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English Quiz

Circle the correct answer. Look at the example (0).

0 What is the official name for Britain?

A. Great Britain

B. The UK

C. The United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.

1 England, Ireland, Scotland and Wales became one state in...

A. 1536.

B. 1708.

C. 1800.

2 Who conquered Wales in the 13th century?

A. The English king Edward I

B. James VI

C. King James I

3 The leek and daffodil are both plants used to symbolize

A. Scotland.

B. Wales.

C. Yorkshire.

4 The Norman invasion of England in ... brought Britain into the mainstream of western European culture.

A. 1066

B. 1171

C. 1215

5 In 1972 the UK joined ...

A. NATO.

B. Euroean Economic Community.

C. the G7 group.

6 Traditionally, the ... of England was associated with poverty and industry.

A. Centre

B. North

C. South

- 7 The ancestors of most Northern Irish ... came from lowland Scotland or England.
- A. Protestants
 - B. Catholics
 - C. Anglicans
- 8 The Queen, Britain's official head of state, has ... power.
- A. absolute
 - B. little real
 - C. no
- 9 The two main political parties are the Conservatives and ...
- A. Labour
 - B. Liberal
 - C. Social Democrats
- 10 Parliament consists of an elected House of Commons and an unelected House of ...
- A. Donors
 - B. Senators
 - C. Lords
- 11 The 20 or so most senior politicians are called the ...
- A. cabinet
 - B. committee
 - C. supreme council
- 12 'Bobbies', 'fuzz', 'cops' and 'pigs' are all nicknames for ...
- A. police officers
 - B. politicians
 - C. farmers
- 13 In Britain, there are two types of lawyers: ... and barristers.
- A. solicitors
 - B. notaries
 - C. advocates
- 14 The second-most spoken language in Britain is reported to be ...
- A. French
 - B. Welsh
 - C. Punjabi
- 15 The 'loyalists' in Northern Ireland are loyal to...
- A. the Roman Catholic Church
 - B. the Republic of Ireland
 - C. the United Kingdom
- 16 University education in the UK is funded by..

- A. the government
- B. a combination of the government and students
- C. individual students

17 In 2002, the highest paid performer on British TV was...

- A. an actress
- B. a history professor
- C. a chat-show host

19. Marine animals are_____ .

- A. Foxes and wolves.
- B. Whales and dolphins.
- C. Snakes and lizards.

18 'Drawing room', 'reception room' and 'front room' are all terms for the ... in a house.

- A. living room
- B. dining room
- C. bedroom

19 Unlike in most European countries, entry to British museums and art galleries is usually ...

- A. cheap
- B. free
- C. expensive

20 The day after Christmas is known as ... day.

- A. Boxing
- B. Stephen's
- C. Cold Turkey

22 Which city offers the "Magical Mystery Tour" of famous Beatles landmarks?

- A. Cambridge
- B. Liverpool
- C. London

23 What should you say if someone is blocking your way in Britain and you would like to move him?

- a) Excuse me, please.
- b) Sorry.
- c) Could you give me the way, please.

Write your answer.

24 Is Eire part of the UK? _____

25 Which is the largest part of the UK? _____

26 Who is the author of the tragedy "Hamlet"? _____

27 Why does the Queen have two birthdays? _____

28 What does BBC stands for? _____

29 What does *lochs* mean? _____

30 What is the traditional 'take away'? _____

Thank you!