



Welcome

to

Bulgaria





Bulgaria in Europe

- Officially the **Republic of Bulgaria**, is a country located in Southeastern Europe. It is bordered by Romania to the north, Serbia and Macedonia to the west, Greece and Turkey to the south and the Black Sea to the east.





History of Bulgaria



- Asparukh, son of Old Great Bulgarian's khan Kubrat, migrated with several Bulgar tribes (supposed by most scholars to have been a semi-nomadic Turkic people from Central Asia) to the lower courses of the rivers Danube, Dniester and Dniepr.

Han Asparuh



Vassil Ivanov Kunchev known as Vassil Levski and the Apostle of Freedom, was an ideologist and organizer of the Bulgarian National Revolution, founder of the Internal Revolutionary Organization (IRO) and the Bulgarian Revolutionary Central Committee (BRCC), a **Bulgarian national hero**. An uprising and the subsequent Russo-Turkish War result in the recovery of the state of Bulgaria to the European map.



- **Hristo Petkov Botyov**
known as Hristo Botev ,
a Bulgarian national hero ,
revolutionary, poet and journalist,
born December 25, 1847
(new style-January 6, 1848) in
town Kalofer. His parents are:
father- teacher, scholar and public
figure, Botyo Petkov (1815-1869)
and mother Ivana Boteva (1823-
1911).



Anthem

- *Mila Rodino*

became the national anthem of Bulgaria in 1964 based on the music and the lyrics of the song “Gorda Stara Planina”, written by Tzvetan Radoslavov (1863-1931) in 1885 he composes all the way to the battlefield during the Serbo-Bulgarian war. It has been changed many times , most recently – in 1990.

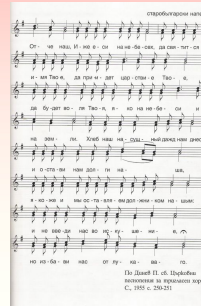




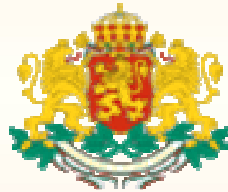
Symbols of Bulgaria

Under the Constitution of 1991 Bulgaria is a parliamentary republic, but with clear separation of powers.

National symbols of the Bulgarian state: **flag-**
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coat of arms

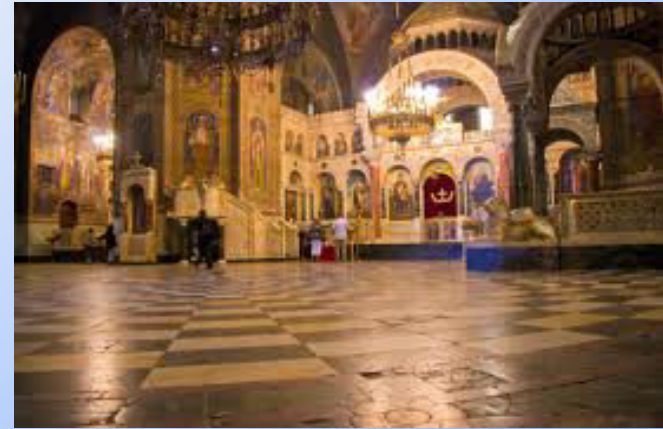


and **Guards of the Republic.**





Cathedral of the Bulgarian Patriarch



Memorial Shrine of
St.Alexander Nevsky
Orthodox Church in
Sofia, Cathedral of the
Bulgarian Patriarch.



Flora and Fauna



In our country there are more than 15 000 animal species, which constitute about 15 % of the biodiversity of continental Europe. It is assumed however that the actual composition of the fauna around us now is counting about 35-50 thousand species.





Edelweiss



Edelweiss grows in inaccessible places in alpine areas in the world and has more than twenty kinds of edelweiss. In Europe you meet and found only two .The rarest species in the world are Everest and Himalaite.

It is exposed nowadays to strong overheating of the solar beam.



- Plants are an essential part of life on our planet Earth. They produce the very important oxygen, food for animals and people . The plant species forme also fossil fuels that we use today.



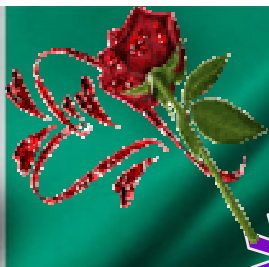


Population

83.9% of the population are specific ethnic **Bulgarians**,
9.4% are **Turks** and
4.7% are **Gypsies**.

The remaining 2% included
Armenians, Russians,
Romanians, Ukrainians,
Greeks, Karakachans,
Jews and others.





**Have nice time in our country.
Thank you friends!
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