

## KNOWLEDGE OF THE EUROPEAN UNION AND EUROPE

- On the map, places a star on the first 6 founding countries of today's European Union .
- • Combine the country and its flag with the same number and then place it on the blank map.
  - Primary level: 10 countries minimum
  - Lower secondary level: 20 countries minimum
  - Upper secondary level: all 27 countries

- Name three European countries that do not belong to the EU and mark them on the map. (Five for secondary school )


- What are the two capitals of the EU (where the European Parliament meets)

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- The motto of the European Union.....

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Explain in one sentence what this means to you

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- Another organization in Europe brings together 46 countries, its primary mission is to defend human rights. What is her name ? Where is its headquarters located?

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## Flags



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## The countries of the European Union

GERMANY

AUSTRIA

BELGIUM

BULGARIA

CYPRUS

CROATIA

DENMARK

SPAIN

ESTONIA

FINLAND

FRANCE

GREECE

HUNGARY

IRELAND

ITALY

LITHUANIA

LUXEMBOURG

MALTA

NETHERLANDS

POLAND

PORTUGAL

CZECH REPUBLIC

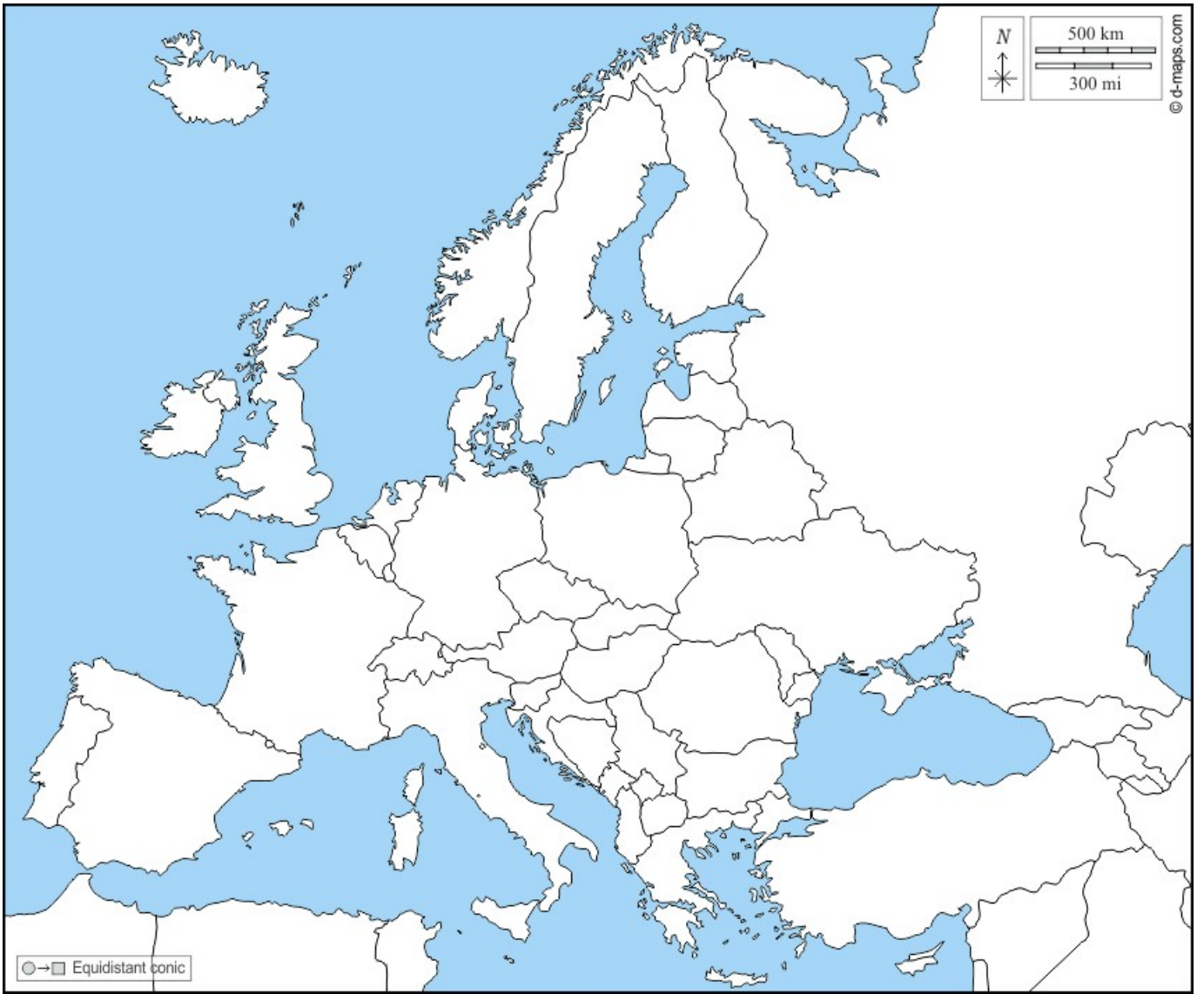
ROMANIA

SLOVAKIA

SLOVENIA

SWEDEN

LATVIA



## Secondary schools

### ● European institutions

European Commission

brings together the Heads of State or Government of the Member States up to four times a year. These “summits” are used to define the major political orientations of the Union.

European Parliament

participates in the drafting of laws and the Union budget

Conseil européen

proposes European laws according to what has been decided by the European Council

### ● European Commission

How is it composed?

### ● European Parliament

*complete the text*

The European elections take place every ..... years. The next elections will take place in... Each Member State has a fixed number of Members of the European Parliament, ranging from six for the three smallest countries which are ....., to 96 for ....., for a total of 705 deputies.