

## LANGUAGES OF EUROPE

Many Europeans are \_\_\_\_\_ (speak 2 languages) or \_\_\_\_\_ (speak several languages).

### GERMANIC:

- Uses our \_\_\_\_\_.
- Examples include \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_.
- \_\_\_\_\_ is spoken in more parts of the world than any other language.

### ROMANCE

- Uses our \_\_\_\_\_.
- Examples include \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_.
- The Romance languages are based on \_\_\_\_\_, the language of the ancient Romans.

### SLAVIC

- Uses a \_\_\_\_\_ alphabet based on ancient Greek letters.
- \_\_\_\_\_ is an example of Slavic language.

## QUICK QUIZ

1. This language is spoken in the United States. \_\_\_\_\_.

LANGUAGE FAMILY \_\_\_\_\_

2. This language is spoken in the country that is shaped like a boot.

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3. The language uses an alphabet based on Greek letters. \_\_\_\_\_

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4. People who speak this language live directly south of the United Kingdom. \_\_\_\_\_

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5. This language is in the same family as English \_\_\_\_\_.

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## LITERACY RATES

One factor that has a HUGE effect on a country's economic health and its citizens' standard of living is the \_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_ is the ability to read and write.

A \_\_\_\_\_ is often determined by one's \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_.

European countries have \_\_\_\_\_ literacy rates and \_\_\_\_\_ standards of living.

## QUICK QUIZ

1. The standard of living is determined by:
  - a. income
  - b. Education
  - c. Both
2. Literacy is the ability to:
  - a. Read
  - b. Write
  - c. Both
3. A country with a high literacy rate typically has a high:
  - a. Standard of living
  - b. Death rate
  - c. Number of doctors
4. The literacy rate and standard of living in Europe are:
  - a. Low
  - b. High
  - c. Not measured