

Topic 1. Завдання на встановлення відповідності між заголовком і текстом.

Read information about UK music festivals. For each task (1–8) choose the corresponding variant (A–E). Write down the letter into the table. Each letter can be used more than once. For each correct answer you get 1 point.

► UK music festivals ◀

The United Kingdom has a long tradition of music festivals. There are a large number of them, covering a wide variety of music genres. Here is the Top Five.

A ► Glastonbury Festival

The Glastonbury Festival is the world's largest green field open-air music and performing arts festival. Apart from contemporary music, the festival features such attractions as dance, comedy, theatre, circus, a kid's area and poetry. It is also committed to the protection of the environment: it encourages water and energy saving and the use of fair-trade products. Glastonbury is a definite must for every festival-goer. So, come to the Vale of Avalon (they say this is where King Arthur was buried!) between 24th and 28th June.

B ► T in the Park

T in the Park is a three-day festival that has been held in Scotland since 2004. It takes place on the same weekend as the Oxegen festival in Ireland (between 10th and 12th July) and usually features a similar selection of artists. Located in a huge area of a disused airfield in Balado, T in the Park is one of the noisiest and craziest festivals in Great Britain. Altogether, there are seven music stages, as well as other attractions such as a large funfair, numerous shops and bars serving organic food and drink.

C ► Wireless Festival

Held over two days in London's Hyde Park, the Wireless Festival is Britain's top event for fans of dance, pop, and rock music. There are also countless entertainment activities, including food stalls, chill out areas, and video games areas. The festival takes place between 4th and 5th July in the very heart of London with easy access to a lot of tube lines and bus routes.

D ► Wakestock

The festival started in Abersoch, North Wales, in 2000 as a wakeboard contest (wakeboarding is a combination of water skiing and surfing) followed by a party in a car park for 800 people with live performances of rock bands and DJs. It still remains the largest wakeboard competition in Europe. You certainly couldn't ask for a more scenic location: the main three sites are situated at the foot of the Snowdonia Mountains overlooking Cardigan Bay. Wakestock welcomes both wakeboard and music fans between 10th and 12th July.

E ► The Eden Sessions

The name of the festival comes from the name of its location – the Eden Project, the world's largest glass-domed global garden, referred to as the Eighth Wonder of the World. The Eden Sessions offer a festival experience like no other. The spectacular surroundings attract world-class artists and the festival organisers use them to encourage audiences to think about what they can do to help our planet. The festival takes place in St Austell, Cornwall, on various dates in July and August.

Which festival...

1.	...is located in the center of a big city?	
2.	...started as an event during which music wasn't most important?	
3.	...usually features the same kind of musicians as another music event?	
4.	...is set in a place associated with a well-known legend?	
5.	...makes people aware of environmental issues thanks to its location?	
6.	...is located in a place of great natural beauty?	
7.	...is located in a place where planes used to land and take off?	
8.	...has the widest offer of cultural attractions?	