EUROPE TRIVIA QUIZ

Test your knowledge about Europe and the different European languages across the continent with this quick trivia quiz to celebrate the European Day of Languages!

Part 1:
Tick the correct answers to these questions:

1. In which European country are both Flemish and French spoken?
   - a) Switzerland
   - b) The Netherlands
   - c) Belgium

2. The currency used in the United Kingdom is called
   - a) Pound
   - b) Shilling
   - c) Euro

3. With a population of 82 million, which is the largest country in the European Union by population?
   - a) Germany
   - b) France
   - c) Spain

4. Leonardo Da Vinci’s Mona Lisa is located in which famous European museum?
   - a) Rijksmuseum
   - b) The Louvre
   - c) Musée d’Orsay

5. Which European country is bordered by Romania, Slovakia, Ukraine, Serbia, Croatia, Slovenia, and Austria?
   - a) Bulgaria
   - b) Hungary
   - c) Lithuania

6. What is the capital city of Romania?
   - a) Riga
   - b) Zagreb
   - c) Bucharest

7. Italy, Netherlands, France, Belgium, Germany and which other country were the founding members of the European Union?
   - a) United Kingdom
   - b) Luxembourg
   - c) Austria

8. Which European country is known as Suomi in its own language?
   - a) Finland
   - b) Latvia
   - c) Slovenia

9. How many countries are currently in the EU?
   - a) 28
   - b) 26
   - c) 21

10. Which city is the furthest north?
    - a) Copenhagen, Denmark
    - b) Vilnius, Lithuania
    - c) Edinburgh, Scotland

11. Which three colours make up the Lithuanian flag?
    - a) White, blue, red
    - b) White, green, red,
    - c) Yellow, green, red

12. What is the name of the river you see from Paris’ most famous landmark the Eiffel Tower?
    - a) Rhine
    - b) The Seine
    - c) River Tyne
Part 1 (continued):

Tick the correct answers to these questions:

13. With 7 victories, which of the following countries has won Eurovision the most number of times?
   a) Ireland
   b) Greece
   c) Sweden

14. Which of the three Baltic States is the only country in the world to have its own national fragrance?
   a) Lithuania
   b) Latvia
   c) Estonia

15. Which country is the famous playwright Henrik Ibsen (1828-1906) from?
   a) Finland
   b) Malta
   c) Norway

Score: /15

Part 2:

Below are words without any direct translations in English. Match the word to the correct language.

Tartle – ______________________
the act of hesitating while introducing someone because you’ve forgotten their name

Fernweh – ______________________
feeling homesick for a place you’ve never been

Hygge – ______________________
a pleasant, intimate and comforting feeling, often associated with sitting around a fire in the winter with close friends

Mangata – ______________________
the road like reflection of moonlight on water

Prozvonit – ______________________
to call a mobile phone and only have it ring once so that the other person will call back and allow the caller to avoid spending money on minutes

Score: /5
Total score: /20