QUIZ “DO YOU KNOW GREAT BRITAIN AND NOTHERN IRELAND?”

*-*  Good afternoon, dear students! We are very glad to see you at the quiz “Do you know Great Britain and Northern Ireland?”

- Today we gather here as we are going to solve the problem: which team is the best and brightest. For this reason let me introduce you the jury.

-Ladies, take your places, please! I hope you will be equitable enough. Good luck to everyone!

-Let us start!

**GAME I INTRODUSING (ПРЕДСТАВЛЕНИЯ КОМАНД)**

*-* Let the teams introduce themselves!

**GAME II The quickest answer (Presentation) “Do you know Great Britain and Northern Ireland?”**

**I. General information**

1. Who gave London its first name? (Слайд 3. Ответ: The Romans.) [1]

1) the Egyptians

2) the Greeks

3) the Romans

2. Which birds according to legend, protect the Tower of London? (Слайд 4. Ответ: Ravens.) [1]

1) pigeons

2) ravens

3) swans

3. Why was 2012 be a special year for London? (слайд 5. Ответ: The city was be hosting the Olympic Games.) [1]

1) The city will be hosting the Olympic Games

2) It’s the city’s 2000th anniversary

3) There will be an eclipse on the sun

4. Where are the Crown Jewels kept? (Слайд 6. Ответ: The Tower of   London.) [1]

1) Buckingham Palace

2) The Tower of London

3) The Bank of England

5. What’s the popular name for the underground system in London? (Слайд 7. Ответ: The Tube.) [1]

1) the Tunnel

2) the Channel

3) the Tube

**II. Geographical Position**1.

What is the western coast of the British Isles washed by? (Слайд 8. Ответ: By the Atlantic Ocean and the Irish Sea.)

1) By the Pacific Ocean and the Sea of Okhotsk

2) By the Arctic Ocean and the White Sea

3) By the Atlantic Ocean and the Irish Sea

2. What is the eastern coast of the British Isles washed by? (Слайд 9. Ответ: By the North Sea.)

1) By the North Sea

2) By the Celtic Sea

3) By the Irish Sea

3. What channel lies between Britain and the continent of Europe? (Слайд 10. Ответ: The English Channel.)

1) The English Channel

2) The North Channel

3) St. George’s Channel

4. What are the largest islands of the British Isles? (Слайд 11. Ответ: Great Britain and Ireland.)

1) The Channel Islands

2) Great Britain and Ireland

3) The Hebrides

*5. Which river runs through London? (Слайд 12. Ответ: The Thames.)*

*1) the Thames*

*2) the Severn*

*3) the Seine*

**III. Places of Interest**

1. Who founded the Tower of London? (Слайд 13. Ответ: William I.) [1]

1) Charles I

2) William I

3) Henry VIII

2. Which museum is situated at 221B Baker Street (Слайд 14. Ответ: Sherlock Holmes Museum.) [1]

1) Tate Modern

2) Madam Tussaud’s

3) Sherlock Holmes Museum

3. Which bridge over the Thames was pulled down in 1970 and transported, piece by piece, to Arizona in the United States? (Слайд 15. Ответ: London Bridge.) [1]

1) London Bridge

2) Tower Bridge

3) Westminster Bridge

4. What is the London home of the Queen? (Слайд 16. Ответ: Buckingham Palace.)

1) The Tower

2) Buckingham Palace

3) Westminster Palace

5. What is there in the centre of Trafalgar Square? (Слайд 17. Ответ: Nelson’s Column.)

1) Big Ben

2) Main Post Office

3) Nelson’s Column

**IV. Famous People**

1. Who said “When a man is tired of London, he is tired of life? ( Слайд 18. Ответ: Samuel Johnson.) [1]

1) Charles Dickens

2) William Shakespeare

3) Samuel Johnson

2. Which former London resident has been voted the greatest Briton of all time? (Слайд 19. Ответ: Sir Winston Churchill.) [1]

1) Sir Winston Churchill

2) Charles Darwin

3) John Lennon

3. Where was Charlie Chaplin born? (Слайд 20. Ответ: In London.)

1) In Cardiff

2) In Edinburgh

3) In London

4. What was John Constable famous for? (Слайд 21. Ответ: For his landscapes.)

1) For his landscapes

2) For his portraits

3) For his seascapes

5. Who was the farther of the historical novel in the world literature (Слайд 22. Ответ: Walter Scott.)

1) Charles Dickens

2) Walter Scott

3) Jonathan Swift

**V. Political System**

1. Who is the head of Great Britain? (Слайд 23. Ответ: The Queen.)

1) The Prime Minister

2) The Queen

3) The President

2. Who does the real power in Britain belong to? (Слайд 24. Ответ: To the British Parliament.)

1) To the Queen

2) To the British Parliament

3) To the Prime Minister

3. What are the houses of the British Parliament? (Слайд 25. Ответ: The House of Lords and the House of Commons.)

1) The House of the Queen and the House of the Prime Minister

2) The House of Common People and the House of Commons

3) The House of Lords and the House of Commons

4. Where are laws made in Great Britain? (Слайд 26. Ответ: In Westminster Palace.)

1) In Westminster Abbey

2) In Buckingham Palace

3) In Westminster Palace

5. Who heads the government of Great Britain? (Слайд 27. Ответ: The Prime Minister.)

1) The Prime Minister

2) The Queen

3) The Lord Chancellor

GAME III FUNNY RHIMES (ПОГОВОРКИ) Кто лучше и быстрее произнесёт поговорку

GAME IV Соединить части высказывания, прочитать и перевести

- Every country has its own traditions and customs. In Britain traditions play a very important role on the life of people mostly because the British are very conservative. They are proud of their traditions and keep them carefully.

Which traditions do you know? (называют традиции)

- Great Britain is a tradition itself. Must the Monarchy stay or must not? We really don’t know. People don’t differentiate between the words “monarchy” and “royal family.” As Winston Churchill said monarchy is not perfect but the best that the man had ever created.

**GAME V WHAT DOES/DOESN’T THE QUEEN LIKE?**

**(ЧТО ЛЮБИТ / НЕ ЛЮБИТ КОРОЛЕВА?)**

*-*  Take these magic baskets where you can find the secret statements. They are about things which the Queen likes or doesn’t like. Divide them from your points of views.

*(Каждая команда получает “Волшебную корзинку” с карточками, на которых записано, что любит и что не любит королева. На протяжении трех минут одна команда должна отобрать и прикрепить на плакате карточки со вкусами королевы, а вторая команда — карточки с названиями того, что не нравится королеве. Карточки не должны быть одинаковыми).*

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| **The Queen likes:**1. Horse racing.
2. Scottish country dancing.
3. Jigsaw puzzles.
4. Bright red dresses.
5. Deerstalking.
6. Champagne.
7. Long-stemmed, deep-pink carnations.
8. Quiet evenings at home.
9. Sandringham.

10. The Beatles film, Yellow Submarine. | **The Queen dislikes:**1. Tennis, including Wimbledon.
2. Milk pudding.
3. The cold.
4. Charles Dickens.
5. Dictating letters.
6. Cigar smoke.
7. Sailing.
8. Listening to after-dinner speeches.
9. Ivy.
10. Snails.
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GAME VI **THE QUICKEST CHEF (САМЫЙ БЫСТРЫЙ ПОВАР)**

***-***  Today we are going to present you some of the most popular English traditions. Pancake Day which is celebrated on Shrove Tuesday in Spring at the beginning of Lent. Lent is a period of 40 days before Easter.

*-* Well, on this day in England families usually have pancakes for dinner. At schools the children and teachers have pancakes for school dinner, and in restaurants customers ask for pancakes, too. Everyone knows that pancakes are delicious to eat, but do you know how to cook them?

*(На плакате возле ведущего прикреплены листы с инструкциями по приготовлению теста для блинчиков. Задание учащимся: составить поэтапный рецепт приготовления блинчиков.)*

*-* Let's arrange the instructions for making pancakes in the right order.

**pancakes**

1. Pour in a little batter, moving the pan round until there is a thin coating of batter all over the pan.

2. Next fry the other side until it is golden brown, then turn the pancake on to a warm plate and cover.

3. Continue cooking pancakes until all the batter is used, adding more butter each time.

4. Wait until the butter is very hot, running it round to coat the sides of the pan. Pour away any surplus.

5. Cook until the pancake begins to curl round the edges, showing the golden brown colour underneath. Ease a palette knife under the centre and flip it over.

6. Sift the flour and salt into a bowl.

7. Serve immediately with sugar and lemon juice or fill with a sweet or savoury filling.

8. Make a small hole in the centre of the flour/salt mixture and add the egg.

9. To make pancakes, heat a little butter in an 18 cm frying pan with a heavy base.

10.Now beat the mixture with a wooden spoon, adding the milk gradually until well mixed.

-There is no person who does not know about such English tradition as 5 o'clock. And it is common knowledge that the English are very proud of tea. They like to have "a nice cup of tea" 6 or 8 times a day, sometimes even more. Tea is not only a drink, but a meal too. Of course, it's a very light meal and as the English say "it’s the time when everything stops for tea." Do you know how to cook the TEA?

Let's arrange the instructions for making TEA and SCONES in the right order.

*(Учащиеся составляют рецепт приготовления и выпекания блинчиков, чая и печенья)*

**tea**

1.fill the kettle with cold water

2. boil the water

3. warm the pot

4.put one teaspoon of tea for each person and one extra for the pot

5. pour hot water into the pot

6. enjoy your tea

**Scones**

1. .Mix the flour and baking powder, add sugar, some milk, an egg and raisins.
2. Roll out the pastry to about 1 centimeter thick
3. Cut into rounds
4. Bake in a hot oven for 15-20 minutes
5. Enjoy your scones

MUSIC BREAK (музыкальная пауза)

GAME VII HOMETASK

( защита презентаций домашнего задания “British Traditions”)

*GAME VIII*

*-* I should tell you that our meeting is coming to an end. You worked very hard. In fact you are the masters of traditions, aren’t you? Before we say “good-bye” to each other let’s listen to our jury.

*(Предоставляется слово жюри, которое называет команду-победителя турнира.)*

 *(Жюри в юмористичной форме награждает команду-победителя памятными подарками)*

* My best congratulations to the winner, but don’t upset as friendship is the best winner to my mind. Do you agree? Thank you very much for your work.