

Final Project: Country Profile

Name: _____ Date: _____

LEARNING OBJECTIVE

The student will synthesize religion and government knowledge from the quarter into an original country profile poster.

MATERIALS NEEDED

- Poster board or large paper
- Ruler
- Markers or colored pencils
- Research notes from Weeks 1-8
- Glue stick (optional, for adding cut-out images)

HANDS-ON ACTIVITY

1. Choose a real country to profile (can be the same one from Week 8 or a new one) and research its dominant or official religion(s) and its type of government.
2. Divide your poster into 4 labeled sections: Basic Facts (capital, population, location), Government, Religion, and Culture/Symbols.
3. In the Government section, describe the government type and draw a simple diagram of how power is structured (using what you learned in Week 7).
4. In the Religion section, describe the major religion(s) practiced there and draw its main symbol (using what you learned in Weeks 1-5).
5. Add a hand-drawn or traced outline of the country's flag and a small map showing its location in the Culture/Symbols section, then present your finished country profile.

QUESTIONS

1. What country did you profile, and what is its official or dominant type of government?
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2. What is the major religion (or religions) practiced in your chosen country?
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3. How might the dominant religion in a country influence its government or laws? Give an example from your research if possible.

4. Of everything you learned this quarter about world religions and governments, what was the most surprising fact, and why?
