

# Europe Today Map Work

- SS6G8 –Will locate selected features of Europe
- the Danube River, Rhine River, English Channel, Mediterranean Sea, European Plain, the Alps, Pyrenees, Ural Mountains, Iberian Peninsula, and Scandinavian Peninsula
- Belgium, France, Germany, Italy, Poland, Russia, Spain, Ukraine, and United Kingdom
- *In this unit students will explore modern Europe. Students will describe the location of major countries and analyze the **location's** impact on its people. Students will explain the diversity of European **culture** by examining languages, religions, and literacy rate.*

# Learning Targets

- **LOCATION: The student will understand that location affects a society's economy, culture, and development.**
- I can locate the major physical features of Europe, and describe where are they located on a map.
- I can locate the major countries of Europe, and where are they located on a map.

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## Political Features

### Countries

Pick One Color

1. Belgium

2. France

3. Germany

4. Italy

5. Poland

6. Russia

7. Spain

8. Ukraine

9. United Kingdom

**USE COLOR**

**PENCILS**

**ONLY!!**

**USE MARKERS**

**FOR**

**OUTLINING**

**ONLY!!!**

Identify the capital city of each of these countries on the map and use a star next to the capital city name.

## Physical Features

### Waters/Rivers (blue)

1. Danube River (D.R.)

2. Rhine River (R.R.)

3. English Channel

4. Mediterranean Sea

5. Volga River

6. Strait of Gibraltar

7. European Plain **Rest of Map (Green)**

### Mountains (Brown ^ ^ ^)

1. Alps

2. Pyrenees

3. Ural

### Peninsulas // // // //

1. Iberian

2. Scandinavian



# Map Resources

- [MapQuest](#)
- [University of Texas](#)
- [World Atlas](#)
- [Political Map of Europe](#)
- [Physical Map of Europe](#)



# Europe

## Unit 2a

**Blue**  
WATER/ RIVERS:  
 Danube River **D.R.**  
 Rhine River **RR**  
 English channel  
 Mediterranean Sea

**Green**  
 European Plain

MOUNTAINS:  
 Alps  
 Pyrenees  
 Ural  
**Brown**

PENINSULAS:  
 Iberian Peninsula  
 Scandinavian Pen.

Shade over these areas with slanted lines



- COUNTRIES:
- Belgium **Bel.**
  - France
  - Germany
  - Italy
  - Poland
  - Russia
  - Spain
  - Ukraine
  - United **U.K.** Kingdom

Lightly color in and label



# Europe

## Unit 2a

Blue

WATER/  
RIVERS:

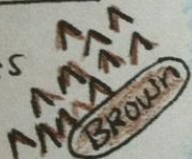
Danube River **D.R.**  
Rhine River **RR**  
English channel  
Mediterranean sea

Green

European Plain

MOUNTAINS:

Alps  
Pyrenees  
Ural



PENINSULAS:

Iberian Peninsula  
Scandinavian Pen.

Shade over these areas with slanted lines

Scandinavian Pen.

Iberian Pen.

Alps

Pyrenees

English Channel **RR.**

**D.R.**

Mediterranean sea

COUNTRIES:

- Belgium
- France
- Germany
- Italy
- Poland
- Russia
- Spain
- Ukraine
- United Kingdom

Lightly color in and label

# Closing

- What are the major physical features of Europe, and where are they located on a map?
- What are the major countries of Europe, and where are they located on a map?