# **CANADA**



### **Flag of Canada**



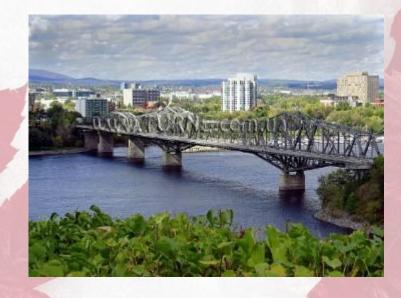


## Maple leaf – the most important symbol of the country

The capilal is Ottawa







Its currency is the Canadian dollar

#### **Provinces and territories**

Canada consists of ten provinces and two territories.



### Official languages



Official languages of Canada are English and French. Nearly 60 percent of the population speak English and 27 percent speak French.

The name Canada is believed to come from the Indian word Kanata, meaning "village" or "community".

This fact alone shows that the native population of the country consisted mostly of Indian tribes.



#### Canada



Canada has an area of nearly ten million square kilometers. It is the second largest country in the world after Russia.

canada is situated in the northern part of the continent of North America. It does not include Alaska.





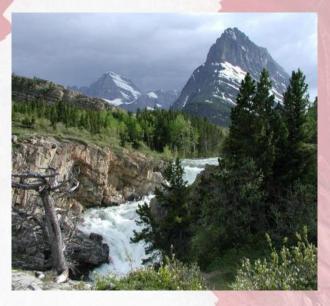
Types of land It has many different types of land: arctic tundra, mountains, forests, high plains, lakes and rivers, islands and

The Rocky Mountains and the even a desert.

**Coast Mountains run along** 







#### Water



Water is everywhere in Canada. This country contains more freshwater than any other country — 25 per cent of the world's resources.

#### Lakes

Canada is a country of lakes. It has seven of the world's largest lakes.









The southern areas are populated as it is moderate climate there.

The north is characterized by very long, cold winters and cool summer months.

The most humid areas are in the west, where winds from the Pacific Ocean bring a lot of rain.



#### **Forests**



Canada is very rich in forest, minerals and fur-bearing animals. It holds the first place in the world in the amount of forests.





Forests cover about half of Canada.

They are the basis for such important industries such as lumbering and paper production.

Forests also give home to deer and caribou, squirrels, minks, skunks, mooses, beavers, black bears and other animals.

#### Canada is rich in

















Canadian industries produce cars, airliners, locomotives, sea vessels, snow-removal machines, and agricultural equipment.

The most developed industries are timber, mining, chemical, meat and milk and food industries.









beaver

mink

skunk



black bear

moose

squirrel



caribou





#### **Ottawa**



The capital of Canada is Ottawa, which is situated on the bank of the Ottawa River. It is famous for its beautiful parks. It is also known as the city of bridges.

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реки Оттавы. Она
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красивыми парками.
Оттава также известна
как город мостов.







