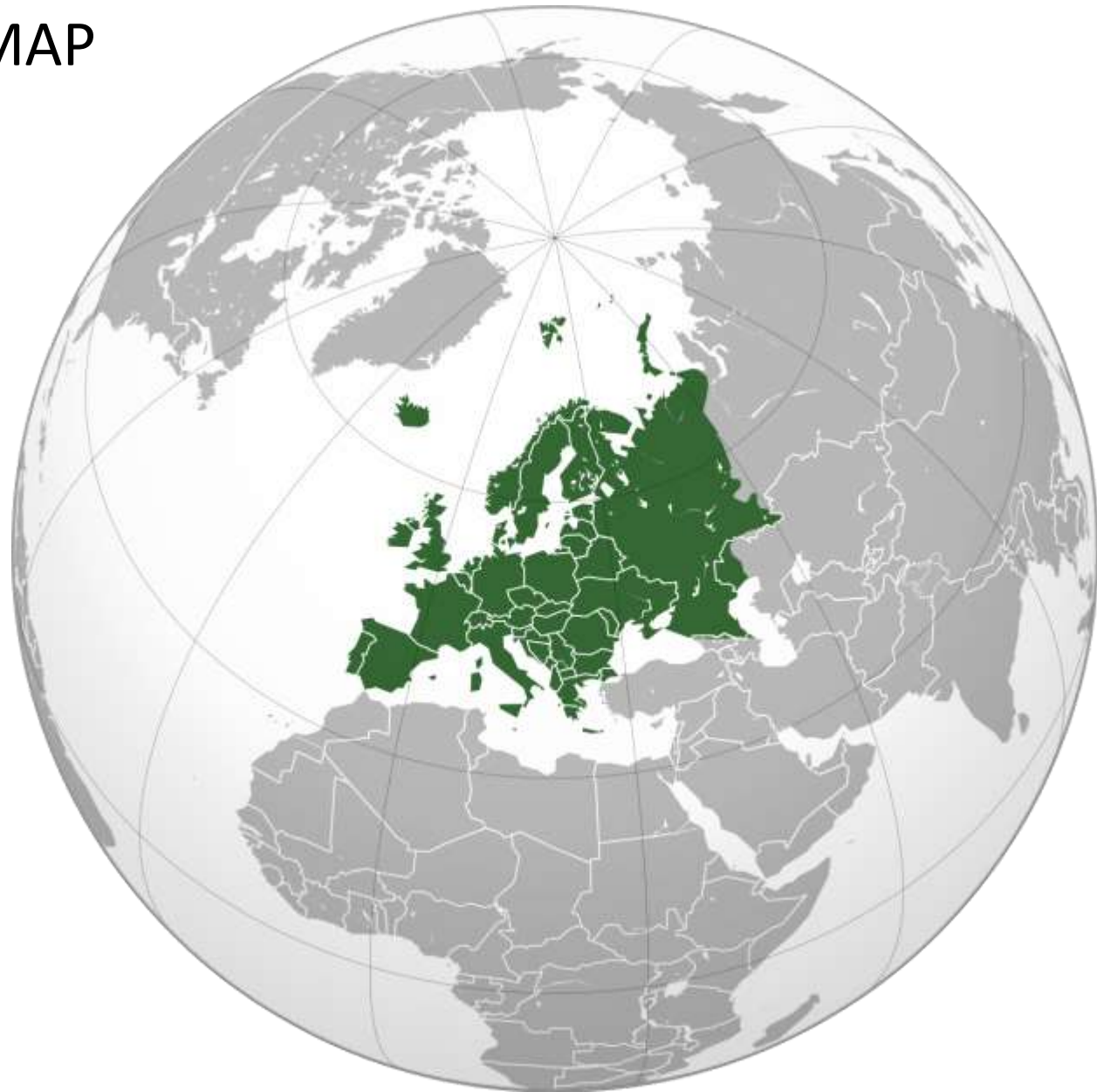


WORLD TOURISM DESTINATIONS

EUROPEAN CONTINENT

EUROPEAN CONTINENT IN THE GLOBAL MAP



EUROPE - SUBREGIONS

- EASTERN EUROPE
- WESTERN EUROPE
- NORTHERN EUROPE
- SOUTHERN EUROPE
- CENTRAL EUROPE

Countries in Europe: 44

1	Russia	145,934,462	Eastern Europe
2	Germany	83,783,942	Western Europe
3	United Kingdom	67,886,011	Northern Europe
4	France	65,273,511	Western Europe
5	Italy	60,461,826	Southern Europe
6	Spain	46,754,778	Southern Europe
7	Ukraine	43,733,762	Eastern Europe
8	Poland	37,846,611	Eastern Europe
9	Romania	19,237,691	Eastern Europe
10	Netherlands	17,134,872	Western Europe

11	<u>Belgium</u>	11,589,623	Western Europe
12	<u>Czech Republic (Czechia)</u>	10,708,981	Eastern Europe
13	<u>Greece</u>	10,423,054	Southern Europe
14	<u>Portugal</u>	10,196,709	Southern Europe
15	<u>Sweden</u>	10,099,265	Northern Europe
16	<u>Hungary</u>	9,660,351	Eastern Europe
17	<u>Belarus</u>	9,449,323	Eastern Europe
18	<u>Austria</u>	9,006,398	Western Europe
19	<u>Serbia</u>	8,737,371	Southern Europe
20	<u>Switzerland</u>	8,654,622	Western Europe

21	<u>Bulgaria</u>	6,948,445	Eastern Europe
22	<u>Denmark</u>	5,792,202	Northern Europe
23	<u>Finland</u>	5,540,720	Northern Europe
24	<u>Slovakia</u>	5,459,642	Eastern Europe
25	<u>Norway</u>	5,421,241	Northern Europe
26	<u>Ireland</u>	4,937,786	Northern Europe
27	<u>Croatia</u>	4,105,267	Southern Europe
28	<u>Moldova</u>	4,033,963	Eastern Europe
29	<u>Bosnia and Herzegovina</u>	3,280,819	Southern Europe
30	<u>Albania</u>	2,877,797	Southern Europe

31	Lithuania	2,722,289	Northern Europe
32	North Macedonia	2,083,374	Southern Europe
33	Slovenia	2,078,938	Southern Europe
34	Latvia	1,886,198	Northern Europe
35	Estonia	1,326,535	Northern Europe
36	Montenegro	628,066	Southern Europe
37	Luxembourg	625,978	Western Europe
38	Malta	441,543	Southern Europe
39	Iceland	341,243	Northern Europe
40	Andorra	77,265	Southern Europe
41	Monaco	39,242	Western Europe
42	Liechtenstein	38,128	Western Europe
43	San Marino	33,931	Southern Europe
44	Holy See	801	Southern Europe

EASTERN EUROPE



Eastern Europe

- Russia
- Ukraine
- Poland
- Romania
- Czech Republic
- Hungary
- Belarus
- Bulgaria
- Slovakia
- Moldova



NORTHERN EUROPE



- **Estonia.**
- Latvia.
- Lithuania.
- Denmark.
- Finland.
- **Iceland.**
- Norway.
- Sweden.



WESTERN EUROPE



Russia

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Netherlands

Belgium

France

Monaco

Germany

Luxembourg

Austria

Liechtenstein

Switzerland

NORTH ATLANTIC OCEAN

0 500 1000 Km
0 250 500 Miles

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LIST OF WESTERN EUROPEAN COUNTRIES

- ❖ **Austria**
- ❖ Belgium
- ❖ **France**
- ❖ Germany
- ❖ **Liechtenstein**
- ❖ Luxembourg
- ❖ Monaco
- ❖ Netherland
- ❖ **Switzerland**

SOUTHERN EUROPE



Sl. No.	Independent Country	Current Population	Capital
1	Turkey	82,003,882	Ankara
2	Italy	60,375,749	Rome
3	Spain	46,733,038	Madrid
4	Greece	10,741,165	Athens
5	Portugal	10,276,617	Lisbon
6	Serbia	7,001,444	Belgrade
7	Croatia	4,130,304	Zagreb
8	Bosnia and Herzegovina	3,301,000	Sarajevo
9	Albania	2,862,427	Tirana
10	Slovenia	2,080,908	Ljubljana
11	North Macedonia	2,075,301	Skopje
12	Montenegro	622,359	Podgorica
13	Malta	475,701	Valletta
14	Andorra	76,177	Andorra la Vella
15	San Marino	33,422	San Marino
16	Holy See	799	Vatican City

Central Europe



- Usually the **countries** considered to be **Central European** are
- Austria,
- Croatia,
- The Czech Republic,
- Germany,
- Hungary,
- Poland,
- Slovakia,
- Slovenia,
- Switzerland; in the broader sense Romania and Serbia too, occasionally also Belgium, the Netherlands, and Luxembourg.

Scandinavian Countries

A Brief Introduction to
Scandinavian Countries.



Scandinavia on World Map



Introduction

➤ Scandinavia

Refers to three Northern European countries.



1. Sweden



2. Norway



3. Denmark



• Finland



and Iceland are generally included,



(Sweden and Norway form Scandinavian Peninsula.)

Scandinavian Peninsula

- Peninsula is a portion of land nearly surrounded by water OR three sides are surrounded by water.

It

- is part of Scandinavia.
- Consists of two of the Scandinavian countries:

Norway Sweden

- ❖ Denmark geographical is part of North European Plain rather than peninsula itself.



1. Sweden

Capital: Stockholm



- Sweden is the largest country in Scandinavian countries, both in size of land and population.
- Sweden offers numerous lakes and sceneries to the tourists.

Official Language :-

Swedish Language

Temperature in Stockholm is -7°C

Currency

Swedish Korna (SEK).
1 SEK = 16.65 PKR



Stockholm, Sweden





Stockholm:-

Stockholm is the capital of Sweden.
It is the most populous city in Sweden
and on the Scandinavian peninsula.

Temperature in Stockholm is -7°C

Attractions

Liseberg

- Liseberg is an amusement park located in Gothenburg.
- One of the most visited amusement parks in Scandinavia.
- It is a pretty busy place.
 - Rollercoasters
 - Water rides

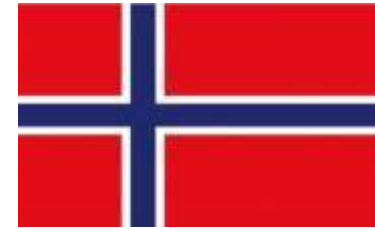


Oresund bridge ,Sweden

- One of the Mega structures.
- Bridge as well as tunnel.
- Sweden borders Norway and Finland,
and connected to Denmark by this bridge-tunnel.



2. Norway



- Western portion of the Scandinavian Peninsula
- North most country in Europe.
- Official name is **The Kingdom of Norway**
- Also called “The land of midnight Sun”.

• Norway is a jagged expanse of islands.

Official Languages

Norwegian Language and Nynorsk

Capital: Oslo

Temperature in Oslo is -7°C .

Currency

Norwegian krone (NOK).

1 NOK = **17.61** PKR



Mid Night Sun

★ During the Norwegian summer season, the sun never sets north of the Arctic Circle and for a couple of months the sun is visible 24 hours a day.



Oslo, Norway





Oslo:-

- Oslo is the capital of Norway.
- It is the most populous city in Norway.

Temperature in Oslo is -7°C

Attractions

Kristiansand Zoo and Amusement Park

- It is a Zoological garden and amusement park.
- It is Norway's most frequently visited attraction.



Northern Lights , Norway

- The Northern Lights are actually the result of collisions between gaseous particles in the Earth's atmosphere with charged particles released from the sun's atmosphere. Variations in colour are due to the type of gas particles that are colliding.



3. Denmark



- Southern most Scandinavian country.
- It is located south-west of Sweden, south of Norway, and bordered to the south by Germany.
- Consists of over 400 islands, Linked by bridges.
- A sovereign state in Northern Europe.
- Official name is

The Kingdom of Denmark

Danish Language

➔ Almost all of the Denmark is lowland flat, but there are many low hills as well.

Capital: Copenhagen

Temperature in Oslo is -4°C .

Currency

Danish krone (DKK).
1 DKK = 19.88 PKR



Copenhagena, Denmark



Capital of Denmark

- Copenhagen :-

- Copenhagen is the capital of Denmark. It is the most populous city of Denmark.

Temperature in Stockholm is -4°C

Attractions

Legoland , Denmark

It is a pretty busy place.

- Consists of
 - Polar X-Polerer
 - LEGO Canoe
 - Timber Ride
 - The Xtreme Racer
 - Mine Train



4. Finland



- It is bordered by Sweden to the west, Norway to the north and Russia to the east .
- Official name is

Republic of Finland

Official Languages :-

- Finnish Language
- Swedish Language

Capital:

Helsinki



Temperature in Helsinki is -3°C

Currency

Euro (EUR).

1 EUR = 148.36 PKR

Helsinki, Finland



Capital of Denmark

- Helsinki :-

- Copenhagen is the capital of Denmark. It is the most populous city of Denmark.

Temperature in Denmark is -3°C .

Angry Birds



A mobile phone game developed in Finland. Now, it has become a commercial hit both domestically and internationally.



5. Iceland



Official Language :-

Icelandic Language

Capital:

Reykjavik.

Temperature in Reykjavik. is 2 °C

Currency

Icelandic krona (ISK).

1 ISK = 0.91 PKR



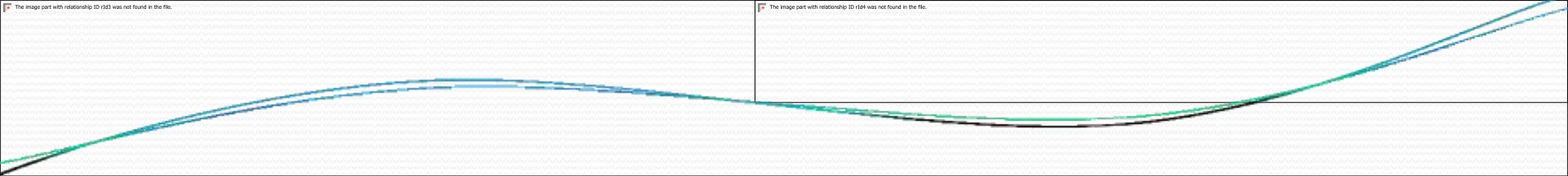
Iceland

Capital: Reykjavik

- **Scandinavia's** top attractions also include the geysers, especially the Blue Lagoon near Iceland's capital Reykjavik.

Blue Lagoon, Reykjavik





Blue Lagoon

- Blue Lagoon spa is one of the most visited attractions in Iceland.
- The water temperature in the bathing and swimming area of the lagoon averages 37–39 °C .
- The Blue Lagoon also operates a Research and Development facility to help find cures for other skin ailments using the mineral-rich water.

SCHENGEN COUNTRIES & VISA

WORLD TOURISM DESTINATIONS

AGENDA

- Background
- What is a Schengen Visa
- Who can apply
- How and where to apply
- Requirements
- Safety Advice

Background

- Schengen Agreement
Schengen Agreement signed on 14 June 1985, near the town of Schengen, Luxembourg
- This treaty that led most of the European countries towards abolishment of their national borders, to build a Europe without borders known as “Schengen Area”
- Initially there were five European countries France, Germany, Belgium, Luxemburg, and Netherlands and now it increased to 26.
- Liechtenstein was the 26th and the last country so far to sign the Schengen Agreement and become part of the Schengen Area.

What is a Schengen Visa?

- Visitor visa issued to citizens of countries who are required to obtain a visa before entering Europe.
- Can be used to travel to any (or all) member countries using one single visa.
- Purpose of visit must be leisure, tourism or business.
- Able to travel freely throughout the Schengen area for a maximum 90 days in a 6 month period.
- Not allowed to live permanently or work in Europe.

Types of Schengen Visa

- Short stay visa – this is the visa most students will require to travel within the Schengen space as tourists or to attend conferences
- Airport transit
- Short stay transit

Schengen Visa Countries

The following 26 countries are Schengen visa members:

Austria	Iceland	Poland
Belgium	Italy	Portugal
Czech Republic	Latvia	Slovakia
Denmark	Lichtenstein	Slovenia
Estonia	Lithuania	Spain
Finland	Luxembourg	Sweden
France	Malta	Switzerland
Germany	The Netherlands	
Greece	Norway	
Hungary		

Non-Schengen Countries

- Albania,
- Andorra,
- Armenia,
- Azerbaijan,
- Belarus,
- Bosnia & Herzegovina,
- Croatia,
- Cyprus,
- Georgia,
- Ireland,
- Kosovo,
- Macedonia,
- Moldova,
- Monaco,
- Montenegro,
- Romania,
- Russia,
- San Marino,
- Serbia,
- Turkey,
- Ukraine,
- The United Kingdom and
- The Vatican City

Who needs a Schengen Visa?

- Many non-European nationals will need a Schengen Visa to visit Europe.
- This presentation is for nationals that are required to apply for a Schengen visa

How do I apply?

- Complete the visa application form, which can be completed online or downloaded from the relevant Embassy website.
- Book an appointment at the Visa Processing Centre to give your biometrics and submit your application and original supporting documents. Some embassies use agencies e.g. VFS / TLS /BLS
- Apply 4-6 weeks before planned travel date.

Where do I apply?

- If visiting only one country in the Schengen space, you should apply to the embassy of that country.
- If visiting several of the 26 countries, you should apply to the embassy of whichever country is your 'main destination' - the country in which you plan to spend the most time during your trip.
- If visiting several countries in the Schengen space without having a main destination, you should submit an application to the embassy of the country where you will first enter the Schengen space.

What supporting documents will I need to provide?

1. A completed application form.
2. Original passport or official travel document.
3. Recent photograph(s).
4. Proof of purpose of the visit – invitation letter/tour booking/hotel booking/flight booking/conference invitation.
5. You should check that your current visa/BRP has at least **6 months** remaining when you return to the UK.

Supporting documents...con't

6. Evidence of sufficient funds to complete the trip between £55-£60 per day of your visit.
7. Visa fee (approx. £50)
9. Medical insurance to cover the entire trip.
10. Photocopy of application form and supporting documents.

Processing times

- Processing times vary between embassies and certain nationalities. Decisions made within 2-4 weeks
- Please check with the Embassy for accurate costs & processing times
- Recommend applying 4-6 weeks before intended travel (cannot apply more than 3 months before travel)

Safety Advice

Whilst travelling in Europe can be great fun and give you an opportunity to experience new cultures and see historic sights. It is important to keep yourself and your possessions safe while travelling. The following guide will assist you:

- Before you travel
- During your stay
- If your passport is lost or stolen

Tourism in Schengen Countries

The most visited Schengen countries

1. France
2. Spain
3. Italy
4. Germany



END