

Брейн – ринг для учащихся 9 – 11-х классов
(английский язык)

Round 1
"Britain"

- 1) The British flag is often called..
a) *The Union Jack*
b) The Stars and Stripes
c) The Maple Leaf
- 2) The highest mountain in the UK is...
a) Mont Blanc
b) *Ben Nevis*
c) MountMckinley
- 3) The word "Albion", the poetic name of Great Britain, means...
a) *white*
b) green
c) red
- 4) The kilt is..
a) a shirt
b) *a skirt*
c) shorts
- 5) The mysterious Loch Ness Monster is from ...
a) Wales
b) England
c) *Scotland*
- 6) How old is Stonehenge?
a) 400
b) ~~4000~~
c) 14000
- 7) British kings and queens are crowned at..
a) *Westminster Abbey*
b) StPaul's Cathedral
c) BuckinghamPalace
- 8) The London Underground is often called..
a) Subway
b) Metro
c) *the Tube*
- 9) Real English football is called...
a) *soccer*
b) cricket
c) rugby
- 10) Guy Fawke's Night is celebrated on the..
a) 24th of December
b) 31st of October
c) *5 of November*

Round II "The USA"

- 1) How many states are there in the USA?
a) 15
b) *50*
c) 52
- 2) Why do the Americans celebrate the 4th of July?
a) the first Moon Landing
b) *Declaration of Independence*
c) The end of the American Civil War
- 3) What ship did the Pilgrim Fathers (the first American settlers) sail to America in?
a) *the Mayflower*
b) the Aurora
c) Santa Maria
- 4) What state does the capital of the USA Washington belong to?
a) the state of Pennsylvania

- b) the District of Columbia*
 - c) the state of Florida
- 5) What is the main industry of Washington?
 - a) government industry*
 - b) heavy industry
 - c) cotton industry
- 6) What is the main figure in the emblem of the USA?
 - a) an owl
 - b) an eagle*
 - c) a bear
- 7) Where is Hollywood situated?
 - a) in the city of Chicago
 - b) in the city of Los Angeles*
 - c) in New York City
- 8) What state has the following nicknames: the GoldState, the OilState and the Steel State?
 - a) the state of Pennsylvania*
 - b) the District of Columbia
 - c) the state of Florida
- 9) What is Woodstock famous for?
 - a) the sport festival
 - b) the rock music festival*
 - c) the Art festival
- 10) When is Thanksgiving Day celebrated?
 - a) in September
 - b) in October
 - c) in November*