



# FINNISH AFTERNOON

SUOMALAINEN ILTAPÄIVÄ



Population: 5 million

Capital city: Helsinki (~600 000 people)

Other big cities: Turku, Tampere, Espoo, Vantaa

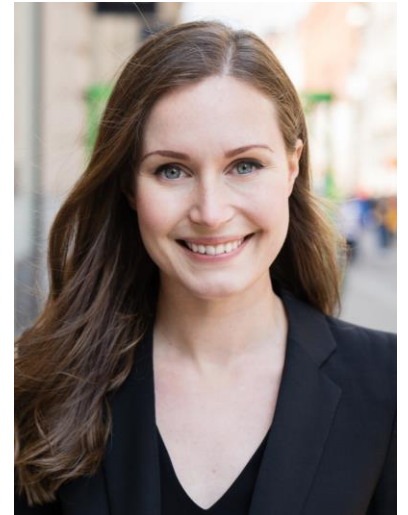
Two official languages: Finnish and Swedish

Neighboring countries: Sweden, Norway, Russia

Independence day: 6.12.1917

President: Sauli Niinistö (2012-2024)

Prime minister: Sanna Marin (2019-)





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# HISTORY OF FINLAND

1250-1809: Finland under Swedish rule

1809: the Finnish War between Sweden & Russia

1809-1917: Finland under Russian rule

1917: Independence

1918: Civil war

1939-1940 & 1941-1944: War with Soviet Union

1995: Finland joins the European Union



# FINNISH NATURE - WARM SUMMER

Finland has thousands of lakes

In Finland you can experience the nightless night



# FINNISH NATURE - FOREST

75% of Finland is covered in forest, which is full of berries and mushrooms



# FINNISH NATURE - COLD WINTER

Winter in Finland is cold, snowy,  
and long

You can also experience the  
Nordic lights



# FINNS' FAVOURITE SPORTS

ICE HOCKEY



SKIING



SKI JUMPING



JAVELIN THROW



FORMULA 1





# FINNISH FOOD

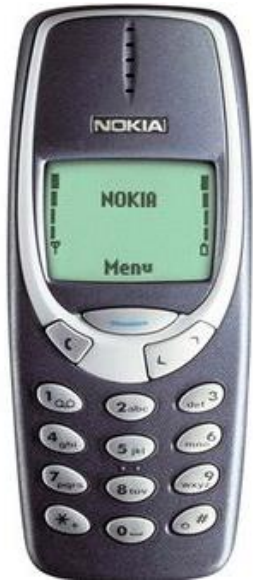
Cinnamon buns,  
Karelian pies,  
reindeer meat, and  
salmon soup



# FAMOUS FINNISH THINGS



*FINNAIR*



# BASIC FINNISH WORDS

HI - HEI / MOI

BYE - HEIPPA / MOIKKA

YES - JOO

NO - EI

GOOD DAY - HYVÄÄ PÄIVÄÄ

THANK YOU - KIITOS

YOU'RE WELCOME - OLE HYVÄ



**AHOJ!**



**MOI!**

**KIITOS! THANK YOU! DĚKUJI!**