



★ Featured Display

Learning Objectives: Build knowledge and an appreciation for different cultures and languages by participating in small research projects.

Cheerful owls extend a warm welcome to students and visitors in several different languages!

- Display the header from this set.
- Write a different language on the owl accents and provide one to each child.
- Children use sites such as translate.google.com to find the word "Welcome" and write on a passport or ticket accent.

Examples:

Bienvenue (*Welcome in French*)

Benvenuto (*Welcome in Italian*)

Tervetuloa (*Welcome in Finnish*)

- Display the owl accents (languages) with the matching ticket or passport accent (translations).

What a friendly way to greet children and introduce them to different languages!

Extend the Learning: Kids explore interesting facts about the countries in which these languages are spoken, write them down, and share them with the class.

Examples:

Soccer is a popular sport in Germany.

The Dutch are some of the tallest people in the world, with men averaging over 6 feet tall.

Finlanders like to take saunas, hot rooms filled with steam from heated rocks.

★ You'll Need:

- T8367 Owl-Stars!® Welcome Bulletin Board Set**
 - T10971 Winning Tickets Classic Accents® Variety Pack**
 - T10980 Passports Classic Accents® Variety Pack**
 - T9875 Green Terrific Trimmers®**
 - T91352 World Flags Terrific Trimmers®**
- Double-sided tape, colored markers

★ Keep the Theme Going

- T10612 Year 'Round Houses Owl-Stars!® Classic Accents® Variety Pack**
- T10617 Owl-Stars!® Clips Classic Accents® Variety Pack**
- T6138 Famous Landmarks Bingo**
- T27302 The World Wipe-Off® Map**
- T38450 Owl-Stars!® Learning Chart**
- T38449 Owl News Owl-Stars!® Learning Chart**