

NEW ZEALAND

Answer the questions below:

1. What is the population of New Zealand?
2. What is the capital of NZ?
3. Which is the largest city in NZ?
4. Which animal is national icon of New Zealand?
5. Who was the first European to see New Zealand?
6. Which languages are spoken in NZ?
7. Which New Zealander was the first person to climb Mount Everest?
8. What constellation can you find on the flag of NZ?
9. Which is the highest mountain in NZ?
10. What is Tuatara?
11. How is called traditional Maori war dance?
12. Who gave the name “New Zealand” to the land?
13. When did New Zealand officially become part of the UK?

Solution:

1. over 4 million
2. Wellington
3. Auckland (over 1.3 million people)
4. Kiwi bird
5. Abel Tasman
6. English, Maori, NZ Sign language
7. Sir Edmund Hillary
8. The Southern Cross
9. Mount Cook
10. a greenish brown reptile similar to a lizard
11. Haka, famous mainly thanks to international NZ rugby team called the All Blacks
12. Abel Tasman, New Zealand = sea land
13. In 1840, Treaty of Waitanga which gave rights to Maoris and ensured British sovereignty