

SCOTLAND COUNTRIES FOR KIDS FROM CASE OF ADVENTURE

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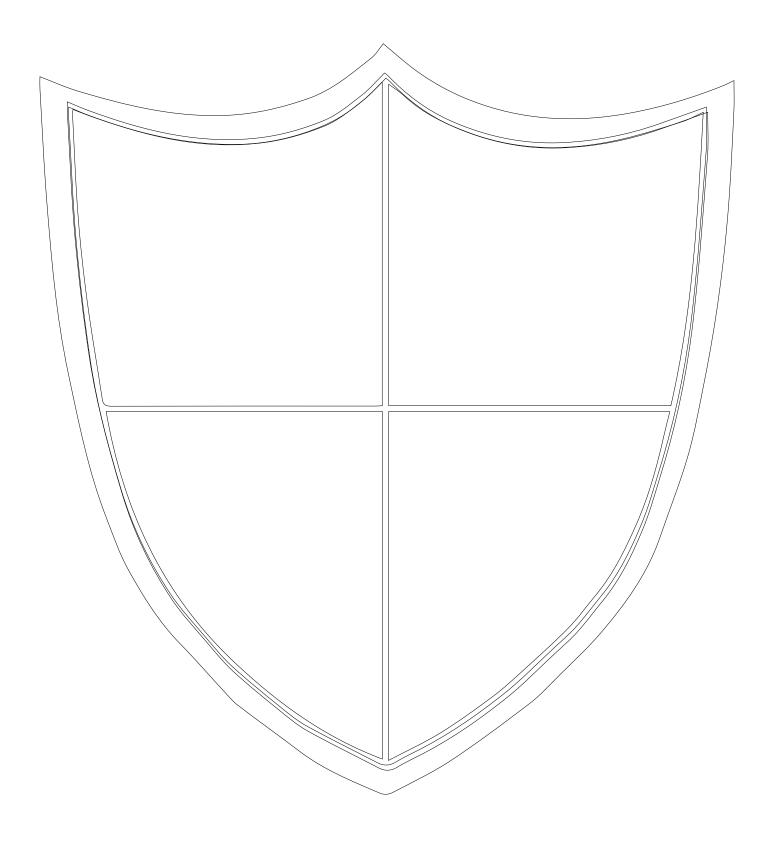
ENJOY!



SCOTLAND FUNFO

- 1. Scotland includes over 700 islands.
- 2. The highest mountain in Scotland is Ben Nevis which stands at a height of 1344 metres (4409 feet).
- 3. Scotland has over 300 railway stations.
- 4. In 1872, Scotland played England in the first international game of football (soccer). The result was a 0-0 draw.
- 5. Established in 1498, the Shores Porters Society in Aberdeen is the world's oldest transport company.
- 6. Scotland was an independent country until 1603. Then the king of Scotland became king of England, but the two country didn't merge their governments until 1707, to form the Kingdom of Great Britain.
- 7. The Bank of Scotland, founded in 1695, is the oldest surviving bank in the UK. It was also the first bank in Europe to print its own banknotes.
- 8. The Encyclopaedia Britannica, the world's oldest surviving encyclopedia was first published between 1768 and 1771 in Edinburgh.
- 9. Edinburgh was the first city in the world with its own fire brigade, in 1824.
- 10. The most infamous Scottish dish is haggis, normally made with sheep's 'pluck' (heart, liver, and lungs), minced with onion, oatmeal, suet, spices, and salt, mixed with stock, and traditionally boiled in the animal's stomach for approximately an hour. Although it is not known where it originated, a similar dish was already mentioned in Greece some 2,500 years ago.
- 11. Scottish dishes are well-known for their weird names, like Forfar Bridie (a meat pastry), Cock-a-leekie (soup), Crappit heid (fish dish), Finnan haddie (haddock fish), Arbroath Smokie (smoked haddock), Cullen Skink (haddock soup), Partan bree (seafood dish), Rumbledethumps, Skirlie...
- 12. Scotland is reputed for its whisky, known outside Scotland as Scotch Whisky. What few people know is that whisky was invented in China, and was first distilled by monks in Ireland in the early 15th century before reaching Scotland 100 years later.

Design your own coat of arms!























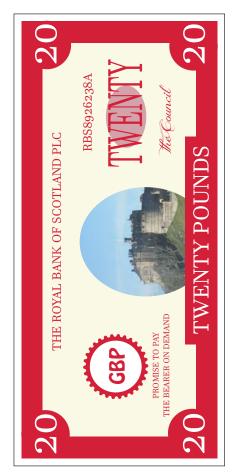




















SCOTLAND THE BRAVE

Hark when the night is falling
Hear! Hear the pipes are calling,
Loudly and proudly calling,
Down thro' the glen.
There where the hills are sleeping,
Now feel the blood a-leaping,
High as the spirits of the old Highland men.

CHORUS:

Towering in gallant fame,
Scotland my mountain hame,
High may your proud standards gloriously wave,
Land of my high endeavour,
Land of the shining river,
Land of my heart for ever,
Scotland the brave.

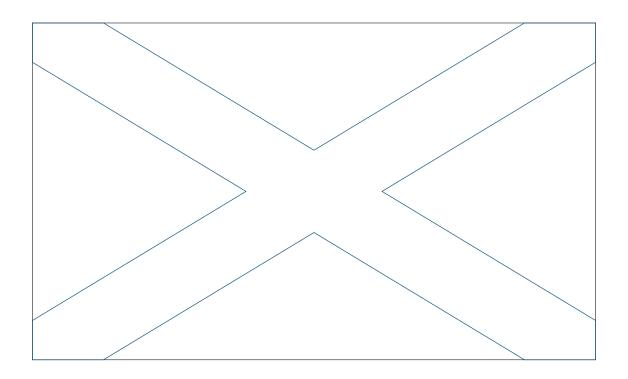
High in the misty Highlands,
Out by the purple islands,
Brave are the hearts that beat
Beneath Scottish skies.
Wild are the winds to meet you,
Staunch are the friends that greet you,
Kind as the love that shines from fair maidens' eyes.

CHORUS

Far off in sunlit places,
Sad are the Scottish faces,
Yearning to feel the kiss
Of sweet Scottish rain.
Where tropic skies are beaming,
Love sets the heart a-dreaming,
Longing and dreaming for the homeland again.

CHORUS

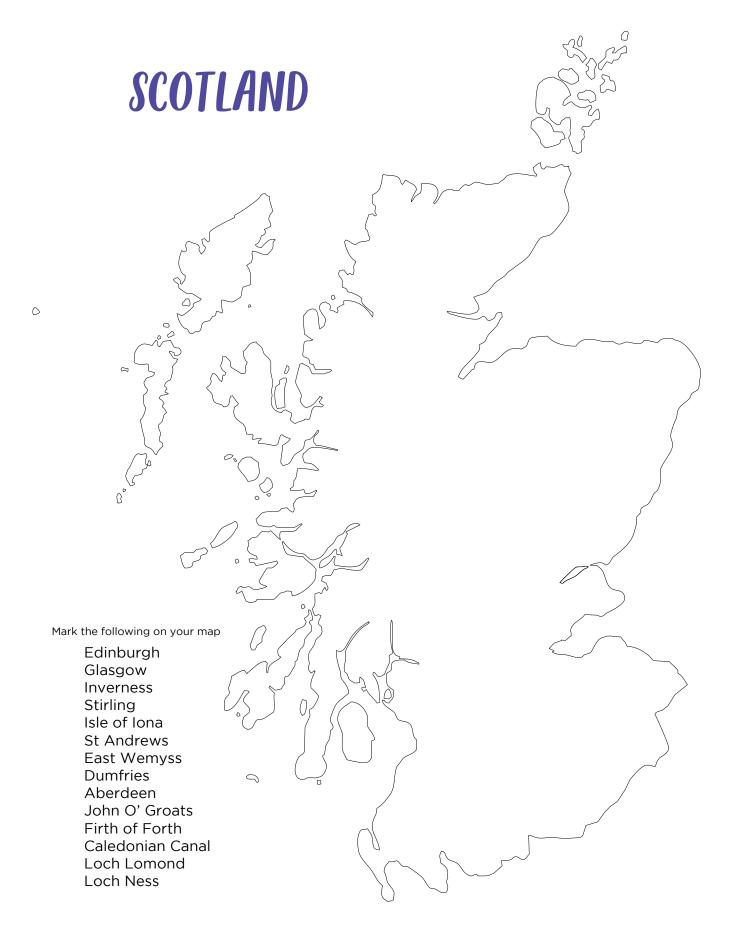




SCOTLAND MAP



^{*} Destination Scotland has a more detailed map of Scotland with fun kids graphics on it.

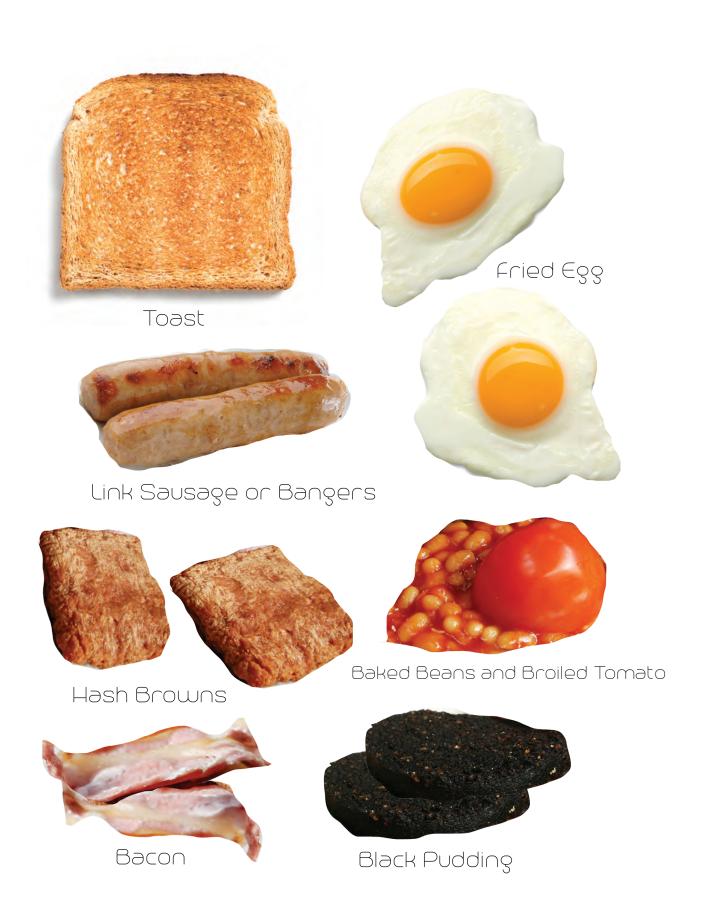


SCOTTISH BREAKFAST



Cut out food and assemble it on plate

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SCOTLAND FLAGS



The Flag of Scotland is a white X-shaped cross, which represents the cross of the patron saint of Scotland, Saint Andrew, on a blue sky.

The Union Jack represents the union of England, Scotland, Wales and Northern Ireland. It is a combination of historical flags from England, Scotland and Ireland.



Cut around two minibooks, fold on dotted line and paste or write text inside correct book.

Print the pop-up on cardstock. Mountain fold on the dotted line. Snip solid lines and fold so that the middle section forms a step. Paste picture standing up on front of step.

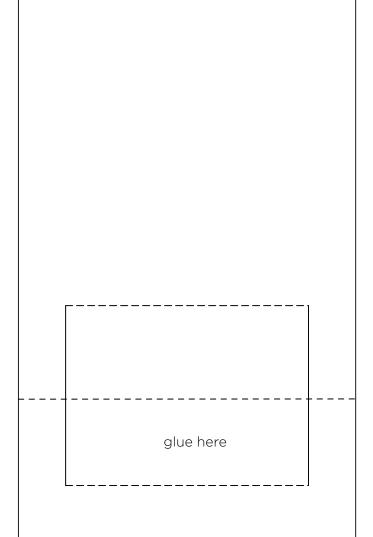
Paste cover on front of minibook.





Paste inside the pop-up



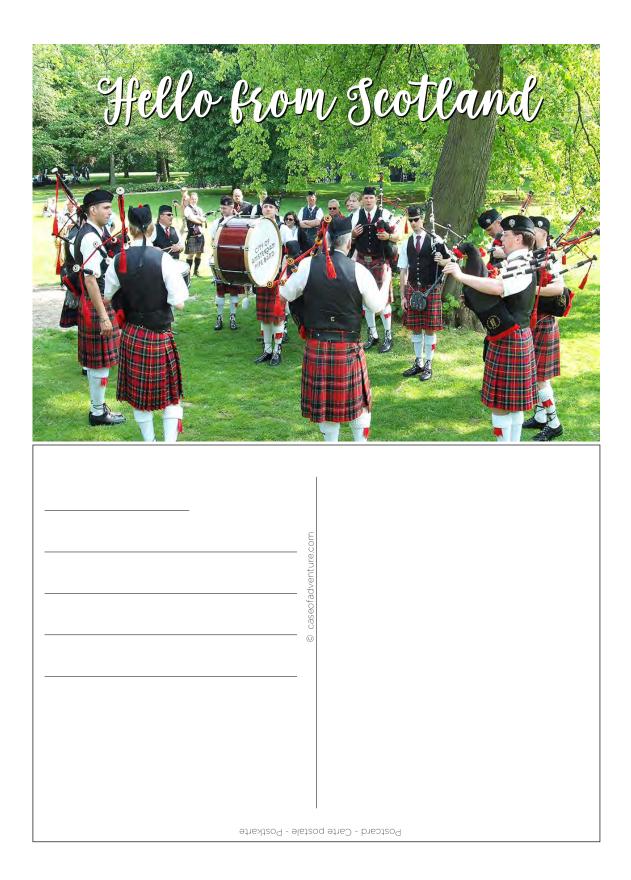


Shetland ponies are very popular ponies for children. They have thick coats and short legs, and are quite clever: some ponies can learn to undo door latches or run away with hats hoping for a chase! Shetlands come in almost every color. They are originally from the Shetland Isles, and because of the climate there, are very hardy. They are also very strong, and can pull twice their own weight! Most draft horses can only pull half their own weight. Shetland ponies have also been trained as guide ponies, just like guide dogs!

SCOTLAND WORDSEARCH

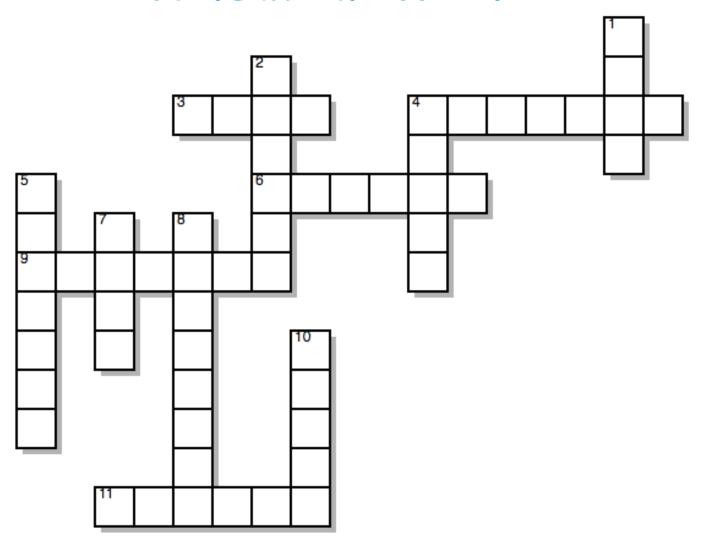
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Kilt Loch
Dagger Thistle
Tartan Plaid
Clan Scran
Knight Neeps
Sword Tatties
Cannon Tablet



Cut around the outside of both sides as one. Fold over and glue them back to back.

SCOTLAND CROSSWORD



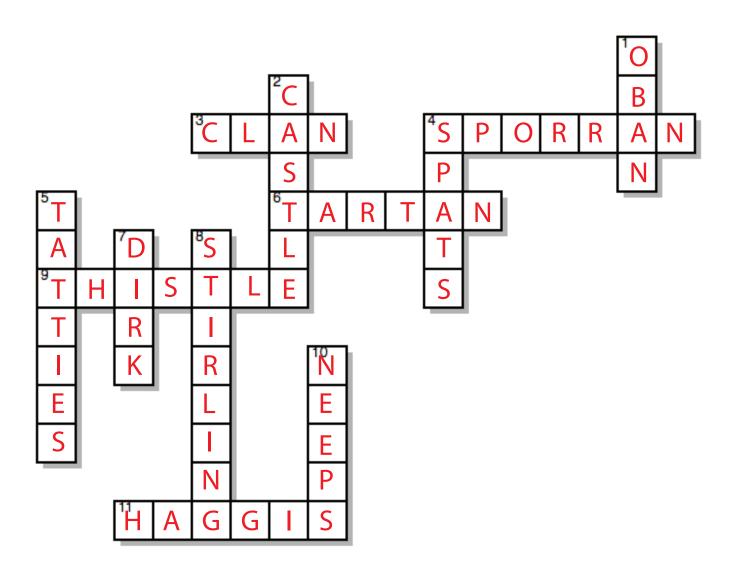
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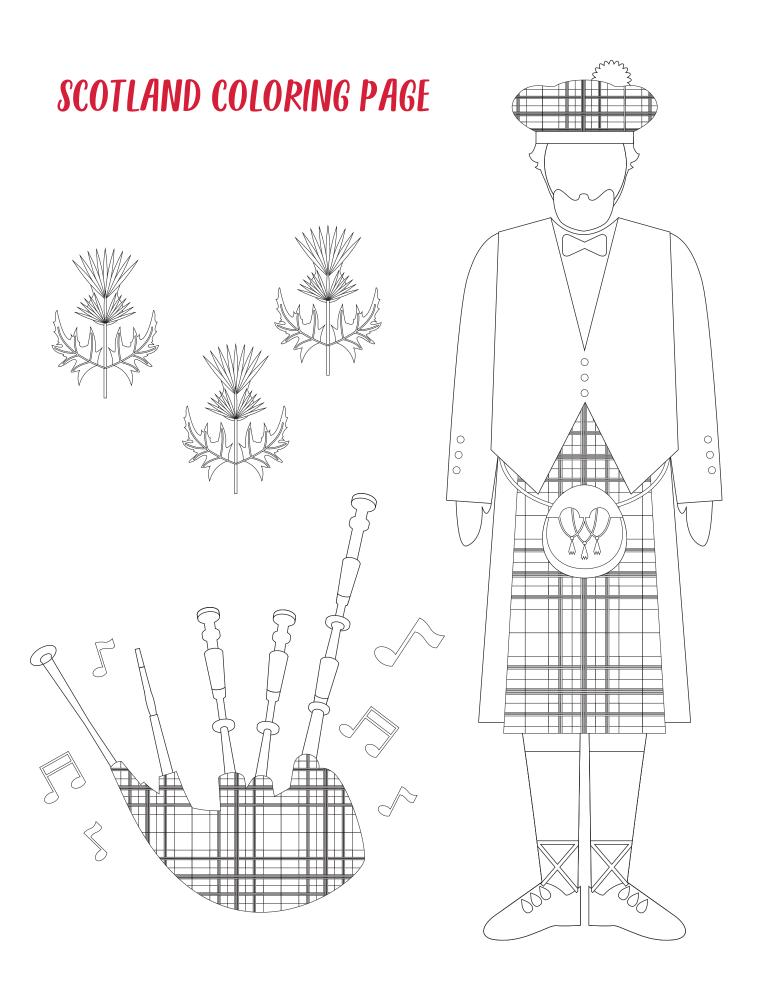
- 3 A Scottish family group
- 4 Leather purse worn around the waist of a Scottish piper
- 6 Pattern on a Scottish kilt
- 9 The flower of Scotland
- 11 A Scottish dish served with neeps and tatties

DOWN

- 1 Scottish port town called the 'Seafood capital of Scotland'
- 2 A large building fortified against attack with thick walls, battlements, towers, and often a moat
- 4 White shoe covers worn by Highland pipers
- 5 Scottish mashed potatoes
- 7 A short dagger of a kind formerly carried by Scottish Highlanders
- 8 Scottish city where the battle of Bannockburn took place
- 10 Mashed Scottish turnips

ANSWER KEY - SCOTLAND CROSSWORD





SCOTTISH SHORTBREAD





- 125g/4oz butter
- 55g/2oz caster sugar, plus extra to finish
- 180g/6oz plain flour
- pinch of salt



- 1. Heat the oven to 180C/356F
- 2. Mix together the flour, salt and sugar.
- 3. Rub in the butter until mixture is the consistency of breadcrumbs.
- 4. Press down into non-stick pan square or round.
- 5. Bake for 15 to 20 mins or until golden brown.
- 6. Sprinkle with castor sugar and slice as soon as it comes out of the oven.
- 7. Set aside to cool on a wire rack.

http://www.bbc.co.uk/food/recipes/shortbread_1290

DEEP-FRIED MARS BARS

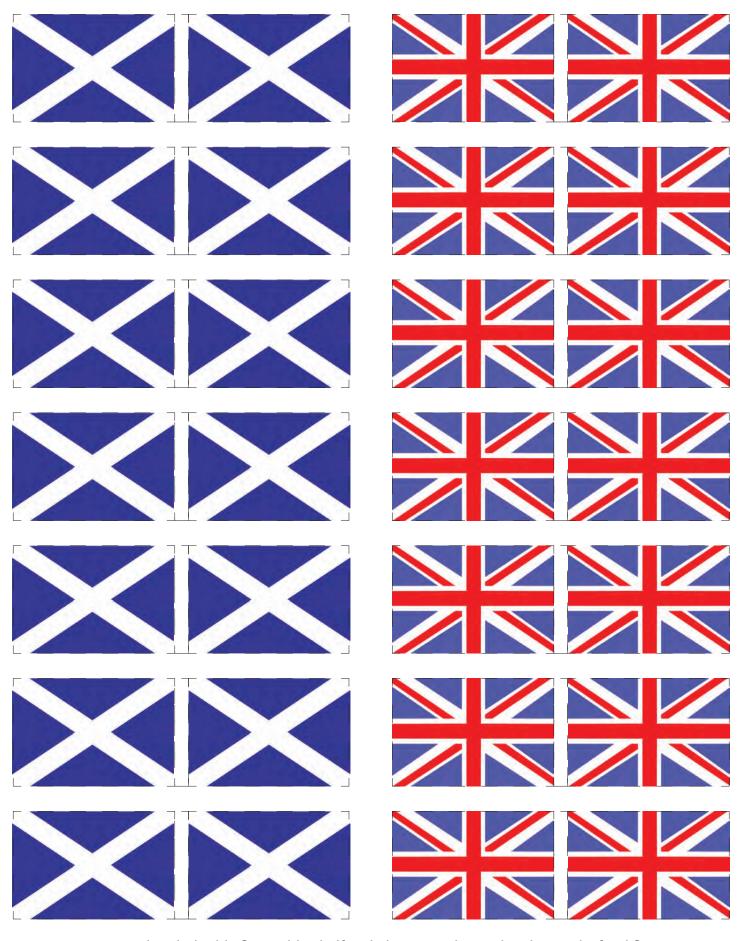




- 1/2 cup self-raising flour
- 1/2 cup cold water
- 1/4 tsp salt
- 12 whole Mars bar (small)
- 1 portion vegetable oil (for frying)



- 1. In a bowl, whisk together the flour, water and salt.
- 2..Heat the vegetable oil until hot (190°C).
- 3. Dip the Mars bars into the batter and drop into the oil.
- 4. Fry until golden. Drain on paper towel.



Cut around each double flag. Fold in half and glue around a toothpick to make food flags.

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