

# *Canada*



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





# ***Area of Canada***



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



# Oceans

*Its western coast is washed by the Pacific Ocean and its eastern coast is washed by the Atlantic Ocean. In the North it is washed by the Arctic Ocean.*





# ***Territory***



***The country is very big and occupies the territory from the Great Lakes in the South to the Arctic Circle in the North.***

# *Types of land*



*It has many different types of land: arctic tundra, mountains, forests, central plains and vast prairies, high plains, fjords, lakes and rivers, islands and even a desert.*



# *Islands*



*There are many islands in the North of the country. The best known island is Victoria.*



# ***Mountains***

***The Rocky  
Mountains and  
the Coast  
Mountains run  
along the Pacific  
coast.***







# ***Mountains***

***The Western Cordillera is famous for the country's highest mountain, Mount Logan, 5,951 meters high. It is situated on the territory of Yukon.***



# ***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.*



# *Lakes*

*The province of Ontario alone has 400,000 lakes, big and small, so many that we can hardly count them.*





# ***Independent federative state***



***Canada is an independent federative state. It is one of the most developed countries in the world.***

# Provinces and territories



*Canada consists of ten provinces and two territories.*



# ***Forests***



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

# ***Natural resources***



***It is rich in the following natural resources:  
non-ferrous metals,  
uranium, oil,  
natural gas, coal.***





# *Industry*

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



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



# ***Agriculture***



***Canada grows wheat, barley, flax, potatoes, vegetables and fruit. Fishing is also one of the prosperous industries.***



# *Official languages*



*Official languages of Canada are English and French. Nearly 67, 1 per cent of the population speak English and 21, 5 per cent speak French. 11,4 per cent other languages.*





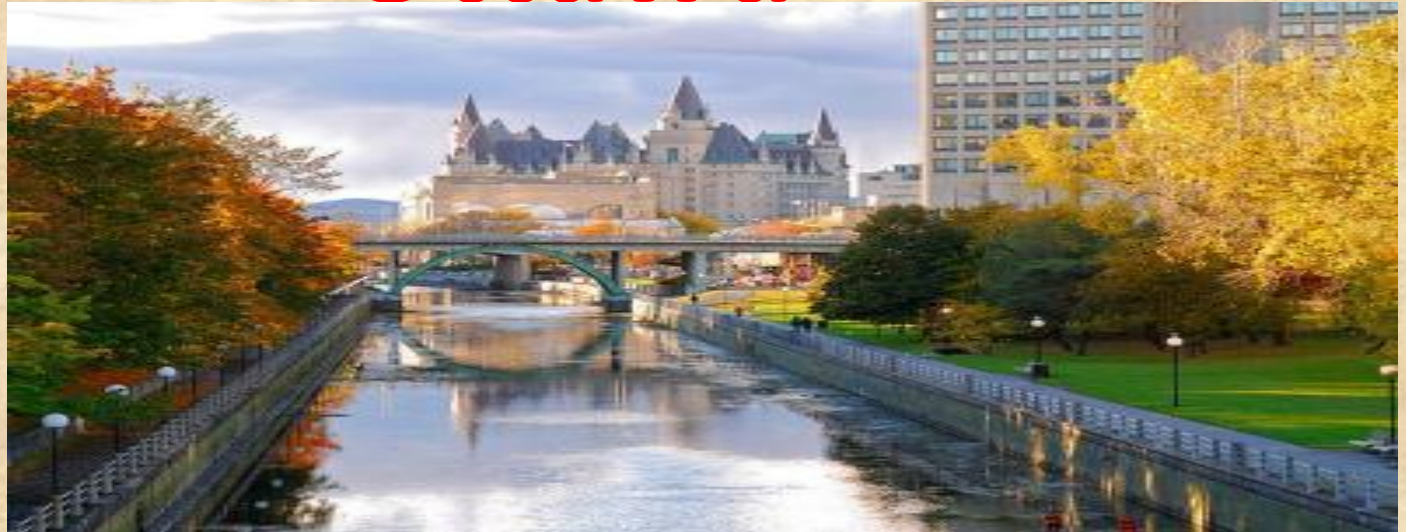
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*Canada is a founding member of the United Nations. It has been active in a number of major UN agencies.*

# 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.*





# ***Historical and cultural buildings***



***Many interesting historical and cultural buildings are found in Ottawa, such as the Museum of Natural History, Museum of Man, National Gallery and the National Arts Centre.***



# *Parliament Buildings*



*The most important buildings in Ottawa are the Parliament Buildings. Here the Canadian federal government discusses and makes laws for Canada.*







## ***Tulip City***



***Ottawa has been called the Tulip City, because every spring the city comes alive with thousands of tulips from the Netherlands.***





# ***Tulips***

***Queen Juliana started sending 15,000 tulips a year to Ottawa in 1946 as a way of thanking the Canadian people for the time she spent in Canada with her daughters during World War II.***





# *Juliana*

*Juliana stayed in Ottawa with her family from 1940 to 1945 after the Netherlands was invaded by Germany.*



# *Flag of Canada*





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