

THE WHITE HOUSE



Listening exercise

Listen and complete the text with numbers:

412 1792 35 147 132 1800 28 1600
six three eight

The White House in facts and figures

Pennsylvania Avenue is the home of the President of the USA. It is also known as The White House. It was built between and . There are rooms, bathrooms and floors. There are also doors, windows, fireplaces, staircases and lifts. This house has also got a tennis court, a jogging track, a swimming pool, a cinema and a bowling alley.

True / false

You can't play tennis in The White House.	TRUE - FALSE
You can swim in The White House.	TRUE - FALSE
The White House was built in the 18 th century.	TRUE - FALSE
The White House is in Washington DC.	TRUE - FALSE
The White House is home of the President of the UK.	TRUE - FALSE

Watch the video from 2,25 minutes to 6,57 minutes and answer the questions:

- 1 Who was the first President of the USA?
- 2 Did G. Washington live in The White House?
- 3 What was the original name of The White House?
- 4 When was the war between the USA and Great Britain?

Watch the video and answer the questions:

- 1 How many parts did The White House have?
- 2 Who works in the east wing?
- 3 How many floors does the Residence have?
- 4 What floor does connect the east and west wing?
- 5 What colours do some rooms of the Residence have?
- 6 Where does the US president live?
- 7 Where does the US president work?