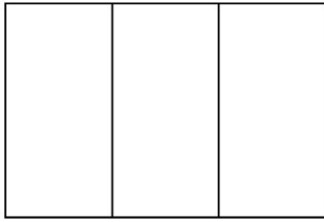


IRELAND - A WEBQUEST

I. THE IRISH FLAGS :

A. The Republic of Ireland



[Ireland | Facts, History & News \(infoplease.com\)](http://infoplease.com)

[CAIN: Symbols - Flags Used in Northern Ireland \(ulster.ac.uk\)](http://ulster.ac.uk)

1. What sort of flag is this?

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2. What colour is placed near the flagpole?

3. What colour represents / stands for the native people of Ireland? What may this colour refer to?

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4. What does the orange colour stand for or represent? Which famous historical character does it refer to?

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5. What does the colour in the middle of the flag represent?

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6. When was this flag first used?

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7. When did it become the flag of the Republic of Ireland?

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B. Ulster

Title : _____

What are the 4 elements of it and what do they represent ?

	Element	What does it represent ?
1		
2		
3		
4		



II. POPULATION

1. Pick out information concerning the population of the Republic of Ireland

[republic of ireland facts, population, politics and geography ireland \(ireland-fun-facts.com\)](http://ireland-fun-facts.com)

[Languages - Ireland \(nationsencyclopedia.com\)](http://nationsencyclopedia.com)

- Number of inhabitants:
- Distribution by age:
- Geographical distribution:

- 2.What is the most practiced religion in the Republic of Ireland and its percentage?

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- 3.What is the second official language spoken in Ireland?

Translate this sentence in English, then in French: Ní féidir liom Gaeilge a labhairt!
(Use google traduction)

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III. SPORT ART AND CULTURE

1. What does the acronym GAA stand for? What is its role?

[Traditional Irish Sports - Gaelic Football and Hurling \(gaelicmatters.com\)](http://gaelicmatters.com)

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2. What are these traditional Irish sports called?



3. What is the name of the Stadium in Dublin that hosts the traditional Gaelic games?

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4. Here are a few very famous Irish authors. Who wrote what?
Link the two columns.

1. Samuel Beckett		A. Dubliners /Ulysses
2. George Bernard Shaw		B. Pygmalion
3. James Joyce		C. Dracula
4. C.S Lewis		D. The importance of being earnest
5. Oscar Wilde		E. Waiting for Godot
6. Jonathan Swift		F. The Chronicles of Narnia
7. Bram Stoker		G. Gulliver's travels

5. Irish Myths and legends:

a. Write the name of each mythical creature under its picture.

[Top 10 Irish Myths and Legends - Toptenz.net](http://Toptenz.net)

6. Irish music and dance





[Irish dance - Wikipedia](http://Wikipedia)

a. On which French dance are Irish dances based?

b. Which famous show popularized Irish dancing?

c. Write the name of the following traditional Irish instruments

[Irish Musical Instruments \(stmoroky.com\)](http://stmoroky.com)

d. Famous Irish singers and bands.








Who sang what ? Write the following titles below the artists.

Zombie / Thousands are sailing / Famine / Bloody Sunday / Dirty old town / With or without you / Nothing compares 2U/ Linger /

IV. FOOD

Here are a few traditional Irish dishes.

Link the 3 columns and write the name of the dish under the pictures above.

PICTURE	NAME	Description
1	COLCANNON	Irish food made of boiled pigs' feet, traditionally eaten by hands
2	IRISH STEW	It consists of battered fish, cod or haddock, and deep-fried chips
3	FISH AND CHIPS	A yeasted bread with added sultanas or raisins
4	BARMBRACK	Dish made from lamb or mutton as well as potatoes, onions and parsley. It may sometimes include carrots.
5	CRUBEENS	Traditional Irish dish consisting of mashed potatoes with kale or cabbage
6	DUBLIN LAWYER	A meat pie with a crust of mashed potato
7	COTTAGE PIE	Fresh lobster baked with cream and Irish whiskey