

# Europe — Countries and Cultures Continued

Base Sheet

Activity Sheet

Deepening the Europe puzzle map work. The child revisits the countries learned last week and adds new ones: Sweden, Greece, and Russia. Brief cultural facts bring each country to life.

## What You Need:

- Europe puzzle map
- Control map
- Pictures of landmarks/foods from Sweden, Greece, Russia
- Flag cards for each country
- Work mat

## Steps:

1. Review: 'Can you find Italy, France, Spain, United Kingdom, and Germany on the map?' Child places these pieces.
2. Introduce Sweden. 'This long country in the north is Sweden. It is very cold there in winter and has beautiful forests.'
3. Introduce Greece. 'This country at the bottom is Greece. The ancient Greeks built amazing temples and started the Olympic Games!'
4. Introduce Russia. 'This HUGE country stretches all the way to Asia! It is the biggest country in the world.'
5. Three-period lesson for the new countries.
6. Share one cultural fact per country (food, landmark, tradition).
7. Child rebuilds the map including all 8 countries.

## Work Space:



