



ATE Learning Resources

History of Ghana Activity

You work for a travel company. Every month the company produces a newsletter about different countries. The next features Ghana. You have been asked to write an article for the newsletter about the History of Ghana.

Your article needs to include the following information (at least!):

- 🌍 What was the country known as before it became Ghana?
- 🌍 Who were the first Europeans to arrive in Ghana?
- 🌍 What year did they arrive in Ghana?
- 🌍 What castle did they build?
- 🌍 In what year did they build the castle?
- 🌍 What were the main reasons for them to stay in the country?
- 🌍 What did Ghana become known as due to one of these reasons?
- 🌍 What does the word Ghana mean?
- 🌍 When was the slave trade banned in Ghana?
- 🌍 Who made the Gold Coast a colony?
- 🌍 When did they make it a colony?
- 🌍 When did Ghana become an independent state?
- 🌍 Who was the first Prime Minister and President?

Find out some additional historical facts about Ghana to add to the article!

Your article can be handwritten/drawn or created digitally using appropriate software! Include a title, your name, and suitable images! Try to lay it out like an article in a newsletter, with paragraphs and columns.

Your article should be interesting and eye catching!

When you have completed amazing work send us a copy! A photo or the actual article will be great!