

Ireland's geography and history



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① Fill in the gaps

The Republic of Ireland is divided into 26 . The first settlers were from the

tribe. , the patron saint brought Christianity to the island in the century. Ireland's national symbols are harp and .

Besides English is also spoken, mostly in the northern part of the country.

② Bring these historic events into the correct order. (1-5)

- Ireland becomes an independent republic.
- Guinness, the largest company, is founded.
- The Republic enters the European Community (later EU).
- Missionaries arrive in 450 AD.
- 1 mio. people in the wake of the 'potato famine'.



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③ Find some interesting facts about Ireland's capital, Dublin.

- Apply various search keywords
- Use at least three different websites
- Quote the source after each info



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④ Which statement is true?

- Giant's Causeway is composed of Granite.
- Ireland's longest river is the Liffey.
- The national writer is William Butler Yeats.
- One can find many well-preserved castles and ruins on the Rock of Kerry.

Do you know the correct info?

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