

Unit 1 Study Guide: The Geography of Europe – Part Two

IV. Complete the table below and answer the questions. (Use location, climate, and natural resources chart and class discussion.)

	Location in Europe	Climate	Natural Resources
United Kingdom			
Russia			
Germany			

- What factors contribute to where people live? (Hint: Would you live in the freezing cold?)
- Why do most people in Russia live in the southwest?
- What is one trade advantage for Germany? (Hint: what physical feature is located there?)
- Why are natural resources important to a country?

V. Environmental Issues: Answer the following questions. (Use environmental issues handout and class discussion.)

- **What are three environmental concerns for Europe?**
- **Where did the nuclear accident happen in 1986?**
- **What was the direct impact of the Chernobyl nuclear accident?**
- **How did the Chernobyl accident impact the rest of Europe?**
- **What causes and effects air pollution? (Give multiple causes.)**
- **What causes and effects of acid rain? (Give multiple causes.)**
- **What environmental issue is affecting Germany's black forests?**
- **What environmental issue is affecting the United Kingdom?**
- **What is Europe doing to help the environmental issues?**

VI. How does geography affect Germany? Be sure to include location, climate, natural resources, environmental issues and culture within your answer.