



Scotland

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To find out more about Scotland, start reading at number 1.

- ① Scotland is in the north of Great Britain. Queen Elizabeth II is its head of state (*Staatsoberhaupt*). Although she lives in England most of the time, she has a home in Edinburgh. Its name is Holyrood Palace.
- ② The Highland Games are traditional events (*Veranstaltungen*) with very special sports and games – for example, the caber toss. This means you have to throw the trunk (*Stamm*) of a tree. Another Scottish tradition has to do with an instrument: the bagpipe.
- ③ Hollywood Palace was a TV show in the 1960s. The Queen's home is not a TV show!
- ④ This flag is white and has a blue cross. It's the flag of Finland, not Scotland.
- ⑤ Edinburgh is the capital (*Hauptstadt*) of Scotland. More than 500,000 people live there. You can find it in the east of Scotland. If you ever go to Edinburgh, you must visit Edinburgh Castle. Edinburgh is not the biggest city in Scotland. There is one town that is bigger than Edinburgh. It has seven letters.
- ⑥ There are many lakes in Scotland. The Scottish people call them lochs. The most famous loch is probably Loch Ness. It's famous for Nessie, the Loch Ness Monster. Something a little less mysterious is the Scottish money, the pound.
- ⑦ The kilt is a traditional piece of clothing (*Kleidungsstück*) in Scotland. It is a short skirt that boys and men wear on special occasions (*Anlässe*). It's almost always red and checked (*kariert*). Something else that is very traditional is a dish called haggis.
- ⑧ The Scottish flag represents (*darstellen*) the cross of the patron saint (*Schutzpatron*) of Scotland, St. Andrew, on a blue sky. The patron is very important for the country. St. Andrew's Day is the Scottish national holiday.
- ⑨ This is a pipe for smoking. There is no bag and it's not an instrument.



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- ② The Highland Games are traditional events (*Veranstaltungen*) with very special sports and games. When doing the caber toss, for example, you have to lift and throw the trunk (*Stamm*) of a tree. You can see the Highland Games at more than 100 different places in spring and summer. Another Scottish tradition has to do with an instrument: the bagpipe.
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- ⑤ Edinburgh is the capital (*Hauptstadt*) of Scotland and home to more than 500,000 people. It is in the east of Scotland. It has many tourist attractions and sights. If you ever go to Edinburgh, you must visit Edinburgh Castle. But Edinburgh is not the biggest city in Scotland; there is one town that is even bigger. Look for a five-letter word to find out which town it is.



- ⑥ Scotland's landscape is full of big and small lakes called lochs. The most famous loch is probably Loch Ness. That's because a long time ago someone created the mystery of Nessie, the Loch Ness Monster. Something that's a little less mysterious is the money the Scottish use, the pound.

Put Nessie in the loch on the map.

- ⑦ The kilt is a traditional piece of clothing (*Kleidungsstück*) in Scotland. It is a short skirt with pleats (*Falten*) worn by boys and men on special occasions (*Anlässe*). It's almost always red and checked (*kariert*). It is said that men don't wear anything underneath it (*darunter*) ... Something else that is very traditional is a dish called haggis.