SZKOLNY KONKURS WIEDZY O WIELKIEJ BRYTANII
w roku szkolnym 2010/2011

Imię i nazwisko:

Wybierz właściwą odpowiedź.

1. Which famous instrument do people play in Scotland?
   a) bagpipes  b) violin  c) guitar

2. A famous park in London is called:
   a) Central Park  b) English Garden  c) Hyde Park

3. The Queen of the United Kingdom is called:
   a) Victoria  b) Elisabeth II  c) Elisabeth I

4. What is the national costume of Scotland?
   a) bowler  b) kilt  c) tartan

5. ‘Big Ben’ is a...
   a) man, who lives in London  b) the highest tower in London  c) famous clock in London

6. What is the name of the first bridge across the river Thames?
   a) Tower Bridge  b) London Bridge  c) Westminster Bridge

7. Which is the capital of Wales?
   a) Glasgow  b) Edinburgh  c) Cardiff

8. A very famous and expensive car made in England is a...
   a) Cadillac  b) Rolls-Royce  c) BMW

9. What is the highest mountain in the UK?
   a) Ben Nevis  b) Scottish Highland  c) Peak Wilson

10. What is the difference between the United Kingdom and Great Britain?
    a) United Kingdom is a part of Great Britain  b) Great Britain is a part of the United Kingdom  c) there is no difference between them

11. How many people live in Great Britain?
    a) about 50 million  b) about 60 million  c) about 70 million

12. How many National Parks are there in Britain?
    a) 15  b) 18  c) 20

13. What is the largest ethnic minority in Britain?
    a) Indian  b) Chinese  c) African
14. What’s the popular name for the British flag?
   a) Queen’s flag      b) Union Jack      c) Wellington’s flag

15. Who is the next in the line to the throne?
   a) Prince William      b) Prince Philip      c) Prince Charles

16. Who is allowed to speak at Speaker’s Corner?
   a) only the Prime Minister      b) all members of Parliament      c) everyone

17. What is ‘Burns Night’?
   a) a night when traditionally big fires are lit to welcome spring      
     b) it is a family meeting of the Scottish Burns clan      
     c) a festival to commemorate the birthday of the Scottish poet Robert Burns

18. What are ‘Bank Holidays’?
   a) days off for bank employees only      b) public holidays for everyone; they called ‘bank holidays’ because all banks are closed on these days      
     c) Sundays in the summer, when most Britons sit on benches in parks and listen to open air concerts

19. Which vegetables are traditionally associated with Halloween?
   a) carrots      b) gherkins      c) pumpkins

20. What starts after ‘Pancake Day’?
   a) Lent      b) Carnival      c) Advent

21. What is the official home of the British royal family?
   a) Holyrood Palace      b) Royal Ascot      c) Buckingham Palace

22. The emblem of Ireland (Northern Ireland) is ...
   a) leek      b) rose      c) shamrock

23. Most London buses and post-boxes are painted...
   a) blue      b) yellow      c) red

25. What is a traditional British sport with complicated rules?
   a) soccer      b) cricket      c) curling

26. What are Britain national flowers?
   a) tulip, daisy, rose, shamrock      b) rose, shamrock, thistle, daffodil      
     c) sunflower, rose, carnation, tulip

27. Who created Sherlock Holmes?
   a/ Mary Shelley      
   b/ Arthur Conan Doyle      
   c/ Henry Jones

28. How long is the Channel Tunnel?
   a/ 50 km      b/15 km      c/5 km