



Euroquiz Final 2019
Round 1 (20 questions, answered in pairs)
Geography

1. What is the capital of Bulgaria?

Sofia

2. What is the approximate total population of the EU? (*Including the UK*)

- a. 410 million
- b. 508 million*
- c. 620 million

3. Which country shares borders with both Romania and Austria?

Hungary

4. Which area in France is famous for its beautiful Renaissance castles?

- a. The Loire Valley*
- b. The French Alps
- c. The French Riviera

5. The island of Menorca belongs to which European country?

Spain

6. Which country is the largest producer of farmed salmon in the EU?

- a. Scotland/UK*
- b. The Netherlands
- c. Spain

7. To which country does this flag belong?



Romania

8. How are Sweden and Denmark connected?

- a. *By land*
- b. *By a bridge**
- c. *They are not connected*

Note for speaker: The Øresund Bridge (oo-re-sund)

9. Sicily, Sardinia and Corsica are islands to the west of Italy. Which one is not Italian?

- a. Sicily
- b. Sardinia
- c. Corsica*

10. What mountain range extends across most of northern Slovakia?

- a. Atlas
- b. Ural
- c. Carpathian*

11. This castle in Romania is commonly known as Dracula's Castle. What is its proper name?



Bran Castle

12. What is the capital of Bosnia and Herzegovina (*hertz-eh-gov-eh-nuh*)?

Sarajevo (sa-ra-ye-vo)

13. In which country is the longest bridge in the EU located?

Portugal

Note for speaker: Vasco Da Gama Bridge

14. What is the name of Scotland's longest river which has its source on the slopes of Ben Lui?

River Tay

Note for speaker: By the time it reaches the end of its journey it is almost 2 miles wide and can carry more water than the Thames and the Severn combined

15. This is the Euro coin produced by which Member State?



Austria

16. Serbia is landlocked but which river provides shipping access to inland Europe and the Black Sea?

- a. The Tiber (tie-ber)
- b. The Ural
- c. The Danube*

17. Which European country is known as *The Land of Fire and Ice*?

Iceland

18. How many countries does Germany share borders with?

- a. 9*
- b. 8
- c. 10

Note for speaker: the countries are Denmark, Poland, Czech Republic, Austria, Switzerland, France, Luxemburg, Belgium and the Netherlands

19. What animal do the *Sami* people of northern Sweden rely on?

- a. Arctic fox
- b. Reindeer*
- c. Husky dog

Note for speaker: The Sami are indigenous people and many make a living from reindeer herding.

20. In ancient times Latvia was famous for what precious stone?

- a. Ruby
- b. Opal
- c. Amber*

Note for speaker: Amber is a pine tree resin fossilized through the ages. The shiny specimens we see today have been around for 40 million years.



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Round 2 (15 questions for teams)
Language Round

Note to Quizmaster: Read out the question, the recording will then be played. Ask the pupils to listen a second time, and the recording will be repeated. Please do not provide the answers at this point.

Note to person reading out the answers: When providing the answers to questions 6-10, please give the answer and also provide the full translation of the sentence.

(Instructions to pupils to be included in quizmaster's script)

Question 1: What does this mean in English?

RECORDING:

German: Sprechen Sie Englisch?

Italian: Parla inglese?

Spanish: ¿Habla inglés?

French: Parlez-vous anglais?

ANSWER: DO YOU SPEAK ENGLISH?

Question 2: What does this mean in English?

RECORDING:

German: Ich habe im September Geburtstag

Italian: Il mio compleanno e' a settembre.

Spanish: Mi cumpleaños es en septiembre

French: Mon anniversaire est en septembre.

ANSWER: MY BIRTHDAY IS IN SEPTEMBER

Question 3: What does this mean in English?**RECORDING:**

German: Ich habe drei Brüder.

Italian: Ho tre fratelli.

Spanish: Tengo tres hermanos.

French: J'ai trois frères.

ANSWER: I HAVE THREE BROTHERS

Question 4: What does this mean in English?**RECORDING:**

German: Ich spiele nicht gern Fußball.

Italian: Non mi piace giocare a calcio.

Spanish: No me gusta jugar al fútbol.

French: Je n'aime pas jouer au foot.

ANSWER: I DON'T LIKE PLAYING FOOTBALL

Question 5: What does this mean in English?**RECORDING:**

German: Guten Appetit!

Italian: Buon appetito!

Spanish: ¡Buen provecho!

French: Bon appétit!

ANSWER: ENJOY YOUR MEAL/FOOD!

“For the next five questions, I will ask each question individually. You will then hear some information in German, Italian, Spanish and French which will contain the answer to each question. You will hear the recording twice. After the second time, you will be given a few moments to discuss the answer with your team. Write down the answer to the question **in English** on your sheet. You are not required to write a full translation for these questions, only write the answer to the question. You may make notes at any time, but it is **extremely important** that you remain completely silent while you are listening to the voices.”

Question 6: What does Alex have for lunch?

RECORDING:

German: Zu Mittag esse ich Kartoffeln.

Italian: A pranzo mangio le patate.

Spanish: Como patatas para el almuerzo.

French: Pour le déjeuner, je mange des pommes de terre.

ANSWER: POTATOES

[ENGLISH: I eat potatoes for lunch.]

Question 7: Give **one** piece of information about this person's father.

RECORDING:

German: Mein Vater ist vierzig Jahre alt und er ist groß.

Italian: Mio padre ha quarant'anni ed è alto.

Spanish: Mi padre tiene cuarenta años y es alto.

French: Mon père a quarante ans et il est grand.

ANSWER: He is 40 (YEARS OLD) OR He is TALL

[ENGLISH: My dad is 40 years old and he is tall.]

Question 8: **What** is Ali's favourite subject at school?

RECORDING:

German: Mein Lieblingsfach ist Informatik.

Italian: La mia materia preferita è l'informatica.

Spanish: Mi asignatura favorita es la informática.

French: Ma matière préférée est l'informatique.

ANSWER: IT/COMPUTING

[ENGLISH: My favourite subject is I.T. / computing]

Question 9: **What** pet(s) does Sam have?

RECORDING:

German: Ich habe einen Hund und zwei Katzen.

Italian: Ho un cane e due gatti.

Spanish: Tengo un perro y dos gatos.

French: J'ai un chien et deux chats.

ANSWER: ONE DOG AND TWO CATS

[ENGLISH: I have a dog and two cats.]

Question 10: Where is this person asking for directions to **AND what** would they like to purchase?

RECORDING:

German: Entschuldigung, wo ist der Supermarkt, bitte ? Ich möchte Brot kaufen.

Italian: Mi scusi, dove si trova il supermercato? Vorrei comprare del pane.

Spanish: Disculpe ¿Dónde está el supermercado? Quiero comprar pan.

French: Excusez-moi, où est le supermarché? Je voudrais acheter du pain.

ANSWER: SUPERMARKET & BREAD (both answers for 1 point)

[ENGLISH: Excuse me, where is the supermarket? I want to buy some bread.]

General knowledge language questions:

11. Belgium has three official languages: French, Dutch (Flemish) and German. Which one of them has the most speakers?

Dutch

12. Which language spoken in northern Spain and south-western France is unrelated to any other language and whose origin is still unknown?

Basque

13. The words *circus*, *manicure* and *territory* have their root in which language?

Latin

Note for speaker: the root words are circus, manus, terra.

14. Latvian is one of the two living languages from the Baltic Language Family. Which is the other one?

Lithuanian

15. *Kalimera* (**kal-ee-mer-ah**) is the word to say *good morning* in which language?

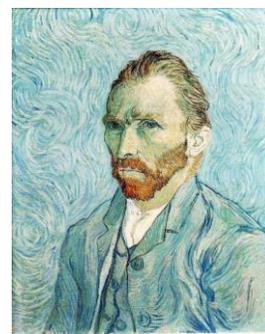
Greek

Euroquiz Final 2019
Round 3 (20 questions, answered in pairs)
Understanding Europe: History, Culture and European Affairs
(20 questions, answered in pairs)

1. What is the name of the Dutch artist who created these paintings?



Credits: Van Gogh Museum, Amsterdam (Vincent van Gogh Foundation)



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Vincent Van Gogh

2. What is the name of this popular Turkish dessert?



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Turkish Delight or 'Lokum'

3. Jean Monnet had the idea of creating the European Coal and Steel Community after the Second World War. Who was the other French statesman to drive the project forward?

Robert Schuman

4. Which country hosted the original Olympic Games?

Greece

5. Which Scottish Monarch born in 1542 was raised in France and returned to Scotland at the age of 18?

Mary, Queen of Scots

Note for speaker: Accept also Mary I or Mary Stuart

6. The game *Minecraft* was created by a company called Mojang. In which country is the company based?

Sweden

7. How did Europeans refer to *The Americas* when they were still exploring them?

- a. *The Mystic World*
- b. *The New World**
- c. *The Indian Territories*

8. “Tere” (**tehr-reh**) is the most common way to say “hello” in which country?

Estonia

9. Name 2 candidate countries to the European Union.

Possible answers: Turkey, Serbia, Montenegro, Albania, Republic of North Macedonia

10. What was the name of the Turkish Empire, also one of the largest and longest lasting Empires in history?

Ottoman Empire

Note for speaker: Time period: 1300-1922.

11. The Moomins are the central characters in a series of books originally published in which country?

Finland

12. The actress Saoirse Ronan holds dual citizenship of the US and of which other country?

Republic of Ireland

13. Which of the following is one of Europe's most endangered animals?

a) Wild boar

b) Monk seal*

c) Osprey

14. 'The Backstop' that we have heard so much about in the news could affect the border between which two countries?

Republic of Ireland and Northern Ireland/UK

15. The CE Marking symbol is attributed to products that:



a. Have no expiry date

b. Are produced by local enterprises

c. Meet the safety, health and environmental requirements of the EU*

Note for speaker: The symbol stands for Conformité Européenne (European Conformity).

16. Which Swedish chemist invented dynamite?

Alfred Nobel

17. Around 500 BC the city of Athens introduced 'government by the people'. People took decisions by voting. What word do we use today to describe this?

Democracy

18. Which animal is central in the legend of the founding of the city of Rome?

a. *A dog*

b. *A lion*

c. *A wolf**

19. The UK, the Republic of Ireland and Malta are three out of four EU Member States where people drive on the left. What is the fourth?

a. *Cyprus**

b. *Greece*

c. *Slovenia*

20. The 2017 animated film '*Ferdinand*' tells the story of a bull from which country?

Spain



Euroquiz 2019 Final
Round 4 (20 Questions for top two teams)
10 team questions followed by 10 buzzer questions

The first 10 questions alternate between the two teams. If a team answers incorrectly the question will be passed to the other team for a possible bonus point.

Team A

1. The music streaming app *Spotify* is from which country?

Sweden

Team B

2. Supercell, the developer of Clash of Clans, is from which country?

Finland

Team A

3. Which principality is located between Austria and Switzerland?

Liechtenstein

Team B

4. The Caribbean Island of Martinique belongs to which EU country?

France

Team A

5. Which Formula One driver was World Champion in 2018?

Lewis Hamilton

Team B

6. Which distance runner won Olympic gold medals in 2012 and 2016 in both the 5,000 and the 10,000 meters?

(Sir) Mohamed 'Mo' Farah

Team A

7. Which Germanic people established kingdoms in Spain and Italy during the Middle Ages?

The Goths

Team B

8. Which great Empire did the writers Cicero and Virgil come from?

The Roman Empire

Team A

9. Painter Salvador Dalí was from which country?

Spain

Team B

10. Painter Gustav Klimt was from which country?

Austria

Buzzer questions: Each question will be answered by the first team to buzz. There is no conferring once the buzzer has been pressed. A correct answer wins the point. If they answer incorrectly, the question will be passed to the other team for a possible bonus point. This team may confer.

11. What is the capital of Iceland?

Reykjavik

12. Gdańsk and Lublin (**loob-leen**) are cities in which European country?

Poland

13. What is the official language of Mozambique?

Portuguese

14. Which Shakespeare play is set in Denmark?

Hamlet

15. Which European country has won more medals than any other country in the history of the **Winter** Olympic Games?

Norway

16. *Bavaria* is part of which country?

Germany

17. Which is the smallest Member State in the EU?

Malta

18. Who wrote *The Chronicles of Narnia*?

C. S. Lewis

19. Frédéric Chopin was a composer from which country?

Poland

20. How many local authorities does Scotland have?

32

