

Fill in the Blanks

Follow the instructions to complete the activity.

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Using the information found in the book, fill in the missing information below.

1. types of deer live in Ireland.
2. The Wicklow Mountains are located on the republic's coast.
3. The Republic of Ireland's main natural resources are minerals and sources.
4. Across the island on the southwest coast lies the Peninsula.
5. Legend says that anyone who kisses the will receive the gift of eloquence.
6. The were known for their beehive huts. The best-known and most intact ruins are found in County Kerry.
7. In , Vikings began arriving on the shores of Ireland.



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1. What height is the highest of the Cliffs of Moher?

2. What area is covered by Ireland's bogs?

3. How many people are employed in Ireland's natural resources sector?

4. How many overseas visitors came to Ireland in 2018?



Write a Letter

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Think about what it must be like to visit the Republic of Ireland. Imagine you are traveling in the Republic of Ireland. Write a letter home describing your trip. The letter should include the most exciting features of visiting the Republic of Ireland. Where are you staying? What famous sites have you explored? What kinds of food have you tried?



True or False

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Using information found in the book, verify whether the following statements are true or false. Check your answers in the book. List the page number where you found the information beside your answer.

Statement 1 The most popular destination for tourists is Cork. True False Page Number

Statement 2 At the end of 2018, Ireland's employment rate stood at almost 70 percent. True False Page Number

Statement 3 Irish stew is traditionally made with chicken and served with rice. True False Page Number

Statement 4 Henry II had been king of England for 13 years before gaining control of Ireland. True False Page Number

Statement 5 Peat has been an important fuel source in Ireland for centuries. True False Page Number



Exploring the Republic of Ireland

Fill in the blanks on this map of the Republic of Ireland.

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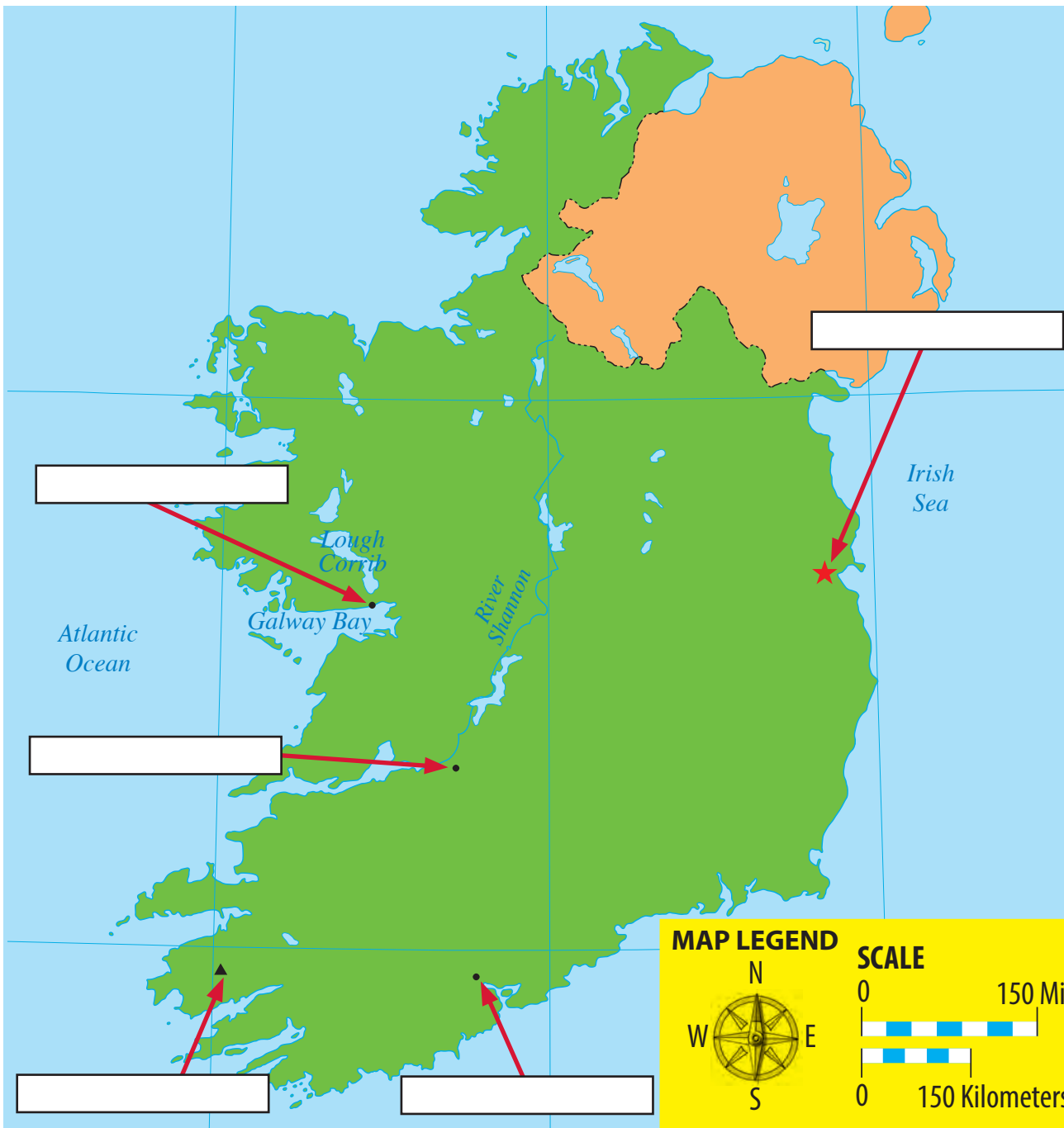
Carrauntoohil

Cork

Dublin

Galway

Limerick



MAP LEGEND



SCALE



Key Words Match-Up

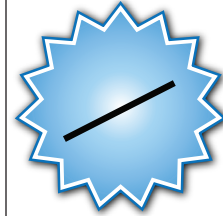
Write the words from the list below in the box above the correct definition for each word.

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KEY WORDS

ambassadors	clans	eurozone
ancestry	commodity	exported
archaeologists	constitution	famine
artifact	cosmopolitan	Gulf Stream
bogs	economies	imports
Bronze Age	employment rate	
civil war	European Union (EU)	



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- referring to people in one's family or cultural group in past times
- an object made by humans
- a prehistoric period when bronze was the prime resource for making tools and weapons
- groups of families that are related to each other
- a written document stating a country's or area's basic principles and laws
- the wealth and resources of countries or areas
- a political and economic organization that has more than two dozen member countries
- sold goods to another country
- the current of warm water that flows from the Gulf of Mexico toward Europe
- people who act as representatives for a country or activity
- scientists who study human life and activities by examining objects
- areas of soft, wet earth
- a war between citizens of the same country
- an economic resource or product
- containing people from many countries
- the percentage of the labor force that is working
- the group of EU nations whose national currency is the euro
- an extreme scarcity of food
- buys goods from other countries



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Iron Age	parliamentary democracy	renewable energy	start-up
mammals	peninsula	republic	Stone Age
minerals	plains	rural	treaty
multicultural	progressive	spawn	urban
nomadic	prose	species	

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animals that have hair or fur and drink milk from their mother</p> <p>21. <input type="text"/>
containing several cultural or ethnic groups</p> <p>22. <input type="text"/>
a form of government in which the party with the greatest representation in the legislature forms the government</p> <p>23. <input type="text"/>
flat, treeless areas</p> <p>24. <input type="text"/>
language written in its ordinary form</p> <p>25. <input type="text"/>
a form of government in which the head of state is elected</p> <p>26. <input type="text"/>
to release or deposit eggs</p> <p>27. <input type="text"/>
a new company</p> <p>28. <input type="text"/>
a negotiated agreement</p> <p>29. <input type="text"/>
a prehistoric period when iron was the main resource for making tools and weapons</p> | <p>30. <input type="text"/>
natural substances that are neither plants nor animals</p> <p>31. <input type="text"/>
moving often</p> <p>32. <input type="text"/>
an area of land surrounded by water on three sides</p> <p>33. <input type="text"/>
favoring progress, change, and improvement</p> <p>34. <input type="text"/>
forms of energy produced from resources that will not be used up over time</p> <p>35. <input type="text"/>
of the country</p> <p>36. <input type="text"/>
groups of individuals with common characteristics</p> <p>37. <input type="text"/>
groups of plants or animals with common characteristics</p> <p>38. <input type="text"/>
a prehistoric period when weapons and tools were made of stone or organic materials</p> <p>39. <input type="text"/>
relating to a town or city</p> |
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1 How many counties make up the Republic of Ireland?

2 What is the nickname given to Ireland for its many shades of green?

3 What is the Republic of Ireland's national symbol?

4 What natural fuel is found in Irish bogs?

5 Where is the *Book of Kells* kept?

6 In what city is Silicon Docks located?

7 Which economic sector employs the most Irish workers?

8 Which Irish high king was killed by Vikings?

9 What food crop failed in the 1840s, leading to the Great Famine?

10 What two Irish sports are represented by the GAA?

