Interpreting Text and Visuals

1. Name the four major language families in Europe.

In what part of Europe is each of the language families found?

2. To what major language family does English belong?_____

3. What part of Europe—eastern or western—has the greater number of languages in one language family? ____

To what family do most of these languages belong?

Name five of these languages.

4. What seems unusual about Romania being in the romance language family?

5. How might language help to divide people and prevent them from forming their own country?

Examine the map again. In what part of Europe might that have happened?

6. How might language unite people and help them to form their own country?

Examine the map again. In what part of Europe might that have happened?