## **Question Guide to Country Profiling:**

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#### **Physical Geography • Your country’s official name?**

• Region of the world your country is located in.

• How big is your country? (square miles)

• Who are your country’s neighbors

• How would you describe your country’s physical features and climate?

#### **Culture**

• Country’s population

• Country’s ethnic position?

• Country’s official language? What Other languages are spoken?

• Country’s capital. What are some of the major cities?

• How would you describe the quality of life in your country?

#### **Politics & Government**

• When was your country founded?

• What type of government does your country have?

• Who are some of your country’s leaders?

• How many people serve in your country’s military?

• Who are your country’s allies? Enemies?

#### **Economy**

• Country’s total Gross Domestic Product?

• Country’s natural resources?

• Country’s currency?

• Country’s major imports and exports?

###### • Country’s biggest trading partners?

#### **Issues**

- What problems are facing your country?

- What resources do you need to solve these issues?

- How do these issues affect your relationship with other countries?

#### **Prepare for Attack!**

-Are there any countries who could come after you?

-How does your country justify the decisions it makes?

-How can you fight back, if you have to, against your adversaries?

-How can you support your allies if they are attacked?

**Recommended Resource:** <https://www.cia.gov/library/publications/the-world-factbook/geos/ir.html>