

## **Методичні рекомендації студентам з підготовки до практичних занять з навчальної дисципліни «Лінгвокраїнознавство Великої Британії»**

Головна мета практичних занять з навчальної дисципліни «Лінгвокраїнознавство Великої Британії» - закріпити і розширити знання, отримані під час лекцій шляхом заохочення студентів до додаткових пошуків і поглибленого вивчення тематичного матеріалу курсу самостійно з наступним обговоренням, включаючи порівняльний аспект, залучаючи критичне мислення.

**Окремим завданням виступає підготовка і захист презентації з обраної теми.**

**Вимоги до підготовки такої презентації.** В межах курсу «Лінгвокраїнознавство Великої Британії» студенти повинні підготувати презентацію у застосунку Microsoft Office Power Point обсягом 10-12 слайдів. Слайди повинні бути чітко структуровані, із невисоким відсотком тексту. Більшість слайдів мають містити ілюстративний матеріал у вигляді зображень, фото, відео, таблиць, діаграм тощо. Показ слайдів повинен супроводжуватися розповіддю студента, під час якої можна детальніше зупинитися, розтлумачуючи певні складні для сприйняття моменти.

Тривалість усної доповіді – до 5 хвилин.

Максимальна кількість балів – 20

### **Орієнтовна тематика презентацій**

1. Георгіанська доба в історії Великої Британії.
2. Особистість Принцеси Діани: правда і вигадка.
3. Англо-саксонське завоювання Британії та його наслідки.
4. Brexit: причини і наслідки.
5. Символіка Сполученого Королівства: геральдика, квіткові символи, святі покровителі.
6. Проблеми національних меншин у Великій Британії.
7. Uncle Sam і John Bull: порівняльна характеристика.
8. Маргарет Тетчер і Тереза Мей. Порівняльна характеристика.
9. Релігійне питання у Сполученому Королівстві.
10. Визначні постаті на культурному олімпі Великої Британії.
11. Легенди британського спорту
12. Лондон і Вашингтон – як світові столиці.
13. Расовий конфлікт у Великій Британії і США і шляхи його подолання.
14. Проблема американського і британського імперіалізму у сучасному світі.
15. G-7: історія і сучасні виклики.
16. Геній Вільяма Шекспіра.
17. Оксфорд і Кембрідж – центри вищої освіти Великої Британії.
18. The Beatles: історія успіху.
19. Жінки в британській політиці.
20. Рок-музика: напрямки і виконавці.

### **Практичне заняття 1**

#### **Питання до теми 1:**

1. What does Linguocountry Studies study?
2. Characterize the geographical location of the UK of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.
3. What are the water surfaces surrounding the UK?
4. What is the area and the distance along and across the country regarding its extremes?
5. What is the population of the country?
6. What are the languages spoken in the UK of Great Britain and Northern Ireland?
7. Provide the characteristics to the flag of the UK.
8. What are the national emblems of the UK?
9. Outline two major symbols of Britain.

10. What are the poetic names for the constituents of the UK?
11. Name all the geographical extremes of the country.
12. Name the most well-known inland water surfaces – lakes and rivers. What interesting facts do you know about them?
13. Characterize the political order of the country.

### **Практичне заняття 2**

#### **Питання до Теми 2:**

1. Where did the first people of the British Isles come from?
2. Name some of the mysterious monuments of the ancient Britain. What do you know about them?
3. What tribes invaded the British Isles in the 7<sup>th</sup> century BC? What was their contribution?
4. Characterize Britain under the Roman invasion.
5. What was the function of the Hadrian's Wall?
6. What is the Roman heritage for Britain?
7. Describe the role of the German tribes for the general development of the region under study.
8. What was the name of the area conquered by the Danes? Outline this period in the history of the UK.
9. What was the last invasion of Britain? Name its characteristic features.
10. When was Magna Carta written? What did it state?
11. What did the crisis between two families – the Lancasters and the Yorks lead to? What was its outcome?
12. Characterize the English bourgeois revolution?
13. What were the greatest tragedies in the history of London?
14. What led to the foundation of the association called the Commonwealth of Nations?
15. Characterize the Thatcher's government.

### **Практичне заняття 3**

#### **Питання до Теми 3:**

1. Outline some facts and figures about the English language.
2. Specify the main periods of the development of the English language.
3. Characterize all the periods, name their specific language features.
4. What are the main donor-languages that contributed to the development of English?
5. What factors caused the spread of English throughout the world in the 20<sup>th</sup> century?
6. Which treaty made diplomacy be conducted in English ever since?
7. Name all the six official languages of the United Nations Organisation.
8. What English varieties do you remember? Illustrate each of them with examples.
9. Name two types of modern British English dialects.
10. What is Received Pronunciation? To what extent is it popular today?
11. Characterize the languages people speak in Wales.
12. Characterize the languages people speak in Scotland.
13. Characterize the languages people speak in Northern Ireland.
14. Characterize the languages people speak in England.

### **Практичне заняття 4**

#### **Питання до Теми 4:**

1. What is the form of government in the UK?
2. Cite the full title of the British monarch?
3. Name all the duties of the British monarch.
4. Give characteristics of the Royal family. What are its main members?
5. What does the Act of settlement state? What changes occurred in 2015?
6. Does the UK have the Constitution?  
What documents regulate the legal activity in the country instead of the Constitution?
7. What is the structure of the British Parliament?

8. When was the office of the Prime Minister introduced? Who was the first Prime Minister?
9. How is the Cabinet of Ministers formed?
10. What are the most important political departments?
11. What are three classes of ministers? Rank them in order of importance.
12. How many members are there in the House of Commons?
13. What is the distribution of sittings in the British parliament? Who presides over the House of Commons?
14. What does the House of Lords consist of? Who presides over the House of Lords?
15. What are the main British political parties?
16. What is the devolution of powers? How does it work in the UK?

### **Практичне заняття 5**

#### **Питання до Теми 5:**

1. What famous schools existing since the 14<sup>th</sup> century can you remember?
2. What is the *boarding school* according to the British historical reality?
3. What are the governmental institutions supervising the system of education in the UK?
4. Characterize the style of school education in the UK.
5. Remember some recent developments in the system of schooling before 1965.
6. When was the National Curriculum introduced? What does it specify?
7. What key stage ends with GCSE? What is needed to get this certificate?
8. Characterize the school life of the British pupils.
9. What options exist for the students beyond sixteen?
10. What two main requirements does every prospective student have to follow to be taken to University?
11. What does *to moonlight* mean?
12. What is Oxbridge? Characterize the study in Oxbridge.
13. What old Scottish universities do you know?
14. Characterize the older civic universities, newer civic universities, campus universities in the UK.
15. How is the process of education organized in the Open University?
16. What degrees are available at every stage of higher education?

### **Практичне заняття 6**

#### **Питання до Теми 6:**

1. When did the BBC begin its daily radio broadcasts? How is it funded?
2. When did commercial TV begin its work?
3. What are the means of TV broadcasting?
4. What are the BBC main competitors?
5. What kind of news medium is City A.M.?
6. What is the classification of the newspapers in the UK? Give examples to each of them.
7. What is the leading "quality" daily newspaper in Scotland?
8. What is the classification of the magazines in the UK? Give examples to each of them.
9. Remember some popular radio waves in the UK.
10. What are five major nationwide television channels in the country?
11. Characterize the level of using Internet in the UK.
12. What international sports has the UK given birth to?
13. When did the Olympics take place in the UK?
14. What are the main sports stadiums in the country?
15. Choose one of the sports and provide its short characteristics.

## Практичне заняття 7

### Питання до Теми 7:

1. Differentiate between the terms *customs & traditions*.
2. What does the countryside mean for the British?
3. What are favourite sports/hobbies for the British upper class?
4. Characterize the pub culture in the UK.
5. How was afternoon tea introduced in England?
6. How do people shop, measure temperature in Britain (units of measurement)?
7. What is people's attitude to queues in the UK?
8. Why are the British police known as "peelers" or "bobbies"?
9. What does dress-down Friday mean for the British?
10. What event does the Trooping of the Colour mark?
11. Why has the Searching of the Houses of Parliament become a tradition?
12. Describe the tradition of the State Opening of Parliament.
13. Illustrate the Ceremony of the Keys tradition?
14. Changing of the Guard dates back to 1660, doesn't it?
15. What are the main bank holidays in the country?
16. What are other festivals and holidays in the country?
17. Illustrate new trends in the British family.

## Практичне заняття 8

### Питання до Теми 8:

1. What industries were the basis upon which British prosperity had been built?
2. Did MacDonald have success in tackling the Great Depression challenge? Why is he still considered a traitor in Labour histories?
3. Who became Chancellor of the Exchequer in November 1931, and pursued a policy of strict economy to help the country recover?
4. What industries marked the economic eclipse of the north by the south?
5. What attraction caused an unprecedented rise in tourism in 1960s?
6. Why was the path towards the European Economic Community so long?
7. When did M. Thatcher become the PM of the UK? Characterize her main steps on this post.
8. What is the distribution of workforce in Britain at present?
9. What kind of economy is there in the UK?
10. What are three main sectors where people are employed in the country?
11. What is the pension age for both – men and women in the UK?
12. What role does London play as a financial centre of The UK?
13. What are the main financial institutions in the UK?
14. What does shopping mean for the British? What are the most well-known trade chains in the UK?