

# Bond Tech Nexus

## Life in the UK Practice Test – Mock Exam 2

**1. Roast beef is traditionally associated with which part of the UK?**

- A. England
- B. Scotland
- C. Wales
- D. Northern Ireland

**2. Who may qualify for a 50% reduction in the cost of a TV licence?**

- A. Blind people
- B. Students
- C. Military personnel
- D. Deaf people

**3. Modern English developed mainly from a combination of which languages?**

- A. Norman French and Anglo-Saxon
- B. Gaelic and Celtic
- C. Celtic and Anglo-Saxon
- D. Latin and French

**4. How many Members of the Legislative Assembly (MLAs) sit in the Northern Ireland Assembly?**

- A. 90
- B. 110
- C. 119
- D. 129

**5. Approximately how long ago did the first farming communities arrive in Britain?**

- A. 6,000 years ago
- B. 4,000 years ago
- C. 8,000 years ago
- D. 10,000 years ago

**6. Which military leader defeated Napoleon at the Battle of Waterloo?**

- A. Winston Churchill
- B. The Duke of Wellington
- C. Admiral Nelson
- D. Sir Christopher Wren

**7. In which year did the Irish Free State formally become a republic?**

- A. 1922
- B. 1937
- C. 1949
- D. 1931

**8. The “Ulster Fry” is a traditional dish from which country?**

- A. Northern Ireland
- B. Scotland
- C. England
- D. Wales

**9. Who provides guided tours and explains the history of the Tower of London?**

- A. Official London Guides
- B. Military instructors
- C. Yeoman Warders (Beefeaters)
- D. Historians employed by Parliament

**10. Which two of Henry VIII’s wives were executed?**

- A. Jane Seymour
- B. Anne Boleyn
- C. Catherine Howard
- D. Anne of Cleves

**11. When was Ireland formally divided into Northern Ireland and what became the Irish Free State?**

- A. 1916
- B. 1921
- C. 1922
- D. 1959

**12. Volunteering in the UK is mandatory.**

- A. True
- B. False

**13. Today, which House has the greater legislative authority?**

- A. House of Lords
- B. House of Commons

**14. Which of the following are examples of social networking platforms? (Select TWO)**

- A. Telephone
- B. Email
- C. Twitter
- D. Facebook

**15. The “Carry On” series is best associated with which form of entertainment?**

- A. Theatre
- B. Novels
- C. Music
- D. Films

**16. If someone wishes to complain about the police, which actions are appropriate? (Select TWO)**

- A. Attend a police station
- B. Write to the Chief Constable
- C. Visit a local polling station
- D. Contact a council office

**17. Sir Edward Elgar composed “The Planets.”**

- A. True
- B. False

**18. Members of the Women’s Social and Political Union were commonly known as:**

- A. Reformists
- B. Suffragettes
- C. Parliamentarians
- D. Activists

**19. The Norman system of land ownership introduced after 1066 was called:**

- A. Democracy
- B. Feudalism
- C. The Magna Carta
- D. Noble tenure

**20. Which constitutional figure may “advise, warn and encourage” but does not govern directly?**

- A. The Prime Minister
- B. The Monarch
- C. The Speaker
- D. The Cabinet

**21. Which awards ceremony honours excellence in British theatre?**

- A. The Turner Prize
- B. The Brit Awards
- C. The Mercury Prize
- D. The Laurence Olivier Awards

**22. UK law prohibits discrimination based on gender or marital status.**

- A. True
- B. False

**23. Catherine Howard was related to Anne Boleyn.**

- A. True
- B. False

**24. William the Conqueror was originally:**

- A. William, Duke of Normandy
- B. William, Duke of France

- C. William, Duke of Edinburgh
- D. William, Duke of Aquitaine

## **Answer Key – Mock Exam 2**

- 1. A
- 2. A
- 3. A
- 4. A
- 5. A
- 6. B
- 7. C
- 8. A
- 9. C
- 10. B & C
- 11. C
- 12. B
- 13. B
- 14. C & D
- 15. D

16. A & B

17. B

18. B

19. B

20. B

21. D

22. A

23. A

24. A