

Around the world – PORTUGAL – Activity Pack

Key Information

Read through these key facts to help you answer the questions!

President: Marcelo Rebelo de Sousa Trending

Capital: Lisbon

Population: 10.28 million (2019) Eurostat

A member of the United Nations and the European Union, **Portugal** was also one of the founding members of NATO, the eurozone, the OECD, and the Community of Portuguese Language Countries.

Capital and largest city: Lisbon; 38°46'N 9°9...

Currency: Euro (€) (EUR)

Calling code: +351

Date format: dd/mm/yyyy (CE)



Portugal is roughly a rectangle in shape; 561 km (350 miles) long and an average of 188 km (117 miles) wide. Its 88,550 sq. km (34,200 sq. miles) cover almost one seventh of the Iberian Peninsular.



Portugal is a southern European country on the Iberian Peninsula, bordering Spain. Its location on the Atlantic Ocean has influenced many aspects of its culture: salt cod and grilled sardines are national dishes, the Algarve's beaches are a major destination and much of the nation's architecture dates to the 1500s–1800s, when Portugal had a powerful maritime empire.

FAMOUS PORTUGUESE PEOPLE

EXPLORERS

- Bartolomeu Dias, Henry the Navigator, Vasco da Gama, Ferdinand Magellan, Pero de Covilha, Fernão Mendes Pinto, Gil Eanes, Pedro Álvares Cabral, Alexandre de Serpa Pinto

SPORTSMEN AND WOMEN

- Eusebio, Luis Figo, Cristiano Ronaldo, Jose Mourinho

LITERARY FIGURES

- Manuel Bocage, Luis de Camoes, Fernando Pessoa, Jose Saramago, Gil Vicente

FAMOUS PORTUGUESE WOMEN

- Mariza, Paula Rego, Amalia Rodrigues, Luísa Todi

POLITICIANS

- António Manuel de Oliveira Guterres, Marquis of Pombal, Antonio Salazar

ARTISTS

- Joaquim Machado de Castro, [José Malhoa](#)

Portugal Quiz Questions – Information Hunt

Can you answer these questions based on the information you have?

- 1) Which territories under Portuguese rule were liberated by India on 19 December 1961?
 - a) Goa, Diu and Daman
 - b) Dadra and Nagar Haveli
 - c) East Timor
 - d) Macao

- 2) Who came to India from Portugal in 1498?
 - a) Ferdinand Magellan
 - b) Abel Tasman
 - c) Vasco da Gama
 - d) Thomas Roe

- 3) Who scored nine goals in Football World Cup 1966?
 - a) Eusebio
 - b) Hector Silva
 - c) Jose Augusto
 - d) Lev Yashin

- 4) Which Portuguese colony was the largest?
 - a) Angola
 - b) Brazil
 - c) Cape Verde
 - d) Mozambique

- 5) When was monarchy abolished in Portugal?
 - a) 1822
 - b) 1876
 - c) 1910
 - d) 194

- 6) Which of the following rivers does not flow in Portugal?
 - a) Minho
 - b) Douro
 - c) Tejo

d) Tiber

7) When did Antonio de Oliveira Salazar come to power?

- a) 1914
- b) 1926
- c) 1912
- d) 1908

8) Which is the longest bridge in Europe?

- a) Lupu Bridge
- b) London Bridge
- c) Vasco da Gama Bridge
- d) Golden Gate Bridge

9) Which of the following universities is in Portugal?

- a) University of Coimbra
- b) Louvain University
- c) Sorbonne University
- d) Oxford University

10) How is the revolution of 1974 known?

- a) Carnation Revolution
- b) Orange Revolution
- c) Rose Revolution
- d) Velvet Revolution

Activity 2 - What information do we have about the different regions of Portugal?

Which areas would you like to visit? Explain your choices!



Activity 3 – Match up – can you find the following from these images?

Use your Information Pack and knowledge from above to help you!

Famous Portuguese People



ALEXANDRE DE SERPA
PINTO



AMALIA RODRIGUES



ANTÓNIO MANUEL DE
OLIVEIRA GUTERRES



BARTOLOMEU DIAS



CRISTIANO RONALDO



EUSEBIO



FERDINAND MAGELLAN



FERNANDO PESSOA



FERNÃO MENDES PINTO



FRANCISCO DE ARRUDA



GIL EANES



GIL VICENTE



HENRY THE NAVIGATOR



JOAQUIM MACHADO DE
CASTRO



JOSE MOURINHO



JOSE SARAMAGO



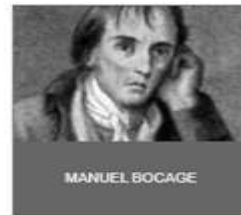
LUIS DE CAMOES



LUIS FIGO



LUÍSA TODI



MANUEL BOCAGE



MARIZA



MARQUIS OF POMBAL



PAULA REGO



PEDRO ÁLVARES CABRAL



PERO DE COVILHA



SALAZAR



SALGUEIRO MAIA



VASCO DA GAMA

1. Three Famous football players
2. Considered the contemporary voice of Portuguese literature
3. A Portuguese politician
4. A Portuguese navigator
5. Mariza is an artist of the most important form of musical expression in Portugal. What is it?
6. He played for an English football club

Activity 4

Evidence that suggests Portugal has many attractive places to visit	Evidence that suggests Portugal is a very traditional and cultural country
1.	1.
2.	2.
3.	3.
4.	4.
5.	5.
6.	6.

