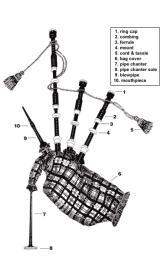
## Scotland

Scotland is a part of Great Britain. It is in the North of the island of Great Britain. The capital of Scotland is **Edinburgh** but the largest city is Glasgow. People who live in Scotland are "Scottish".

The Scottish flag is blue with a white cross.



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Music and dance are very important in Scotland. The **bagpipe** is the national instrument.

A man who plays the bagpipe, is called **a piper.** 

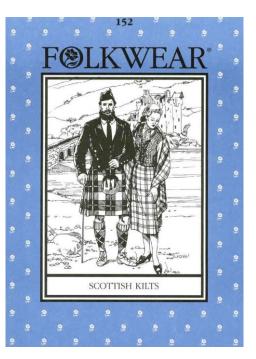
**The kilt** is the national dress of Scotland. It looks like a skirt. It is made of "Tartan".

Tartan is a special woollen cloth with square patterns.

A clan is a family or a group of families. Each clan has got a taratan with different colors.

Men wear kilts on special occasions as festivals, weddings and for important celebrations.

They also wear a " sporran" (a small purse) on the kilt and long socks.





Scotland has many high mountains and "lochs" (lakes). The most famous loch is the Loch Ness. People say that a very long monster lives in this lake and they call it **"Nessie".** 

There are many castles in Scotland. Some of castles have got ghosts. Glamis Castle has got Nine ghosts.

