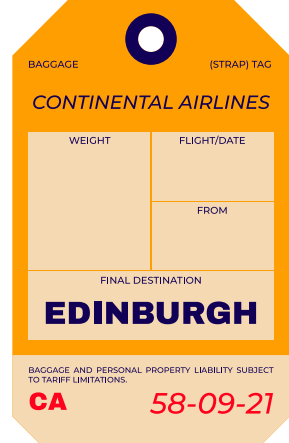




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Match the image with the name



The highlands



Edinburgh's Castle



Calton Hill



Forth Rail Bridge

What language(s) did you hear in the video?



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Source: kids Britannica.



Geography

Scotland has three land regions. The Highlands, in the north, have rocky mountains and many lakes. The Central Lowlands are hilly and have Scotland's best farmland. The Southern Uplands have narrow, flat valleys between low mountains. Many small islands also belong to Scotland.

These include the Orkney Islands, the Shetland Islands, and the Hebrides. Scotland's climate is mild and cool.

Heather, grasses, and shrubs cover much of Scotland. Peat bogs are common, too. These are swampy areas with wet, spongy soil.

Quiz

Scotland has _____ land regions.

- ☐ 12
☐ 4
☐ 3



Find the names of the regions:

1

2

3

Find the names of some islands :

1

2

3



Vocabulary



Heather



Grass



Shrubs



Peat bogs





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The people of Scotland mostly belong to two groups. The Scots are descendants of the ancient people called **Celts**. They live in the Highlands. The rest of the people mainly have **Anglo-Saxon** roots, like the people of northern England.

Scotland also has people with Irish, Lithuanian, Italian, Polish, Jewish, and South Asian roots.

Almost all of the people speak English. A few people speak old languages called Scottish Gaelic and Scots.

The main religion is Christianity.

Quiz

How many groups can you find in Scotland :

- ☐ 12
- ☐ 5
- ☐ 3
- ☐ 2

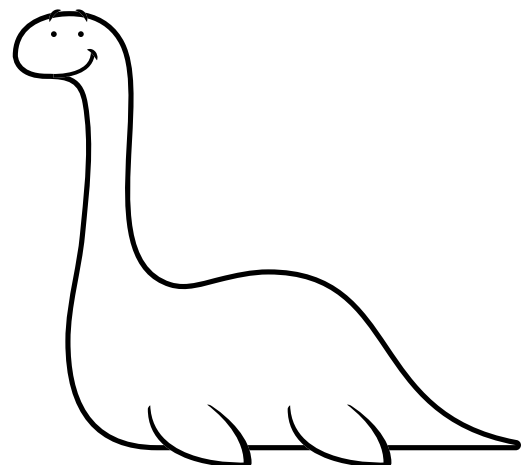


The scots are descendants of the _____ :

- ☐ Irish
- ☐ Celts
- ☐ Polish
- ☐ English

The languages are _____ :

- ☐ Irish
- ☐ Celts
- ☐ Scottish Gaelic
- ☐ Scots





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History

By the 1st century ce several different peoples had settled in what is now Scotland. The Romans **invaded** in about 80 ce. Though the Romans had conquered England and Wales, they could not defeat the peoples of Scotland.

By the 400s four peoples had established kingdoms in the region: the Picts, the Britons, the Angles, and the Scots.

The Scots **were** a group of Celts from Ireland. Between the 800s and the 1000s the kings of the Scots **unified** the peoples into one kingdom.

In 1296 the king of England **invaded** Scotland and **declared** himself its king.

The Scottish people **fought** English rule. William Wallace and Robert the Bruce **were** heroes of the war for independence. In 1328 Scotland **became** independent with Robert as its king.

But in 1603 Scotland and England were united under one king. Then, in 1707, Scotland's Parliament, or lawmaking body, was merged with England's. The entire island of Great Britain **was** then one kingdom, which was called Great Britain.

In 1997 the people **voted** to create a new Scottish Parliament.



Use the text to create a timeline.

80
CE



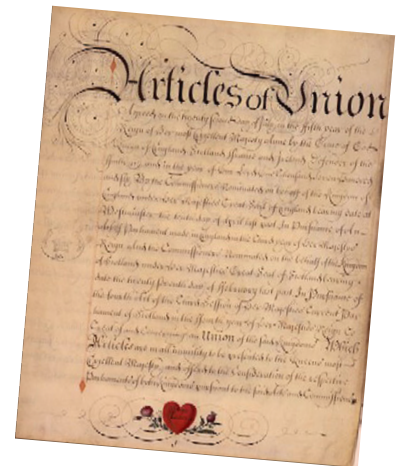
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Between 800s and 1000s



1296

1328



1707

1997

