

Europe's Geography

CLOZE Notes 1

Europe

- Europe is located in the _____.
- The continent is surrounded by the Arctic Ocean to the north, the _____, Africa to the south, and Asia to the east.
- Europe (excluding Russia) is smaller than half the size of the US; however, it is home to more than _____.

Geography

- Europe is a continent of _____.
- The continent is home to _____, snowy mountain ranges, and large peninsulas.
- Europe's most influential physical _____.
- Many rivers extend across Europe's inland regions and _____ surround the continent.

Rhine River

- The Rhine River _____ in the Alps mountain range.
- It _____ through Germany, France, Luxembourg, and the Netherlands.
- It's the _____.
- The Rhine is an important waterway for _____, as well as a major water source for farms and factories.
- Manufactured goods are shipped on the Rhine River to the Atlantic Ocean to be shipped _____.
- The Rhine is the _____ waterway in Europe.

Danube River

- The Danube River begins in Germany and flows east across _____ for a total of 1,770 miles.
- It is the _____ in Europe and is an important shipping route across the continent.
- It has played a vital role in the development of central Europe in terms of _____ diffusion.

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English Channel

- The English Channel is a _____ that separates the United Kingdom from the European mainland (specifically, from France).
- It is _____ long.
- The English Channel is an important _____.
- The Chunnel, an _____, was opened under the channel in 1994.

Mediterranean Sea

- The Mediterranean Sea is the crossroads for _____ : Europe, Africa, and Asia.
- The name means “in the _____” (it's surrounded by land).
- It surrounds Italy and has a _____.
- The Mediterranean Sea covers an area of 965,000 square miles and is the world's _____.
- It has been an important _____ and cultural exchange for thousands of years.

The Alps

- The Alps are a _____ located in Austria, France, Germany, Switzerland, Italy, Slovenia, and Liechtenstein.
- They extend for almost _____!
- The Alps are a major _____.

Pyrenees Mountains

- The Pyrenees are a mountain range that form the natural border between _____.
- They extend for roughly _____.

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Ural Mountains

- The Ural Mountains are considered to be the natural boundary between _____
- They actually _____ between the continents: ¼ of Russia is in the country is in Asia.
- The Ural Mountains extend for almost _____!
- The Ural Mountains are among the _____ ranges.
- They have _____, nickel, silver, platinum, coal, iron, and other

Iberian Peninsula

- The Iberian Peninsula includes the countries of _____.
- The Pyrenees Mountains form the _____ and separate the Iberian the rest of Europe.

European Plain

- The European Plain stretches from _____ in the west to the Ural east.
- It extends for _____.
- The European Plain is the _____ landform in Europe.
- The European Plain contains _____ and is a successful _____
- Some of Europe's _____ can be found in this region: Moscow,