

Ebben a dokumentumban ízelítőt szeretnénk adni a most induló szint feladataiból. Egy feladatlapban általában 5-6 feladat szerepel + a csoportosan dolgozó gyerekeknek + 1 összetettebb feladatot kell megoldani (Groupwork)

Celtic Beauty

What does Scotland look like? What languages do they speak? And what can you do in Scotland? Read and find out!



Scotland is a country in Great Britain, to the north of England. Scotland has nearly 800 islands, but people only live on some of them.

Scotland is a very beautiful country with many mountains, forests, beaches, rivers and lochs or lakes. In the north of Scotland it is light until 11.30 p.m. in summer and in winter you can sometimes see the Northern Lights or Aurora Borealis, which are spectacular lights in the sky. Energy from the sun turns the Earth's sky green, red and other colours.

Scotland has its own parliament which makes laws for Scottish people. The Scottish parliament is in the capital city, Edinburgh. About five million people live in Scotland but most of them live in the south of the country, in and around the cities of Edinburgh, Glasgow, Perth and Dundee.

There are three languages in Scotland. Most people speak English and Scots and a minority speak Scottish Gaelic, an old Celtic language which is very different from English. Scots is spoken by young and old people in cities and rural areas and sometimes people mix Scots and English. Some words in Scots are the same as in English and some are different. Look at these sentences.

At public and cultural events you can often hear traditional Scottish music and see traditional Scottish dancing. Pipers play music on bagpipes, a Celtic wind instrument with pipes and a bag. Pipers and dancers usually wear kilts. A kilt is a traditional skirt with a tartan design (horizontal and vertical lines in lots of colours) which is worn by men and women. Scots enjoy all types of music from folk to rock and pop, and festivals like 'The Edinburgh Festival' or concerts.





Are the sentences true or false? Circle the correct answer.

1)	All of Scotland's islands are populated.	T	F
2)	Scotland is a country of great natural beauty.	Т	F
3)	Scotland can make its own laws.	Т	F
4)	The majority of the Scottish population can speak Scottish Gaelic.	Т	F
5)	You can hear bagpipes at public and cultural events.	Т	F

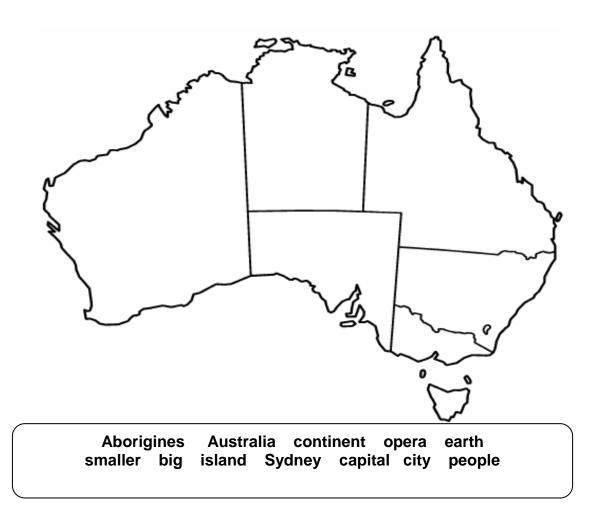
Write the correct verbs to fill the gaps.

1. Scotland	_ nearly 800 islands.
2. The Northern Lights	spectacular lights in the sky.
3. In winter you can sometimes	the Northern Lights.
4. Most people	in the south of the country.
5. Most people	two languages - English and Scots.



Let"s go to Australia

Have a look at the words in the box. Then read the text and fill the gaps with these words. According to the text label the states of the country.





England and the English

What will the British say?

Finish the sentences. Match the two parts of the sentences and you'll get some British weather proverbs or superstitions.









- 1. If March comes in like a lion,
- 2. Rain before seven,
- 3. Mackerel sky and mare's tails make
- 4. When halo rings Moon or Sun,
- 5. When the ass begins to pray,



- A. rain's approaching on the run
- B. can indicate bad weather
- C. fine weather.
- D. the weather will change.
- E. it's going to storm.

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Let's go to Canada!

You can read some statements about Canada. Decide whether they are true (T) or false (F) and circle the correct answer.



Statements

		True	False
1.	Canada is the second-largest country in the world.	Т	F
2.	There are 13 Canadian provinces and territories.	Т	F
3.	The Yukon borders Alaska.	Т	F
4.	The province with the biggest land area is Quebec.	Т	F
5.	Edmonton is the capital of Alberta.	Т	F
6.	The capital of Manitoba is Winnipeg.	Т	F
7.	Niagara Falls is an enormously popular tourist destination, and it also serves as a major source of electricity for Ontario.	Т	F