

**EXPLORING EUROPE**

1. Where does Europe take its name from? Do you know the [legend](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OpyEDRosMFo)?
2. Let’s look at the European Union (EU) symbols at <https://europa.eu/european-union/about-eu/symbols_en>
3. **You are so lucky**! You got a job at the *European Travel Agency*. You give information to people who would like to travel to various European countries.

Work in **teams**. Choose a European country and find information about:

* its location (where it is)
* population – language spoken – capital city
* terrain (mountains-rivers-lakes) – weather
* famous landmarks – places to see
* famous people
* interesting facts (food – customs – traditions etc)

You can find useful information at [https://europa.eu/learning-corner/the-eu-whats-it-all-about\_en](https://europa.eu/learning-corner/the-eu-whats-it-all-about_en%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20)  (click on the country to find more!). Or you can use your atlas, geography book, encyclopedia or Wikipedia.

If you like geography games, go to

<http://www.sheppardsoftware.com/European_Geography.htm>

or go to <http://europa.eu/kids-corner/index_en.htm>

for more games about Europe!

1. Congratulations! Your boss at the travel agency is so happy with your work that he has made you responsible for making a *travel guide book* of Europe using the information you have found. Let’s do it!

Don’t forget to bring photos, drawings or souvenirs of your country.