

**Поточна робота з лінгвокраїнознавства  
для студентів 3 курсу кафедри англійської філології  
Денна форма навчання**

1. How often must General Elections be held in the UK?  
a. every 3 years                  b. every 4 years                  c. every 5 years                  d. every 6 years
  
2. Which of the following countries is the nearest continental neighbour to Great Britain?  
a. Denmark                          b. Portugal                          c. France                          d. Greece
  
3. What heraldic symbol stands for Scotland?  
a) a golden unicorn    b) a red dragon    c) a red lion  
d) a golden harp
  
4. Name the international organisation to which the UK does not belong:  
a. the Peace Corps                  b. the UNO                          c. the EU                          d. the Commonwealth
  
5. Over 50% of the UK exports go to:  
a. North America    b. South America                  c. the EU                          d. the Asia-Pacific Region
  
6. Compared with most EU countries, the British start their working day ...  
a) prematurely                          b) at the same time                          c) later                          d) earlier
  
7. The Democratic Party is known to support ...  
a) the leading role of the federal government    c) the responsibility of states  
b) the growth of local community responsibilities    d) the leading role of state legislatures
  
8. The Crown Dependencies are ...  
a) the Great Lakes and the Lake District    c) the Orkney Islands and the Scilly Isles  
b) the Isle of Man and the Channel Islands    d) the Hibrides and the Bristol Channel
  
9. How long, on average, do the British live today?  
a. 76    b. 78    c. 71    d. 69
  
10. Modern GPs tend to ...  
a) choose the best quality medical services with the corresponding pricing for their patients  
b) combine work in publicly funded health centres and in privately owned almshouses  
c) have more patients registered on their books than ever before  
d) get the money for the number of consultations they perform annually
  
11. Which is the largest spectator sport in the UK?  
a. football                  b. cricket                          c. rugby                          d. races
  
12. Where is the main tennis tournament in Britain held?

- a. Ascot                                  b. Wimbledon c. Wembley                                  d. Chelsea
13. What is the Grand National?  
 a. a horserace over fences                                  b. a greyhound race  
 c. a football cup final    d. a tennis championship
14. What is the most popular leisure pastime in the UK?  
 a. playing darts                                  b. going to the cinema                                  c. birdwatching                                  d. watching TV
15. Which of the following songs is the US anthem?  
 a) the Star-Spangled Banner    c) My Country, 'Tis of Thee  
 b) God Bless America    d) America, the Beautiful
16. In *M&S* one can buy ...  
 a. clothes of the latest fashion    b. expensive poor-box clothes  
 c. conservative brand-name clothes    d. fairly new clothes
17. At present British working class perception of the necessity to be employed ...  
 a. depends on the governmental policy  
 b. differentiates depending on the new class system  
 c. has changed drastically  
 d. remains quite close to that of the 19<sup>th</sup> century
18. What is the symbol of the Republican Party?  
 a. donkey                                  b. dog                                  c. bull                                  d. elephant
19. Which of these adjectives DOES NOT describe the British monarch (basing the first stanza of the national anthem)?  
 a. gracious                                  b. noble.                                  c. victorious                                  d. greatest
20. To the waters of what river does the Ohio belong?  
 a. the Missouri                                  b. the Columbia                                  c. the Mississippi  
 d. the Rio Grande

*Translate into Ukrainian:* легкий сніданок об одинадцятій годині; такий, що відпускається додому; приватна школа; ректор університету; субсидований похід (у якому зазвичай бере участь молодь; у благодійних цілях); лікар загальної практики; службовець, «білий комірець»; кутовий магазин; крамниця /магазинчик/ на розі вулиці.

*Translate into English:* kilt; upper middle class; Polling Day; backbencher; RP (Received Pronunciation); Union Jack; Basic English.