

Topic 1, Country and People, questions

1. What are the two largest islands Great Britain consists of?
2. Politically speaking, what is the difference between England and Britain?
3. How does England influence the rest of the UK?
4. What are the two states in the geographical area?
5. What was the matter of Act of Union (1st May 1707)?
6. Give at least three possible names of the Geographical area of the British Isles
7. Explain the statement „the geographical area of the UK consists of four nations” What are the nations?
8. Explain the notion of Albion
9. Explain the notion of Britannia
10. Explain the notions of Caledonia, Cambridge, Hibernia
11. What is Emerald Isle?
12. Comment on the way some surnames in Britain were created.
13. Comment on the National Loyalty in the UK.
14. Ben Fogle, the broadcaster said: „give us back our flag, give us back our England“ Can you briefly comment on his attitude towards the current situation in the UK? (video)
15. Comment on the fact that most citizens of foreign origin consider themselves British rather than English. Why? (video)
16. Give a short history and an account of activities of the Irish Republican Army (video)