

Where Does Europe End?

Directions: On a separate piece of paper, answer the following questions in approximately two to four complete sentences.

1. At the start of the article, several passages refer to Ukraine is like a train. Explain the meaning of this reference.
2. What are Europe's reservations about admitting Ukraine to the EU? What are the effects of these reservations on Ukrainians?
3. What has Ukraine's experience been like since its independence from Soviet control? Discuss both economic and political developments.
4. Who is Victor Yushchenko?
5. Describe modern day Kiev (Kyiv).
6. Describe the cultural divide of Ukraine.
7. How do the textbook authors' views differ from those of the article author?