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I. Circle the correct answer:

1. In strict geographic terms, Great Britain (also known as “Britain”) is tucked between the North Sea and the English Channel, which at its narrowest point is about 20 miles away from the European continent.
A. a continent B. an island C. a peninsula D. an archipelago
2., Canada, New Zealand and South Africa were the first countries to join Britain in the Commonwealth of Nations.
A. India B. The Caribbean C. Australia D. South Africa
3. Commonwealth action is based upon consultation between members, which is conducted through correspondence and through conversations in meetings. Each member country sends an emissary, called a high, to the capitals of the other members.
A. envoy B. commissioner C. ambassador D. representative
4. At high-level international events, the Commonwealth is represented by the Chair-in-Office, which rotates between member states every years.
A. three B. five C. four D. two
5. Although the Commonwealth is widely considered to have begun with the signing of the Balfour Declaration in 1926, the official founding documents were not completed until the 1931 Statute of, so that is the date founding countries are said to have joined.
A. Buckingham B. Westminster C. Salisbury D. Durham
6. The capital of Scotland is
A. Belfast B. Cardiff C. Glasgow D. Edinburgh
7. The monarch, referred to in the abstract as ‘The Crown’, is the formal source of all and executive power.
A. constitutional B. political C. religious D. legislative

8. In addition to the constitutional duties, the monarch is also the head of the; the head of the judiciary; and the head of the civil service.
A. armed forces B. Parliament C. Government D. Senate
9. Since Henry VIII, the British monarch has been Supreme Governor of the of England.
A. Government B. Administration C. Church D. Ministry
10. At the time of her birth, Victoria was never expected to be queen. Yet upon the death of her, King William IV, she succeeded him at the age of 18.
A. father B. uncle C. cousin D. brother
11. **Queen Victoria** was the last of the house ofand gave her name to an era, the Victorian Age.
A. Tudor B. Stuart C. Hanover D. Coburg
12. Elizabeth I - the last Tudor monarch - was born at Greenwich on 7 September 1533, the daughter of Henry VIII and his wife, Anne Boleyn.
A. third B. first C. fourth D. second
13. Under Elizabeth I's reign, brave voyages and expeditions prepared England for an age of colonisation and trade expansion, which Elizabeth herself recognised by establishing the East Company at the end of 1599.
A. India B. Caribbean C. African D. Asia
14. The image of Elizabeth I's reign is one of triumph and success. The Queen herself was often called 'Gloriana', 'Good Queen Bess' and 'The Queen'.
A. White B. Virgin C. Victorious D. Triumphant
15. Elizabeth I's reign was one of considerable danger and difficulty for many, with threats of invasion from Spain through Ireland, and from through Scotland.
A. Italy B. Portugal C. France D. Germany
16. In 1588, aided by bad weather, the English navy scored a great victory over the Spanish invasion fleet of around 130 ships - the '.....', which was intended to overthrow the Queen and re-establish Roman Catholicism by conquest.
A. 'Armada' B. 'Ganadora' C. 'Grandiosa' D. 'Flotilla'
17. ... **Robinson Crusoe**, one of the best-known characters in world literature, is a fictional English seaman who is shipwrecked on an island foryears.
A. 28 B. 25 C. 20 D. 27
18. **David Copperfield**, in full **The History of David Copperfield**, novel by English writer Charles Dickens, was published serially between 1849–1850 and in book form in 1850.
A. Proper B. Personal C. Particular D. Peculiar
19. Harry Potter becomes a student at Hogwarts and is sorted into House.
A. Hufflepuff B. Slytherin C. Ravenclaw D. Gryffindor
20. In the novel, Harry Potter and the Prisoner of Azkaban, Harry learns that he is targeted by Sirius Black, an escaped convict who allegedly assisted in his parents' murder.
A. second B. third C. fourth D. sixth

II. Write a text based on the picture below (120 -150 words). Please remember to give a title to your text.

