

| How the United Kingdom is governed

Read each question about the UK government. Fill in the bubble for the best answer.

1. How many nations make up the United Kingdom?
☐ A. two ☐ B. three
☐ C. five ☐ D. four
2. Great Britain is made up of England, Scotland and
☐ A. Northern Ireland ☐ B. Wales
☐ C. London ☐ D. Belfast
3. What is the capital city of the whole United Kingdom?
☐ A. London ☐ B. Edinburgh
☐ C. Cardiff ☐ D. Belfast
4. The UK is a constitutional monarchy. Who is the head of state?
☐ A. the Prime Minister ☐ B. the Speaker
☐ C. the King ☐ D. a First Minister
5. Who leads the UK government together with the Cabinet?
☐ A. the King ☐ B. the Prime Minister
☐ C. the House of Lords ☐ D. the Supreme Court
6. Parliament at Westminster is the King, the House of Lords and the
☐ A. Senate ☐ B. Senedd
☐ C. House of Commons ☐ D. Cabinet
7. How many elected Members of Parliament sit in the House of Commons?
☐ A. 105 ☐ B. 343
☐ C. 500 ☐ D. 650
8. Members of the House of Lords are
☐ A. appointed, not elected ☐ B. elected by voters
☐ C. chosen by lottery ☐ D. elected by the Senedd
9. A UK general election must be held at least every
☐ A. two years ☐ B. four years
☐ C. five years ☐ D. ten years
10. What is the Welsh Parliament in Cardiff called?
☐ A. the Senate ☐ B. the Senedd
☐ C. the Congress ☐ D. the Cabinet
11. The Scottish Parliament, the Senedd and the Northern Ireland Assembly decide things such as
☐ A. health and education ☐ B. the defence of the UK
☐ C. the pound sterling ☐ D. the number of MPs
12. The Supreme Court of the United Kingdom began its work in
☐ A. 1707 ☐ B. 1867
☐ C. 1999 ☐ D. 2009