

EUROPEAN UNION TEST

1.- Use the words in the box to complete the facts about the EU:

1986- 1957 – 27 – 1950 – 1993 - 1951

- Today the EU is made up of _____ different European countries.
- In _____ *The European Coal and Steel community* changed its name to *European Economic Community*.
- Spain and Portugal became part of the European Union in _____.
- Schuman's declaration was in _____.
- The treaty the European coal and Steel community was signed in _____.
- In _____ EEC becomes European Union.

2.- Choose the best explanation of why the EU started:

The EU started to rebuild countries after World War II

The EU started to make it easier to travel around Europe

ChThe EU started to trade among countries without paying taxes

3.- Read the statements and decide if they are TRUE or FALSE

- May 9th is the day of Europe
- All the countries in Europe belong to the European Union
- 2004 was the year of the main enlargement
- Turkey and Switzerland are in the EU
- Schuman is considered the father of the EU
- All EU countries have the same currency (euro)
- European Union is a political organization made up of 27 countries
- European leaders decided to control the production of coal and Steel together

4. – Choose the box which shows **5 countries** that are in the EU:

Iceland, the
UK, Russia,,
Ukraine,
Moldova

Spain,
Germany,Hungary,
Slovakia,Romania

Albania,
Switzerland,
Egypt, Belarus,
Latvia

Choose the first **6 countries** that signed Treaty of Paris (ECSC)

Ireland, the
UK, Belgium,
Spain, Italy,
Germany

Netherlands,
Slovakia, Italy,
France, Belgium,
Germany

Belgium, France,
Luxembourg,
Netherlands, Italy,
Germany

Choose the last **country** that joined the EU:

Croatia

Bulgaria

Romania

5.- Choose the right goal for each definition:

**FREEDOM – SINGLE MARKET – ENVIRONMENT – PROMOTE PEACE –
PARTNERSHIP - CURRENCY**

- a) It is not necessary to change money from country to country
- b) Prevent conflicts by promoting quietness, tranquillity
- c) A citizen of EU has the right to live, find a job or study in any other member country
- d) We can trade and buy goods from any other state member and not to pay taxes
- e) EU collaborates with the rest of the countries to recover from natural disasters or wars.
- f) EU has rules about stopping pollution and about protecting wild birds.