



#### Let's Learn About Scotland





#### Where is Scotland?





## Map of Scotland



#### A Few Facts About Scotland

- The capital of Scotland is Edinburgh.
- The money used is called the pound sterling.
- The population of Scotland is 4,996,000.
- The language spoken is English.
- Scotland is part of the United Kingdom.

## Let's Visit Some Important Cities in Scotland

#### Edinburgh







Edinburgh is the capital city.



#### Glasgow











### Famous Sights in Scotland

• Stirling Castle



Stirling Castle is from medieval times and is near Edinburgh. It is open to visitors.



#### Famous Castles and Historic Houses







Ancient Stones of Scotland





## What Scottish Kids Do

- Scottish kids enjoy many sports. They play football, soccer, rugby, squash and golf.
- They like to bicycle, hike and fish in the summer. In the winter they ski and sled.

## Scotland's Important People

- Alexander Graham Bell inventor of the telephone
- Andrew Carnegie -came to the U.S. and made a fortune in the iron and steel business. He gave money to build many of our libraries.
- Sean Connery an actor who starred the in the first James Bond movies.
- Sir Arthur Conan Doyle the author of Sherlock Holmes mysteries.
- Sheena Easton famous pop singer
- Captain Kidd a famous pirate
- John Muir -founded our U.S. National Park system
- Robert Louis Stevenson author of <u>Treasure Island</u>

# Scotland is famous for ...

- Haggis- a food made from the organs of sheep and oatmeal.
- Kilts traditional Scottish woolen cloth costume with a tartan or plaid pattern. This is a skirt that men wear.
- Bagpipers people who play the bagpipes, a traditional Scottish instrument





### Scottish Culture



• Scots celebrate many holidays.



Scottish families are called clans and each clan has a special plaid to show what their family is. These are the plaids on their kilts.



#### What Scots Like to Eat



