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NIGERIAN



FAST FACTS

NIGERIA

Capital: Abuja

Currency: Nigerian Naira

Motto: "Unity and Faith, Peace and Progress"

Anthem: "Arise, O Compatriots"

Official languages: English (official) / Yoruba, Igbo, Fulfulde, Ibibio, Kanuri and Tiv

Area: 356,669 sq miles

Demonym(s): Nigerian

DID YOU KNOW?



- ★ The name Nigeria was taken from the Niger River running through the country.
- ★ Nigeria has a large movie industry known as Nollywood. About 200 movies are produced every week - that's more than 10,000 movies per year!
- ★ Nigeria is home to Aliko Dangote, the richest man in Africa. Dangote's business interests in agriculture, banking, cement, manufacturing, salt and sugar have given him a net worth of more than \$12 billion.
- ★ Almost 200 million people live in Nigeria, making it one of the most populous countries in the world. Over 500 indigenous languages are spoken there, making it one of the most multicultural countries too.

FLAG STORY



- Green stripes represent natural wealth
- White represents peace and unity

FAMOUS FIGURES



Aliko Dangote
Billionaire
Businessman



Genevieve Nnaji
Actress & Producer

LET'S TALK FOOD!

Jollof rice is Nigeria's national dish. The most common ingredients found in jollof rice include rice, tomatoes, tomato paste, onions, salt, and pepper.

HOW DO YOU SAY HELLO?

