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(EESTI)

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You don't need toys to have fun! Estonians had a brilliant idea to clean up illegally-dumped rubbish in forests, lakes, seashores and rivers. They made a fun campaign and created a groovy vibe around it. They called the movement '**Teeme ära!**' (Let's do it!) and got a huge number of people involved: more than 50 000 in 2008. The idea travelled around the world and by 2015, 12 million volunteers in 112 countries had helped to clean up parks, forests, playgrounds and neighbourhoods.



* 'Tere' means
'hello' in
Estonian



Spot the items that don't belong in the forest.



IRELAND

(ÉIRE)

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Everybody knows Irish people love music! Their musical tradition is alive and vibrant; you can even hear its influence in popular music today. This band is playing some traditional instruments, which are decorated with Celtic patterns.



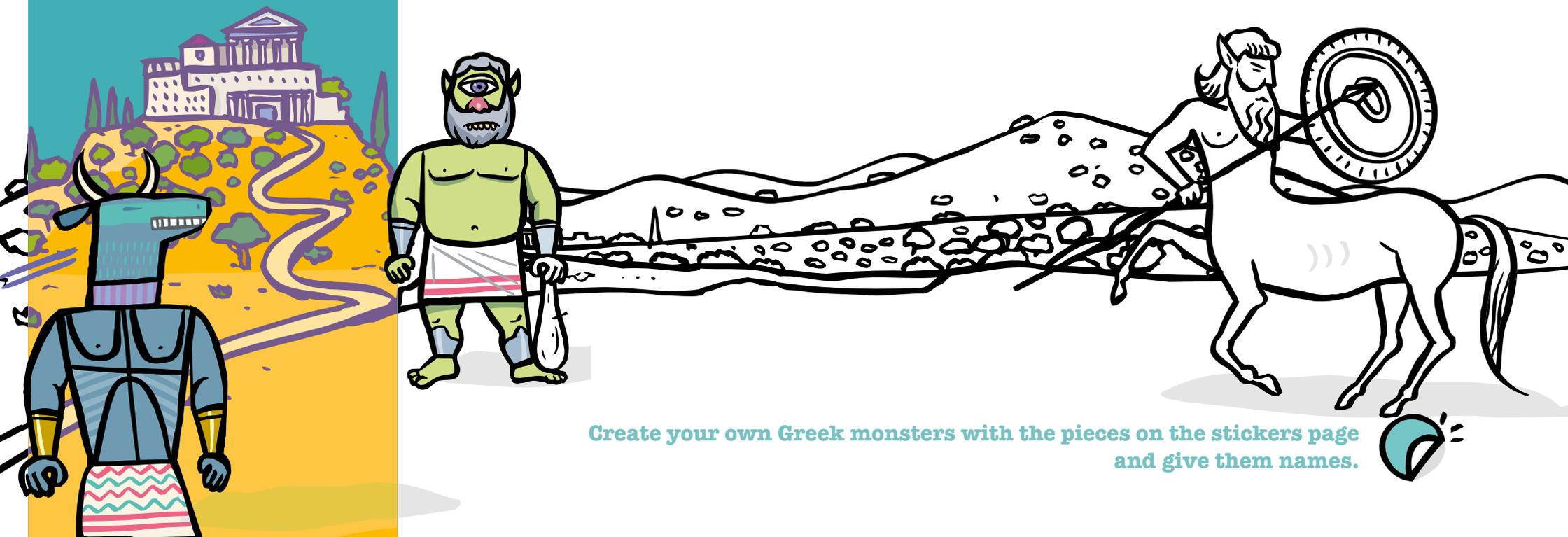
Colour in the Celtic patterns on the bodhrán and the landscape

GREECE

(ΕΛΛΑΔΑ)

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In Greek mythology there are gods, goddesses and lots of fascinating monsters! Some are strange human and animal combinations such as the **Centaur**, half man and half horse, the **Minotaur**, a man with a bull's head, and the **Cyclops**, a giant with only one eye. Sometimes **sirens** appear with a fish's tail and other times they have the body of a bird, like the one you see here.



Create your own Greek monsters with the pieces on the stickers page and give them names.

FRANCE

(FRANCE)

French people are proud of their cuisine, great chefs, chocolatiers and especially of their pastry! The **croissant** is one of their favourite foods for breakfast. Although the specialities in the picture are typically French, they are called '**viennoiseries**' (things from Vienna) because they were actually introduced in Paris by a Viennese baker in the 19th century. As you can see, each pastry's name is inspired by its shape.

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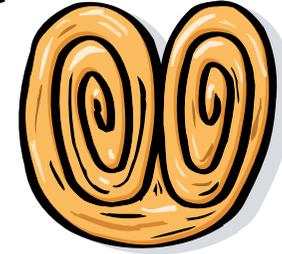
 Croissant
Crescent



 Escargot
Snail



 Palmier
Palm tree



Design your own French pastry and invent a name for it.





Draw a pattern on the soldiers' cravats and colour it in!

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CROATIA

(HRVATSKA)

Have you ever wondered why men wear ties? The **'cravat'** (it sounds a bit like 'Croat', doesn't it?) was worn by brave Croatian soldiers to tie round the top of their jackets. This scarf was named after them. Its use spread throughout Europe in the 17th century.

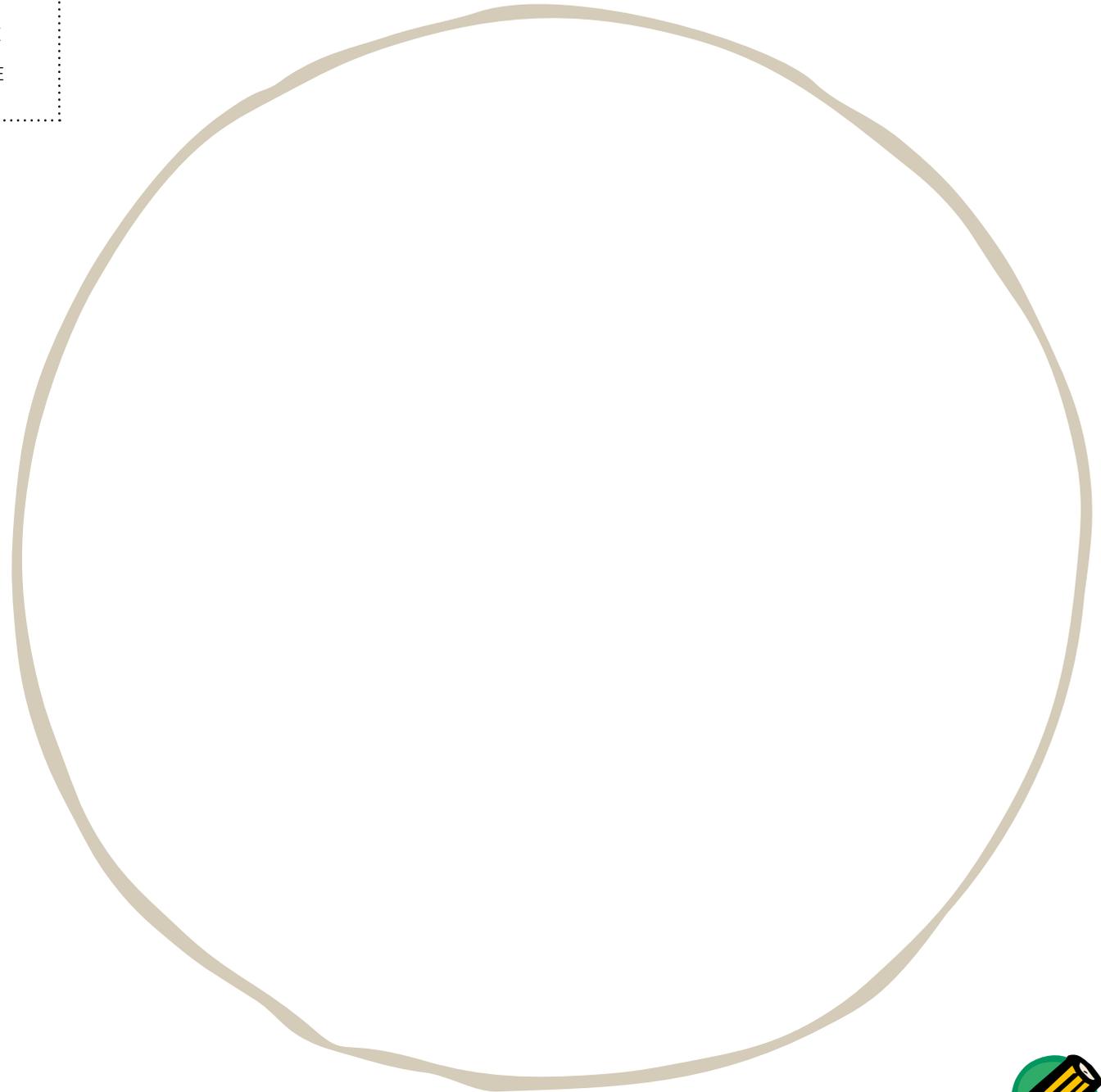


ITALY

(ITALIA)

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First you roll out the dough and spread the *pomodoro* (tomato) on top and then you add your favourite toppings. You've got it! **Pizza**, the great Italian invention that everybody loves!



Draw and colour the ingredients to create your favourite pizza!



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CYPRUS

(ΚΥΠΡΟΣ)

According to the ancient Greek legend, **Aphrodite**, goddess of beauty, was born in Cyprus. Her skin was said to be 'whiter than ivory, her hair as golden as the setting sun and her eyes were as blue as the summer sky'.



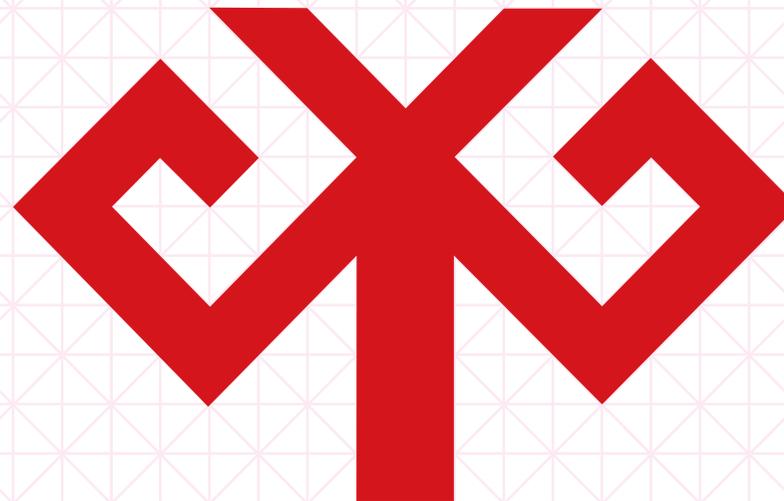
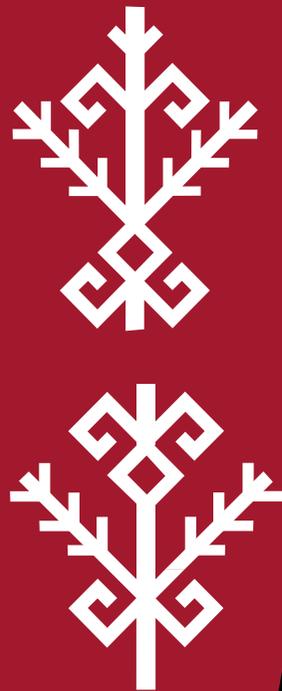
Colour in the goddess following the description.

LATVIA

(LATVIJA)

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Behind the nice geometrical designs in traditional Latvian crafts there is a world of symbols that takes us back to ancient gods and mythology. The symbol on the boy's jumper and hat is '**Auseklis**', a sky god representing the morning star or Venus. The two examples of '**Austras tree**' (tree of life) below symbolise growth and unity between Earth and heaven.



Use the grid to create your own tree of life.

