European Languages Adventure

European Day of Languages – Student Worksheet

Name: _____ **Group:** _____

Task 1 – Quick Challenge: European Languages (1 minute)

Work in your group.
Write down as many **European languages** as you can in **one minute**.

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____
6. _____
7. _____
8. _____
9. _____
10. _____

‼ Be ready to share your list with the class.

Task 2 – Fact Race: True or False?

Work in your group.
Read or listen to the statements and decide if they are **True (T)** or **False (F)**.
Circle the correct answer.

1. Europe is the smallest continent. **T / F**
2. There are more than 200 languages spoken in Europe. **T / F**
3. Germany has the largest population in Europe. **T / F**
4. Germany has more than 25,000 castles. **T / F**
5. The Louvre is the most visited museum in Europe. **T / F**

‼ Discuss your answers and be ready to explain **why**.

Task 3 – Language Treasures: Untranslatable Words

Match the European words with their meanings.
Write the correct letter next to each word.

Words:

1. **Hygge** (Danish)
2. **Mangata** (Swedish)
3. **Tartle** (Scottish)
4. **Prozvonit** (Czech)
5. **Fernweh** (German)

6. **Lagom** (Swedish)
7. **Saudade** (Portuguese)

Meanings:

A. A strong desire to travel to places you have never been
B. A cozy, warm, comfortable feeling
C. The reflection of moonlight on water
D. Forgetting someone's name when introducing them
E. Calling someone and hanging up so they call back
F. Not too much, not too little – just right
G. A deep emotional longing or nostalgia

Answers:

1. ___ 2. ___ 3. ___ 4. ___ 5. ___ 6. ___ 7. ___

Which word do you like the most? Why?

Task 4 – European Stars Quiz

Work in your group and answer the questions.

1. Which country is the music group **ABBA** from?

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2. Where is the singer **Dua Lipa** originally from?

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3. Which country does footballer **Cristiano Ronaldo** represent?

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4. Which country does tennis player **Iga Świątek** represent?

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5. Who wrote the **Harry Potter** books?

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6. Which country was **Hans Christian Andersen** from?

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7. Who painted the **Mona Lisa**?

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8. Which country was scientist **Stephen Hawking** from?

‼️Be ready to explain **one answer** to the class.

Task 5 – Reflection

Think about today's lesson and answer the questions below.

1. What new word or fact did you learn today?

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2. Which task did you enjoy the most? Why?

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3. Which European word best describes how you feel after this lesson?
   Word: _____
   Language: _____

Well done‼️

Languages connect people, cultures, and ideas.
Thank you for joining *the European Languages Adventure*!