

# **XIII. Polgár Lajos Emlékverseny**

## **Angol – előzetes feladatok**



**A csapat tagjai:** .....  
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**Osztály:** .....

**Iskola neve, címe:**.....  
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**Felkészítő tanár:** .....

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## CASTLES IN ENGLAND

### I. WHERE CAN WE SEE THESE BEAUTIFUL CASTLES? WRITE THE NUMBER OF THE CASTLES TO THEIR NAMES AND PLACES.

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Longford Castle, Wiltshire - \_\_\_\_\_

The Tower of London - \_\_\_\_\_

Dover Castle, Kent - \_\_\_\_\_

Pendennis Castle, Cornwall - \_\_\_\_\_

Herstmonceux Castle, East Sussex - \_\_\_\_\_

Dartmouth Castle, Devon - \_\_\_\_\_

Leeds Castle, Kent - \_\_\_\_\_

Windsor Castle, Berkshire - \_\_\_\_\_

Tintagel Castle, Cornwall - \_\_\_\_\_

Bodiam Castle, East Sussex - \_\_\_\_\_

Peckforton Castle, Cheshire - \_\_\_\_\_

Appleby Castle, Cumbria - \_\_\_\_\_

**II. CHOOSE ONE OF THE CASTLES FROM THE FIRST TASK AND  
WRITE A PARAGRAPH (6-8 SENTENCES) ABOUT IT.**

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### III. WINDSOR CASTLE

**YOU ARE GOING TO READ 25 STATEMENTS IN CONNECTION WITH THE WINDSOR CASTLE. YOUR TASK IS TO DECIDE IF THE STATEMENTS ARE TRUE OR FALSE.**



1. Windsor Castle is the official residence of the Queen.
2. It is one of Britain's major tourist attractions.
3. It is located in Berkshire.
4. It was founded by William the Conqueror.
5. William the Conqueror was the second Norman king of England.
6. It was built in the 13th century.
7. It took him more than 50 years to complete the castle.
8. Queen Victoria and Prince Albert were devoted to the castle, they spent most of their time here.
9. Queen Victoria died at Windsor.
10. Windsor Castle is not an UNESCO World Heritage Site.
11. This is the largest inhabited castle in the world.
12. There are around 100 rooms in the castle.
13. A fire broke out in Queen Victoria's Private Chapel in 1993.
14. The restoration lasted for 20 years.
15. It was used as a military headquarter and as a prison during the English Civil War.
16. During World War II the Crown Jewels were stored in the basement of Windsor Castle.
17. During World War II the castle was home to the young princesses Elizabeth and Margaret while their parents stayed in London.

18. Admission to the castle is free.
19. The castle is open to the public all year round.
20. The distance between Windsor and London is 11 miles.
21. Windsor Castle is often used by The Queen to host State Visits from overseas monarchs and presidents.
22. St. George's Chapel is open to the public.
23. Many royal weddings have been celebrated in the St. George's Chapel.
24. The Royal Standard is flown at royal residences only when the sovereign is present. If the Union Flag flies above Windsor Castle, it signals that the Queen is not in residence.

## IV. CASTLES OF ENGLAND QUIZ

**1. Alnwick Castle is a castle and stately home. In which English county?**

- A.) Kent                      B.) Northumberland                      C.) Cumbria

**2. In which castle was King Richard II probably murdered, as mentioned in William Shakespeare's play Richard III?**

- A.) Pontefract Castle                      B.) Durham Castle                      C.) Canterbury Castle

**3. Which is the largest palace of England?**

- A.) Kensington Palace                      B.) Buckingham Palace                      C.) The Palace of Westminster

**4. What was the first type of castle built by William the Conqueror?**

- A.) Hastings                      B.) Nottingham                      C.) Lancaster

**5. In 1127 King Henry I granted Rochester Castle to the Archbishop of Canterbury. What was his name?**

- A.) William du Chatoix                      B.) William Derby                      C.) William de Corbeil

**6. Which one is NOT a medieval castle of these?**

- A.) Warwick                      B.) Lincoln                      C.) Wray

**7. Which castle functions as a county house?**

- A.) Wentworth Castle                      B.) Windsor Castle                      C.) Warwick Castle

**8. How many rooms does Buckingham Palace contain?**

- A.) 775                      B.) 779                      C.) 815

**9. Which medieval castle, founded in the 11th century, has been described as the "Key to England" due to its defensive significance throughout history?**

- A.) Durham Castle                      B.) Dover Castle                      C.) Oxford Castle

**10. When were the oldest castles (Berkhamsted, Norwich) founded?**

- A.) 1062                      B.) 1065                      C.) 1067

**11. Who was Warwick Castle built by?**

- A.) William the Conqueror                      B.) Henry II                      C.) George I



**12. Dover Castle is located in the...**

A.) Northern county of Kent      B.) Southern county of Kent    C.) Western county of Kent

**13. Which castle was built in Neo-Romantic style?**

A.) Warwick Castle      B.) Wray Castle      C.) Norwich Castle

**13+1. Who DIDN'T live in Buckingham Palace?**

A.) Queen Anne      B.) Queen Victoria    C.) Elizabeth II

**V. YOU WILL GET SOME INFORMATION ABOUT SOME OF THE BEST-KNOWN CASTLES IN GREAT-BRITAIN. SOME WORDS ARE MISSING FROM THE TEXT, YOUR TASK IS TO FILL IN THE GAPS WITH THE MISSING WORDS.**

<i>royal</i>	<i>Medieval</i>	<i>electricity</i>	<i>home</i>
<i>deep</i>	<i>William the Conqueror</i>	<i>landmarks</i>	<i>years</i>
<i>each</i>	<i>Downtown Abbey</i>	<i>located</i>	<i>castle</i>
<i>famous</i>	<i>purpose</i>	<i>first</i>	

England is (1)..... to some of the world's most beautiful castles. One of them is Windsor Castle. This Berkshire-based (2)..... residence was built in the 11th century and it took about 16 (3).....to complete. Nowadays the Queen uses the castle as both her weekend home as well as a royal residence for official duties.

Tower of London belongs to the most important (4)..... of London. This well-known castle was used as a prison and it attracts nearly 3 million tourists (5).....year.

Bodiam Castle is one of the best examples of (6)..... castles in England. The castle was built in the 12th century with a defensive (7).....

To anyone who has watched (8)....., Highclere Castle will seem familiar. The Victorian castle in Hampshire was built in the second half of the 17th century.

Despite what the name suggests, Leeds Castle is not (9)..... in Leeds, it can be found in Kent. It used to be the home of Catherine of Aragon, the (10).....wife of Henry VIII.

Warwick Castle is a motte-and-bailey (11)..... located on the bend of River Aron.

Alnwick Castle is one of the first castles in England that was built without a square keep. The castle is separated from the town by a (12)..... ravine on one side and has the River Aln passing on the other.

The West Sussex castle of Arundel was also built by (13).....

The castle is (14).....for being one of the first English castles where central heating, (15)..... and lifts were installed.