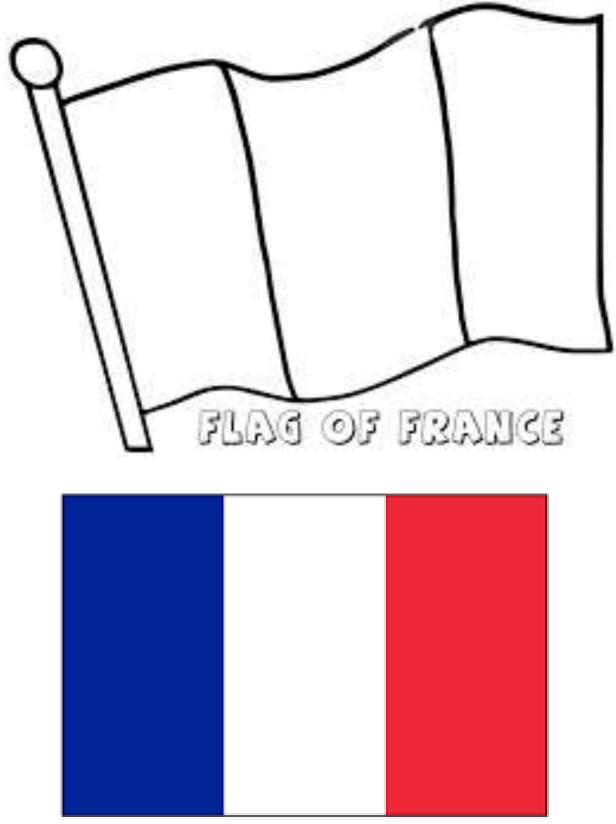


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# Germany

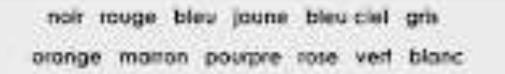


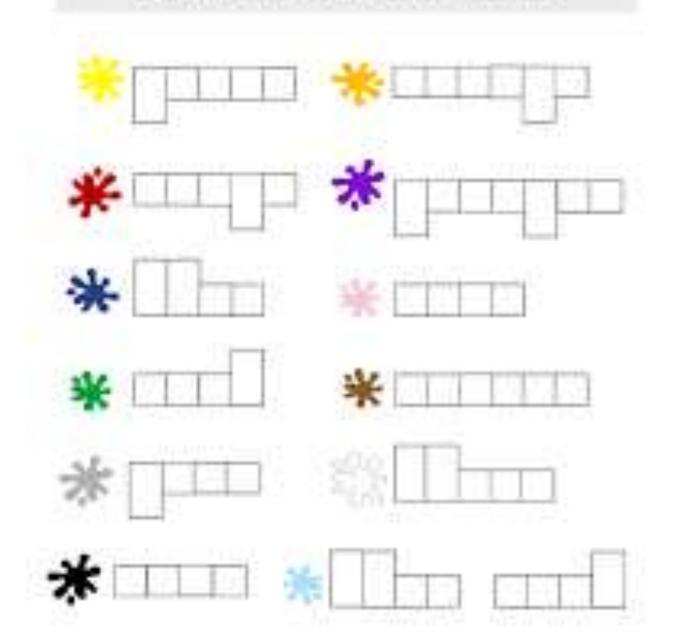


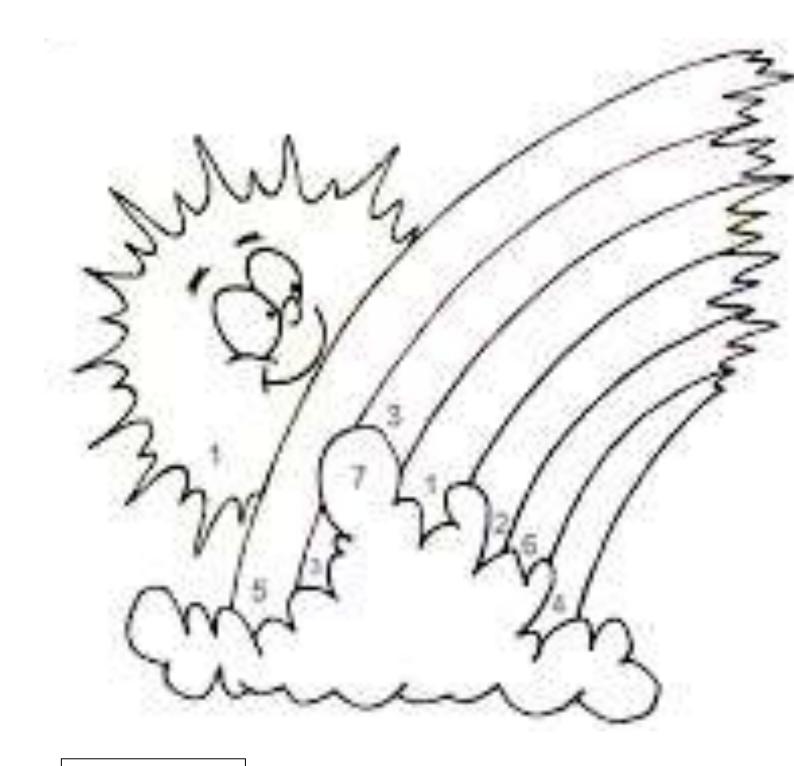


France









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- 4- violet
- 5 rouge
- 6 bleu
- 7 blanc