



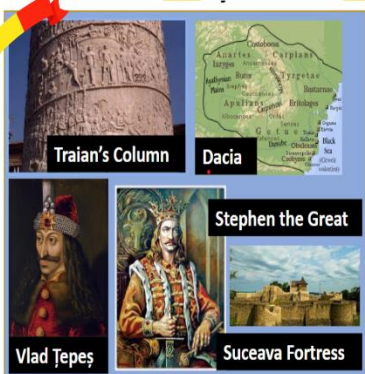
- Romania has 5 neighbor countries.
- The highest mountain is Moldoveanu, which has 2544 m
- The Danube Delta has 312 important bird species.
- Bălea Lake is a glacier lake situated at 2.034 m of altitude in the Făgăraș Mountain



- Sofia Vicoveanca is a Romanian singer of popular music from the historical region of Bucovina.
- Inna is a Romanian Singer, Songwriter, Dancer, Musician famous in all the world. She became the first European female to get 1 billion views on YouTube. She has sold over 3 million albums worldwide.
- The George Enescu Festival is the biggest classical music festival and classical international competition held in Romania.
- An average of around 20 works by Romanian composer George Enescu are interpreted in the Festival each edition.



- Romanian pottery is still made mainly on traditional kick-wheels with simple finishing tools in 30 pottery centers.
- The black pottery produced at the Marginea is known internationally, mainly due to its black color.
- The painted Easter eggs are the most colorful part of this religious celebration in Romania.
- March 1st is the day Romanians celebrate 'Mărtisor', an old tradition related to spring arrival, when red and white trinkets are given as a gift.



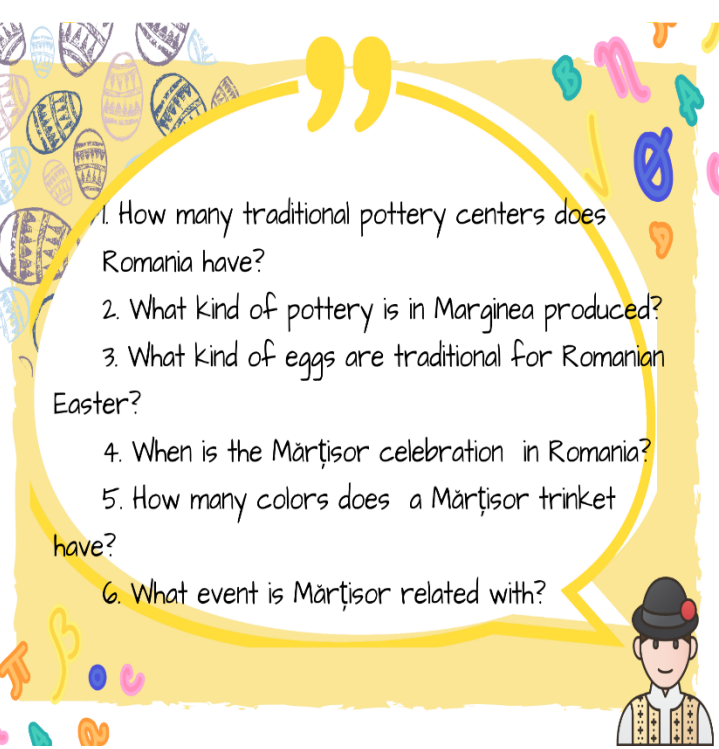
- Romania was part of the former DACIA, Roman province between the years 106 and 271.
- Trajan's Column is in Rome, Italy and commemorates Roman emperor Trajan's victory in the Dacian Wars (101-102 and 105-106).
- Bram Stoker's Dracula character is based on Vlad Tepeș, king of Wallachia, part of Romania country.
- Stephen the Great, Moldavian King (1457-1504) had his seat fortress in Suceava.



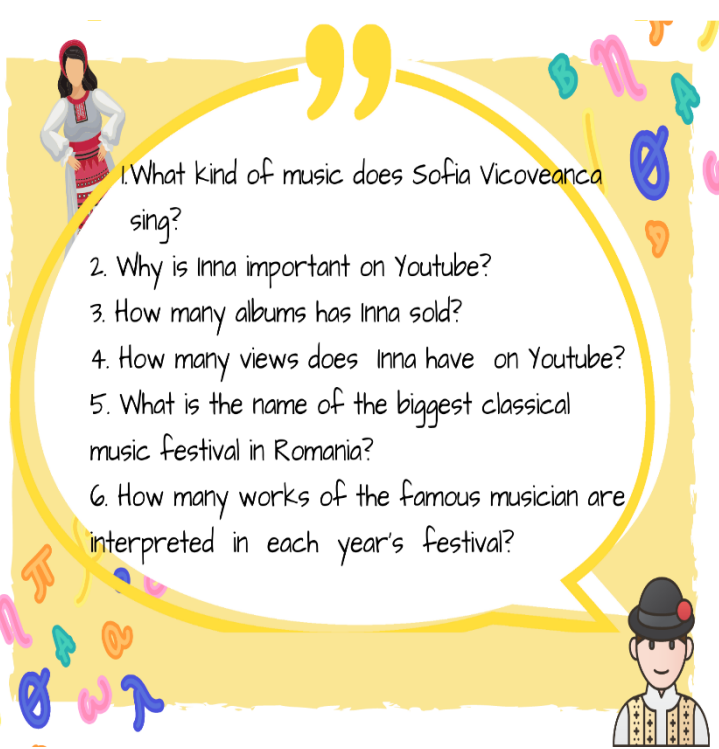
- The hat with peacock feathers is typical to Bistrița region and its manufacturing is quite laborious, sometimes using 500 peacock feathers for just one hat.
- One main characteristic of the Romanian folk costumes is the predilection for white color.
- The traditional woman blouse is called 'ie'.
- On June 24 every year is the International Day of the Romanian Blouse.



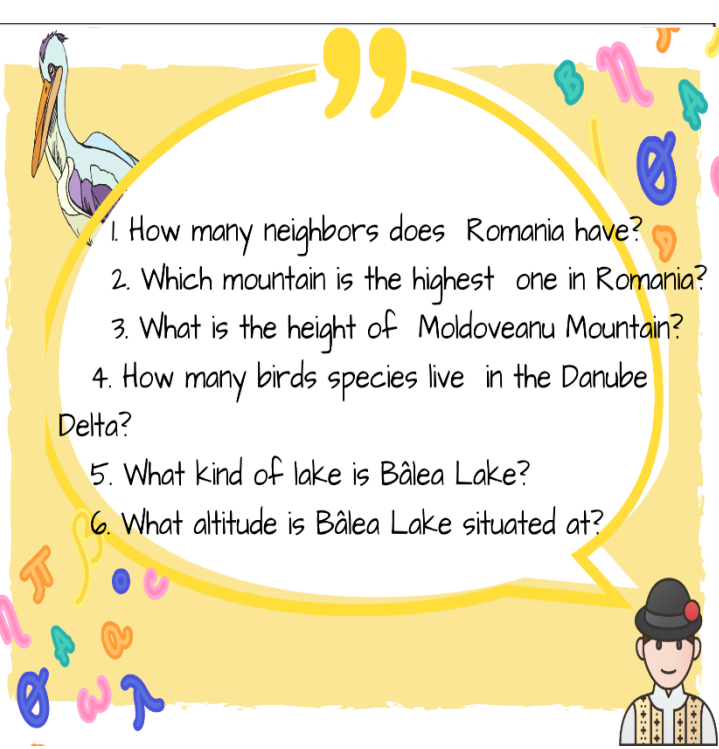
- In 1976, at the age of 14, Nadia Comăneci was the first gymnast to be awarded a perfect score of 10.00 at the Olympic Games. She was five-time Olympic gold medalist.
- Gheorghe Hagi is a Romanian famous football player, who won a total of 124 caps for Romania between 1983 and 2000.
- Mihai Eminescu is considered one of the most important poets of the Romanian language. Eminescu's poetry debut came in 1866 when he was just 16 years old.
- Considered a pioneer of modernism, Constantin Brâncuși is called the patriarch of modern sculpture.

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1. How many traditional pottery centers does Romania have?
 2. What kind of pottery is in Marginea produced?
 3. What kind of eggs are traditional for Romanian Easter?
 4. When is the Mărțișor celebration in Romania?
 5. How many colors does a Mărțișor trinket have?
 6. What event is Mărțișor related with?




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1. What kind of music does Sofia Vicoveanca sing?
 2. Why is Inna important on Youtube?
 3. How many albums has Inna sold?
 4. How many views does Inna have on Youtube?
 5. What is the name of the biggest classical music festival in Romania?
 6. How many works of the famous musician are interpreted in each year's festival?

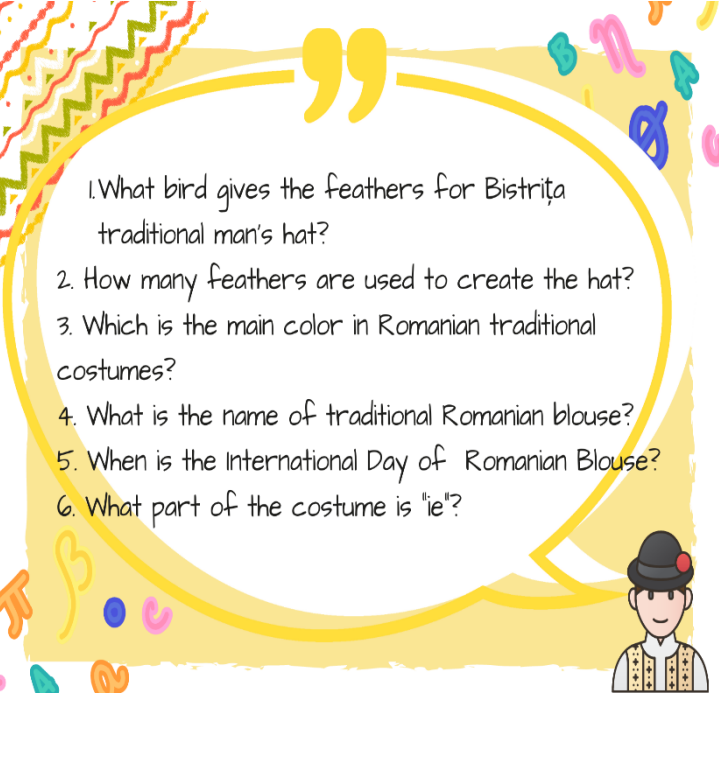


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1. How many neighbors does Romania have?
 2. Which mountain is the highest one in Romania?
 3. What is the height of Moldoveanu Mountain?
 4. How many birds species live in the Danube Delta?
 5. What kind of lake is Bălea Lake?
 6. What altitude is Bălea Lake situated at?

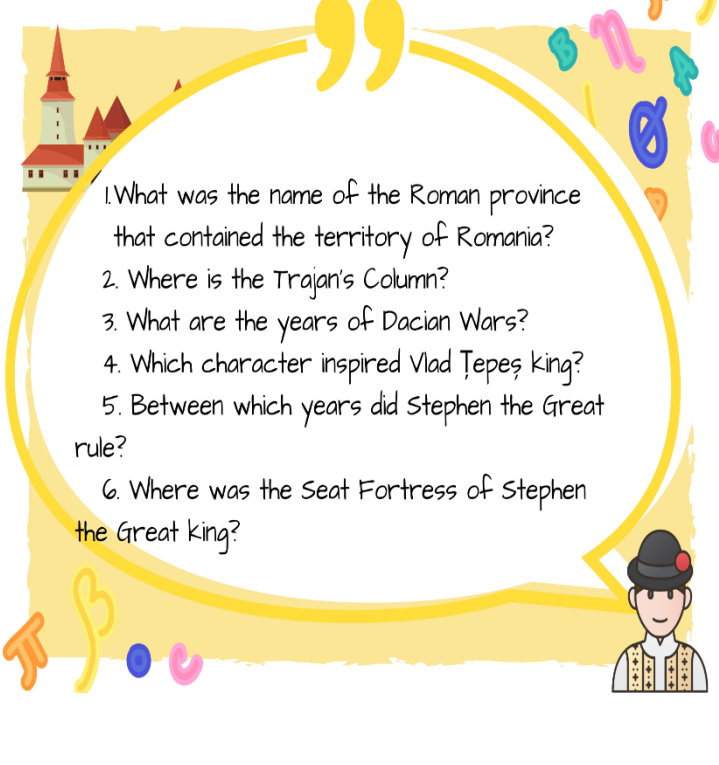


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1. What age did Nadia Comăneci won the score of perfect 10 at Olympic games?
 2. How many times did Nadia won the Olympic Gold?
 3. How many caps won Gheorghe Hagi between 1983 and 2000?
 4. What sport has Gheorghe Hagi played?
 5. Who is the Romanian National poet?
 6. What kind of artist was Constantin Brâncuși?

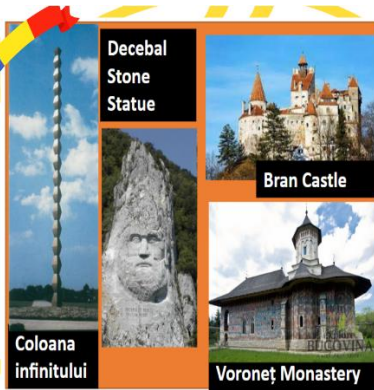


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1. What bird gives the feathers for Bistrița traditional man's hat?
 2. How many feathers are used to create the hat?
 3. Which is the main color in Romanian traditional costumes?
 4. What is the name of traditional Romanian blouse?
 5. When is the International Day of Romanian Blouse?
 6. What part of the costume is "ie"?



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1. What was the name of the Roman province that contained the territory of Romania?
 2. Where is the Trajan's Column?
 3. What are the years of Dacian Wars?
 4. Which character inspired Vlad Țepeș King?
 5. Between which years did Stephen the Great rule?
 6. Where was the Seat Fortress of Stephen the Great king?





- Endless Column by Constantin Brancusi (1876-1957) is 30 meters high.
- The famous Bran Castle is one of the most popular landmarks in Romania, and it also goes by the nickname of "Dracula's Castle".
- Voroneț monastery was constructed by Stephen the Great in 1488 and its intense shade of blue is known in Romania as "Voroneț blue".
- The Statue of King Decebalus is the tallest stone sculpture in Europe and the second tallest in the world.



- Papanashi are traditional Romanian fried doughnuts - made with cottage cheese and topped with cream and jam.
- Cozonac is a classic, simple, sweetened yeast bread with origins in Romania. It is filled with cocoa and nuts.
- Mici (meaning "little ones") is a dish from the Romanian cuisine, consisting of grilled ground meat (beef, pork, lamb) rolls.
- Sarmale or Romanian cabbage rolls are a Romanian food recipe made and served during Christmas, Easter and other holidays.



Romania's currency

- Romania's currency is leu and its smaller parts are called bani.
- 1 euro means 5 lei.
- There are 4 coins: 50 bani, 10 bani, 5 bani and 1 ban.
- There are 14 bills. 500 lei is the biggest value of Romanian bills.



- Romania flag's colors are red, yellow, blue.
- The largest building in Europe is Romania's Parliament Palace.
- Romania has a representative coat of arms, in which the central element is the golden eagle with cross.
- Romania's National Day is an annual public holiday on December 1 to celebrate the unification of Romanian provinces that took place on 1st December 1918.
- The national Romanian anthem is the song "Deșteaptă-te, române!" (Awaken then, Romanian!).



"choriatiki" salad

Main ingredients are wheat, olive oil, and wine.

The meat usually used in Greece is pork, although chicken, beef, and lamb.

"Tiropita" pie

Is made from greek yogurt, cucumber, garlic, olive oil, and fresh dill.

"suvlaki"




Today loose-fitting white cotton or silk shirts are worn, together with embroidered vests and jackets.

tsarouchia



each tsarouchi weighs 3.5 kilos

Women use long chemises and skirts, men still wear vraka and foustanela.



Traditional accessory: fluria





1. What is the name of Romanian currency?
 2. How many euros is 1 leu?
 3. How many coins are in Romania's currency?
 4. How many bills are in Romania's currency?
 5. How many 5 bani coins do you need for having 1 leu?
 6. What is the biggest value of Romanian bill?



1. What is the name of Romanian traditional cheese doughnuts?
 2. What is cozonac?
 3. What do we use to fill the cozonac?
 4. How do Romanians call traditional "little ones"?
 5. How is "mici" dish cooked?
 6. What is the name of Romanian cabbage rolls?



1. How many meters does the Endless Column have?
 2. Which castle is Dracula's Castle?
 3. Who constructed the Voroneț Monastery?
 4. For which color is famous Voroneț Monastery?
 5. In which year was Voroneț Monastery constructed?
 6. Which is the tallest stone sculpture in Europe?


- What are the materials we use for our traditional costumes?
- What are the traditional names of our costumes?
- What is the color of woman's skirt?
- What is the name of traditional the shoes?
- What's the name of traditional accessory?
- How much does a couple of tsarouchia weigh together?

- What are the main ingredients of Greek cuisine?
- What's the special name of salad?
- What are the ingredients of famous Greek "tzatziki"?
- How many "suvlaki" are in the picture?
- What's the special name of pie?
- What's the most used meat in Greece?

1. What are the colors of Romania's flag?
 2. Which building is the biggest one in Europe?
 3. What bird is on the Romania's coat of arms?
 4. When is Romania's National Day?
 5. What year was when the unification of Romanian provinces took place?
 6. What is the song "Awaken then, Romanian!"?



On the 6th of January we celebrate "EPIPHANY" the baptism of Jesus Christ by John the Baptist in the Jordan river.

"TSOLIAS"



Evil Eye

"lagana" bread



"Tsiknopempti" is the Thursday when you have to eat as much meat as possible.



The Parthenon was built 447 BC



The main religion of Greece is orthodox christianism



The winner of the olympic games was awarded with an olive wreath



Salad is the main dish of the Mediterranean diet



The ancient greek theater was considered a way of education




Olympus



Lake	Prefecture	surface area
▶ The Large Lakes		
Megal Prespa	Florina	28,168 ha
Trichonida	Aetolia-Akarnania	9,652 ha
Vovli	Thessaloniki	7,202 ha

Acropolis built around 525 BC



Caryatids of Erechtheion



White tower of Thessaloniki 34m



herodion theatre (5000 seats)



1 Drachma=0.0029347 EUR




The drachma was replaced in 2002



Ancient Greek philosopher Plato was a student of Socrates and a teacher of Aristotle.



Aristotle taught Alexander about medicine, philosophy, morals, religion, logic, and art.



Hippocrates is considered to be the father of modern medicine. He described in a scientific manner, many diseases and their treatment after detailed observation.



Socrates: philosopher





- Which are the countries that border to Greece?
- Which are the seas that border to Greece?
- What are the colors at the Greek flag?
- Which is the largest island of Greece ?
- Which is the highest mountain of Greece ?
- Which is the largest lake of Greece?



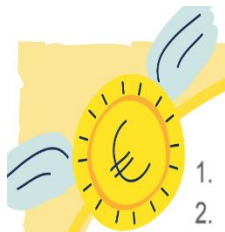
1. when the parthenon was built?
2. Which is the main dish of the mediterranean diet?
3. What symbol does the Greek flag have?
4. Which was the reward for the olympic games winner?
5. Which is the main religion of greece now?
6. What was a way of education in ancient Greece?



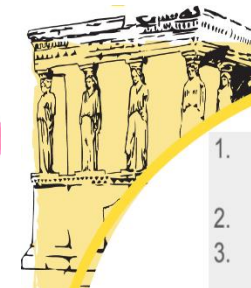
- What we celebrate on the 6th of January?
- What we eat at Tsiknopempti?
- What's the colors of the Evil Eye?
- Which is the special name of this bread?
- What's the color of the traditional costume of (tsolias)?
- What have the shoes od (tsoliades) at the top ?



- 1)Aristotle was the teacher of...
- 2)Who was Plato's teacher?
- 3)Do all the people in the card have a beard?
- 4)How is Hippocrates called?
- 5)Which man is pointing with his finger up?
- 6)Socrates was a....



1. When was drachma last used?
2. What colour is the 100eur banknote?
3. How many colours do you see at the first picture?
4. How many euros is 1 drachma?
5. What animal is depicted on the coin?
6. How many coins do you see?



1. What is the seating capacity of the Herodium theater?
2. When was the Acropolis built?
3. How tall is the White Tower of Thessaloniki?
4. How many statues do you see in the front part of the Erechtheion?
5. What colour is the White Tower of Thessaloniki?
6. In which picture can you see the sea?



Athens is the capital of Greece.

Zakynthos a very famous destination

OLYMPUS 2900m

in Greece we say that Chalkidiki has 3 "legs"

Crete is the biggest island of Greece

World War II 1939

12 gods of olympus

Crusades 1095-1204

May 29, 1453: The Day Constantinople Fell

Mikis Theodorakis

Helena Papanizou. She won the Eurovision in 2005.

Natasia Mpofiliou is a very famous singer in Greece.

Mpuzuki

Jan Pawel II - Polish Pope since 1978 to 2005

Tomasz Karolak - famous Polish actor

Robert Lewandowski - Polish footballer

Andrzej Wajda - he directed over 61 films

Maria Skłodowska-Curie - Polish physicist and chemist, first woman to win the Nobel Prize

Wisława Szymborska - she won the Nobel Prize in Literature in 1996

Grzegorz Brzęczyszczykiewicz - have got 19 letters in his last name

Viki Gabor - Polish singer which won Eurovision

Sarah is one of the most popular singers in Poland. She received popularity with the release of her single "Szampan".

Krzysztof Krawczyk is A very famous singer of old generation. He died on 5th of April 2021 and his most popular song was "Parostatek".

Bedoes is now the most famous rapper in Poland. His lyrics are very relatable to every young person in Poland. His most popular song is "1998 (mam to we krwi)".

16 regions

Cracov costume

Traditional hat

- 1. KRAKÓW
- 2. KOSZALA
- 3. KATYŃ
- 4. MAZ
- 5. POZNAŃ
- 6. SUWA
- 1. WARSZAWA
- 2. ŁÓDŹ
- 3. KOSZALA
- 4. GÓRNIK
- 5. ZAFARNA
- 6. ŚWIĘCA
- 7. TARNÓW



- 1) Does the male singer have short hair?
- 2) When did Greece win the Eurovision?
- 3) What is the name of the blonde woman?
- 4) How many instruments are there?
- 5) What is the guitar look alike instrument called?
- 6) Who is a famous singer in Greece?



1. When did World War II happen?
2. When did Constantinople fall?
3. What is the color of the horses in the third picture?
4. How many are the gods of the Olympus?
5. What symbol is on the shields?
6. Do you see any flags?



1. Which is the capital of Greece?
2. Which is the biggest Greek island?
3. How tall is the Olympus mountain?
4. Which is the color that the island of Crete is covered with?
5. Which is a very famous destination?
6. Chalikidiki has....



1. How many different folk regions are there in Poland?
2. What color are the boots in the Cracovian costume?
3. What is the name of the item of male clothing number 2 in your native language?
4. Whose feather is in the Cracovian red hat?
5. What is the woman in the photo in the right corner wearing?
6. What is the name of the item of female clothing number 7 in your native language?



1. How many flowers is Sanah holding?
2. What color is Sanah's dress?
3. How many people were wearing glasses?
4. What was the most popular Krzysztof Krawczyk's song?
5. Why do young people like Bedoes's songs?
6. What was the text on Bedoes's jumper?



1. How many letters does Gregory's surname have?
2. Who won Eurovision?
3. How many films has Andrzej Wajda directed?
4. Which woman was the first to receive the Nobel Prize?
5. How many famous men were shown on the card?
6. How many people were wearing something red?
7. What was the name of the famous Pole who became Pope? When did he become pope?





Hymn Polski

Jeszcze Polska nie zginęła,
Kiedy my żyjemy.
Co nam obca przemoc wzięła,
Szablą odbierzemy.

Marsz, marsz Dąbrowski,
Z ziemi włoskiej do Polski.
Za twoim przewodem
Złączym się z narodem.

Przejdźmy Wisłę, przejdźmy Wartę,
Bójchemi Polakami,
Daj nam przykład Bonaparte,
Jak zwyciężać mamy.

Marsz, marsz...
Jak Czarniecki do Poznania
Po szwedzkim zaborze,
Dla ojczyzny ratowania
Więćm się przez morze.

Marsz, marsz...
Jeszcze ojczyzna do swych Basi
Sława, słońce, gwiazda
Wzrostem, siłą, umiarem
Sława, słońce, gwiazda

Polish flag:
Name-Flag of the republic of Poland
Proportion-5:8
Adopted: August 1919
Colors-white and red
Polish emblem:
Adopted-26th June 1295; last modified in 22nd February 1990
Type of shield-French
National anthem:
Lyrics-Jozef Wybicki, 1797
Music-Composer unknown
Verses-4



ZUREK is Polish Easter soup with eggs and kielbasa.



PIEROGI is the most famous dish in Poland. It can have different stuffing but the most popular one is with potatoes and white cheese.



BIGOS is the best Polish dish and it is made mostly of cabbage and kielbasa, we often eat it with bread.



Battle of Grunwald 1410 - the largest battle in medieval history of Europe

Mieszko I - first ruler of Poland since 960 to 992



Wawel Castle - residence of Polish kings, former capital



Tadeusz Kosciuszko - Polish general who fought against Russians in late 18th century.



Jozef Pilsudski - father of Polish independence

Battle of Vienna - 70 thousand of Polish Hussars crushed 300 thousand of Ottoman Turks



TRADITIONAL COSTUMES



1. North Bulgarian Traditional Costume
2. Trakiska Traditional Costume
3. Rhodope Traditional Costume



Kanatitsa



Embroidery



Survachka - Traditional Bulgarian stick for luck and health.

Bulgarian currency



The man that is shown on the banknote is called Aleko Konstantinov. He is a Bulgarian writer best known for his character Bay Ganyo, one of the most popular characters in Bulgarian fiction.



The first Bulgarian banknote with nominal value of 20 lev and was issued in 1885.



Bulgarian currency - lev



In 2015 the Bulgarian 2leva turned from banknotes to coins



The Madara Rider monument became enlisted on the UNESCO World Heritage List in 1979.



The Shipka monument celebrates the Bulgarians who fought in the Battle of Shipka.




Nesebar and Plovdiv are the oldest cities in Bulgaria and some of their monuments are still standing from Ancient times.





MONUMENTS









1. Who was the first king of Poland?
 2. When was the Battle of Grunwald?
 3. How many medals does Józef Piłsudski have?
 4. What city was the former capital of Poland?
 5. How many Ottomans were defeated by the Polish Hussars at the Battle of Vienna?
 6. Who did Tadeusz Kościuszko fight with?


1. How many dishes have kielbasa?
 2. What do we eat for Easter?
 3. What is the most popular stuffing for pierogi?
 4. How many pierogies are on the plate?
 5. What is the best Polish dish?
 6. How many forks are on the pictures?

1. What is on the head of the eagle?
 2. What are the proportions of the Polish flag?
 3. Who composed music for the Polish anthem?
 4. How old is the Polish emblem?
 5. What is the opening line of the chorus of the Polish anthem?
 6. What is the full name of the Polish flag?

1. What are the oldest cities in Bulgaria?
 2. In what year was the Communist monument built? Hint: it's $\sqrt{6561}$
 3. There is a monument that celebrates people who fought in a battle. Which one is it?
 4. What is the monument with the horse called?
 5. Where is the wheel in the bottom left from?
 6. Is there a monument in the UNESCO World Heritage List?



Bulgarian currency

1. When did the Bulgarian 2 leva turn from banknotes to coins?
 2. How many men can you see?
 3. Which colour are the 20 leva?
 4. How many times can you count the number 2?
 5. Which was the first Bulgarian lev?
 6. Who is the man shown on the 100 leva?



TRADITIONAL COSTUMES

1. How many mummers are shown?
 2. What colour is the dress of the North Bulgarian Traditional Costume?
 3. How many people in total are on the card?
 4. How many triangles are in the Kanatitsa?
 5. How many pretzels are on the Survachka?
 6. How many embroideries are there?



FOOD

BANITSA

Layered mixture of whisked eggs, natural yogurt and pieces of white brined cheese between filo pastry, typically served on breakfast and New Years Eve.



TARATOR

A cold soup made of salted strained yogurt mixed with cucumbers, garlic, salt, olive oil and dill.



MEKITSA

Circles of kneaded dough that is deep fried. They are made with flour, eggs, yogurt, a leavening agent, water, salt, and oil. It is often powdered with icing sugar or garnished with jam, honey or sirene (white cheese).



LIUTENICA

The ingredients include peppers, aubergines, carrots, garlic, vegetable oil, sugar, salt, and tomatoes. It comes in many varieties: smooth or chunky. Usually used as a bread topping.



MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS

- Kaba Gaida; Dzhura Gaida; Kaval; Dvoianka; Duduk

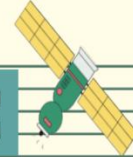
All musical instruments are wooden. Kaba Gaida and Dzuka Gaida are similar to the Scottish bagpipe.



FOLK DANCE - HORO

- "Dunavsko", "Shira", "Elenino", "Chichovoto", "Daichovo", and more.

Each Bulgarian region has its own horo chain dances and choreography. The music measures are 2/4, 9/8, and 11/16.



MUSIC

FAMOUS SINGERS

Lili Ivanova

Born April 24, 1939, she is often referred to as the "Prima of Bulgarian popular music".



Valya Balkanska

Is known for singing the song "Izlel ye Delyo Haydutin", part of the Voyager spacecraft Golden Record selection of music launched in 1977.

Famous people

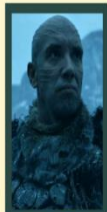
Ivet Miroslavova Lalova-Collio

A Bulgarian athlete who specialises in the 100 metres and 200 metres sprint events. She is the 13th-fastest woman in history.



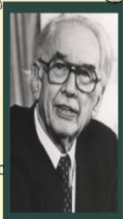
Zahary Baharov

A Bulgarian actor, best known for portraying the roles of Moth in Zif and Loboda in the HBO series Game of Thrones. He has starred in over 30 films.



John Vincent Atanasoff

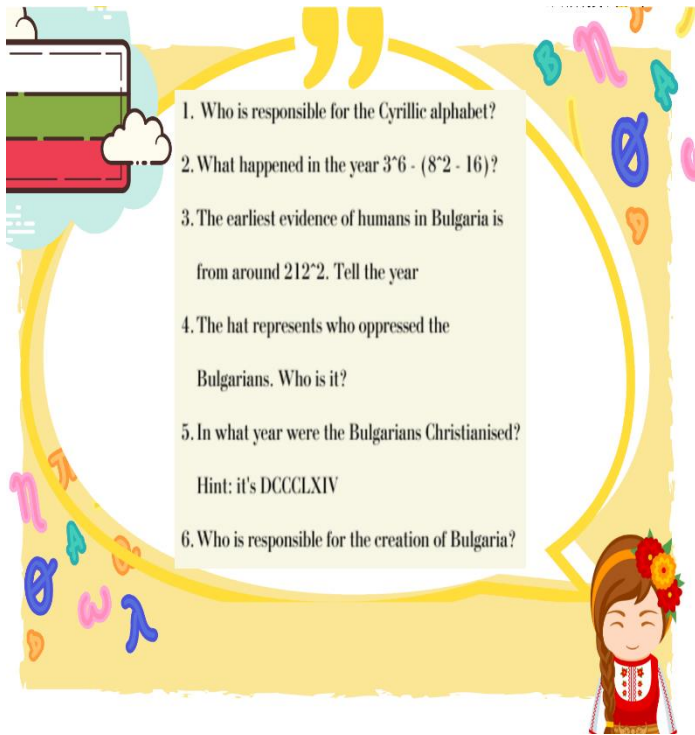
A Bulgarian physicist and inventor, best known for being credited with inventing the first electronic digital computer in 1930.




Grigor Dimitrov

A Bulgarian professional tennis player. He has been ranked as high as world No. 3 in singles by the ATP, which he first achieved on 20 November 2017.

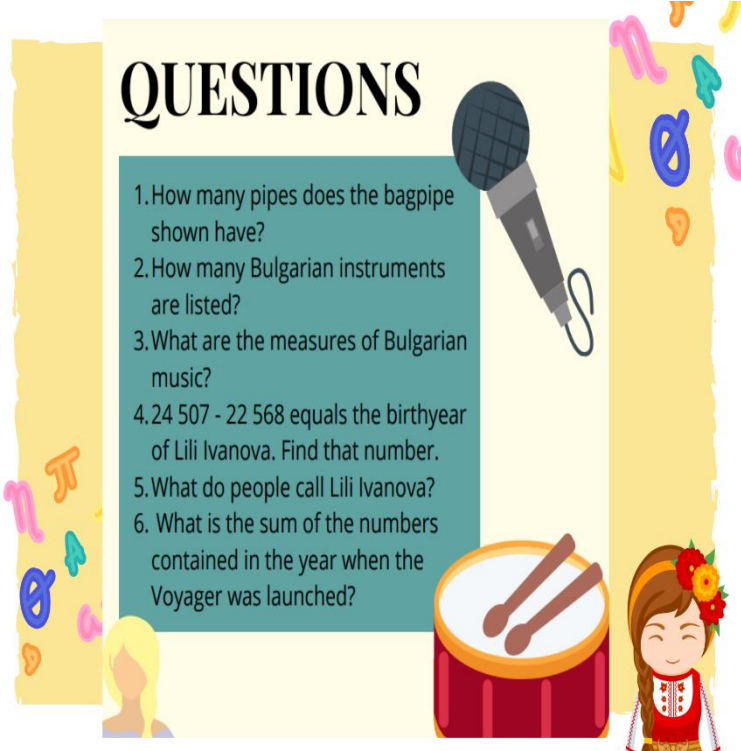





1. Who is responsible for the Cyrillic alphabet?
2. What happened in the year 3rd6 - (8th2 - 16)?
3. The earliest evidence of humans in Bulgaria is from around 212nd2. Tell the year
4. The hat represents who oppressed the Bulgarians. Who is it?
5. In what year were the Bulgarians Christianised?
Hint: it's DCCCLXIV
6. Who is responsible for the creation of Bulgaria?



QUESTIONS



1. How many pipes does the bagpipe shown have?
2. How many Bulgarian instruments are listed?
3. What are the measures of Bulgarian music?
4. 24 507 - 22 568 equals the birthyear of Lili Ivanova. Find that number.
5. What do people call Lili Ivanova?
6. What is the sum of the numbers contained in the year when the Voyager was launched?



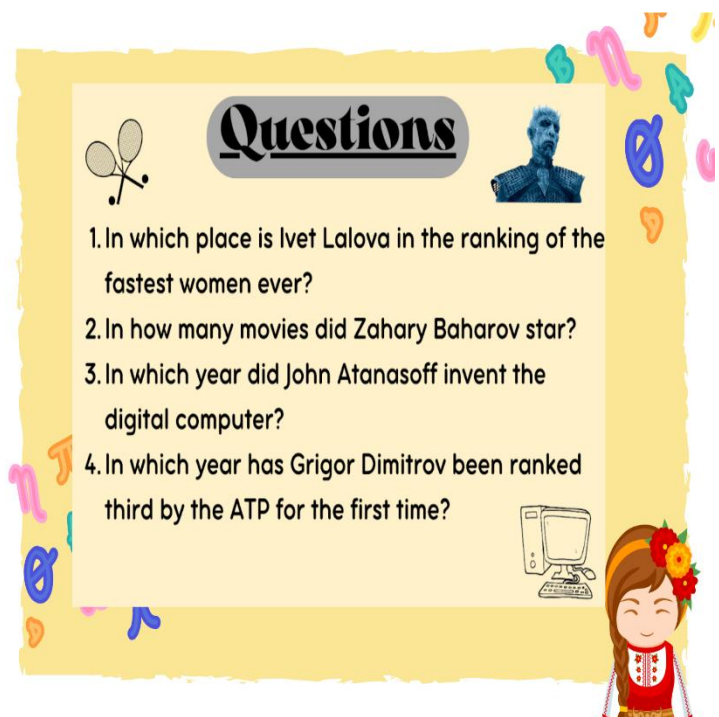
QUESTIONS



1. What shape does the banitsa form?
2. When do Bulgarian people eat banitsa?
3. How many circles does the title of the card contain?
4. How many ingredients does tarator have?
5. What is the shape of the mekitsa?
6. What are the two types of consistency ljutenitsa comes in?



Questions



1. In which place is Ivet Lalova in the ranking of the fastest women ever?
2. In how many movies did Zahary Baharov star?
3. In which year did John Atanasoff invent the digital computer?
4. In which year has Grigor Dimitrov been ranked third by the ATP for the first time?

