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LET'S VOTE

We cannot take democracy for granted. The right to vote is one of our most important freedoms as individuals. It ensures we have a voice and it ensures that our voices are heard. We need to stand up for the idea of democracy and one of the best ways to do this is to vote in elections.

Voting is one of most important right and civic responsibility for everyone. Our votes can make changes in our society. In fact, the winner of the election will represent you anyway and it will gonna effect our daily lives. Voting is important because without it citizens would not be able to choose the people who will run their government. This may be obvious, but elections have consequences. By casting your vote, you are using your voice to advocate for you, your community, and even future generations. Imagine if everyone thought, "it's just one vote, mine doesn't matter." Many people do!

Voting gives you an opportunity to be part of decision-making in country. If YOU don't Vote Others will make the decisions for YOU!

ALLIANCE

Alliance, in international relations, a formal agreement between two or more states for mutual support. Nowadays alliances Are NATO, UN, EU. Alliances arise from states' attempts to maintain a balance of power with each other. Geopolitical alliances can make decisions to start or to stop the war. They have their effects in our Daly life as well. For example, Before EU all the countries in the EU has their own currency but now, they have joint currency (EURO). UN decided to reduce using plastic bags and give priority to the recycle products. This all related and influence directly to our life and sometime changing our life. The countries joining any union must follow rules are in that union.



GREECE: THE IDEAL COMBINATION

Greece is considered by many people as an ideal destination during vacation and why not also for living. There are a variety of reasons to meet Greece at least once in your lifetime.

First of all, nowadays the majority of people trying to find affordable travel destinations and that's why Greece is the best option. You can find many things to do both on a budget or not. A variety of breathtaking landscapes are waiting for you. Greece is worldwide known as a country of islands both small and large according to every taste. There are also countless sandy beaches with crystal clear waters. Expect of the fact that Greece owns a network of beautiful islands has also an amazing nightlife which is one of the most important aspects of greek culture. We know how to have fun even on Mondays. Both in towns and islands you can have a drink and dance at the same time or even chill out eating local plates.

As far as it concerns food, Mediterranean greek cuisine is very popular all over the world. We have many delicious and healthy food options. The most common one is a street food (it's called souvlaki) which you can grab everywhere. It's also very cheap! My suggestion , is to definitely taste our local drink- tsipouro.

Moreover, except of our perfect, must-seen islands, Greece has many picturesque villages as well. If you want something more peaceful in order to rest you can absolutely check our villages. Wherever you go, you gonna enjoy greek hospitality. All greek take care of your entertainment and even treat you in order to taste some greek goodies.

Last but not least, greek cultural heritage should be mentioned too. Culture is an integral part of greek's life. Well-know as the birthplace of democracy, Greece has an impressive history and architecture. As a tourist you should definitely visit historical monuments such as Parthenon or Acropolis.

To sum up, Greece is a combination of many different things both for young and old people. You can have fun, you can rest and at the unison explore fascinating landscapes. In Greece you can live your best life! Aren't you convinced yet?

BE PREPARED

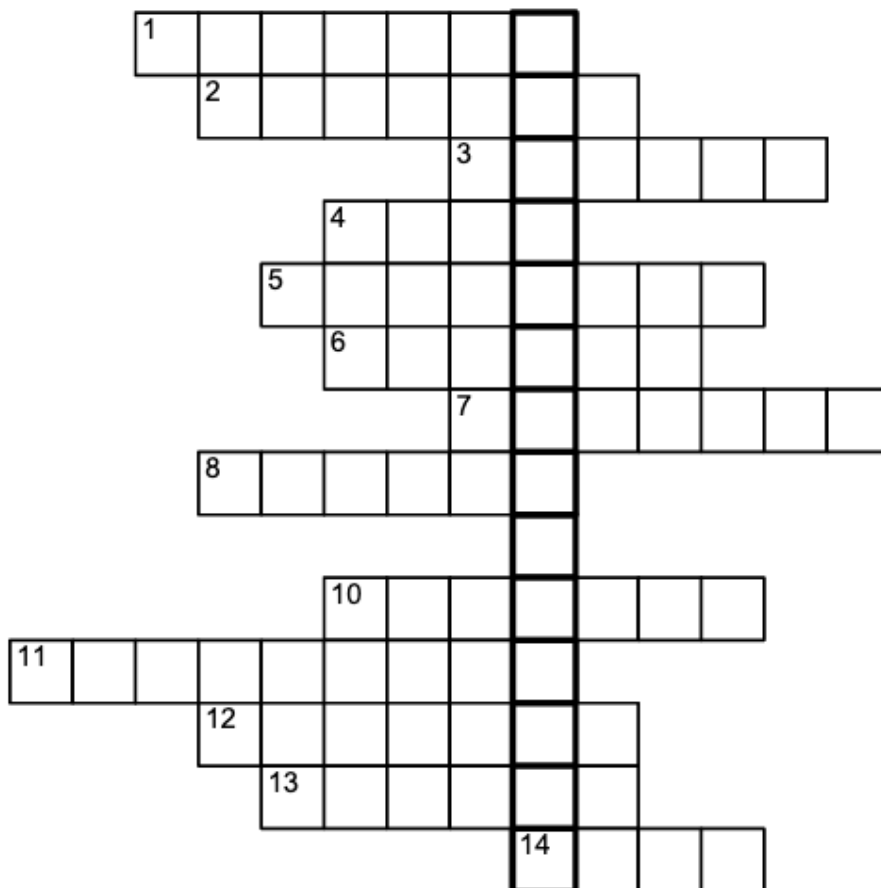
When going abroad it is very important to be informed about the particular country you are traveling to. The lack of preparation can lead to unexpected scenarios which may cause negative experiences.

It is not only important to know what kind of clothes to bring, what kind of weather it is going to be there or what plane ticket to buy.

People should be aware of important things like what the currency is and if it is possible to withdraw the money from local ATMs. It is also crucial to know what the social and political situation is and how to dress appropriately. Some of the topics may be taboo in that specific country or may be perceived differently. Some countries consider it rude to tip the waitress in the restaurant, some, on the other hand, require it. Some countries have strict alcohol consumption rules which may get you in a lot of trouble. You also have to be aware of different dangerous diseases you might need a vaccination for. In addition, you should always have travel insurance.

These and more are all important things on the list of what you should be acquainted with the important information. You should do thorough research before entering the country in order to enjoy your stay and not to be surprised by any scenarios.

A CROSSWORD TO CHECK YOUR KNOWLEDGE



THE CLUES

1. Which country rejected the treaty establishing a constitution for Europe?
2. Which is one of the founding members of the EU?
3. How do we call a withdrawal of the UK from the EU?
4. The EU created a new form of currency called the...
5. The name of the treaty to reform the institutions in preparation for Portugal and Spain's memberships is called the Single _____ Act.
6. Which country became a member of the EU in 1981?
7. What is the name of the EU's own global satellite navigation system?
8. Which member country is one of the six monarchies in the EU?
9. Who was one of the founding fathers of the EU?
10. Who is the author of the Anthem of Europe?
11. Which member country is the latest country to join the EU?
12. In which European city was the latest treaty signed?
13. Under which alliance are EU members protecting their countries?



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