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**Match terms**

*Task: Match each term with the appropriate explanation!*

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| (A) | NRM | (1) | largest ethnic group in Uganda |
| (B) | Bunyoro | (2) | located in the west of Uganda |
| (C) | Baganda | (3) | highest point in Uganda |
| (E) | Rwenzori Mountains | (4) | powerful kingdom before colonization |
| (E) | Buganda | (5) | another powerful pre-colonial kingdom |
| (E) | Imbalu | (6) | yet another pre-colonial kingdom |
| (L) | Margherita Peak | (7) | National Resistance Movement party |
| (R) | Ankole | (8) | traditional Ugandan harp |
| (T) | Endongo | (9) | circumcision ritual of the Bagisu |

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| **Keyword:** | \_\_\_ | \_\_\_ | \_\_\_ | \_\_\_ | \_\_\_ | \_\_\_ | \_\_\_ | \_\_\_ | \_\_\_ |
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**Complete sentences**

*Task: Match the beginning of each sentence with the end!*

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| (D) | Yoweri Museveni has ruled since the 1980s ... | (1) | ... and has a tropical climate. |
| (E) | Lake Victoria is in Uganda ... | (2) | ... and is the second largest. |
| (N) | Uganda gained independence in 1962 ... | (3) | ... after being a British colony. |
| (N) | Music and dance are important ... | (4) | ... and is still in power. |
| (O) | Uganda’s economy is diverse ... | (5) | ... with agriculture, mining and services. |
| (S) | Education in Uganda has improved ... | (6) | ... in Uganda’s cultural life. |
| (T) | Uganda is in East Africa ... | (7) | ... but access is still a challenge. |

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**Questions (multiple choice)**

*Task: Answer the questions!*

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| 1. | What is the largest ethnic group in Uganda? |
| (R) | Ankole |
| (S) | Baganda |
| (V) | Bunyoro |
| 2. | What is the highest point in Uganda? |
| (A) | Margherita Peak |
| (B) | Mount Moroto |
| (S) | Mount Elgon |
| 3. | Who has ruled Uganda since the 1980s? |
| (D) | Yoweri Museveni |
| (N) | Milton Obote |
| (R) | Idi Amin |
| 4. | What is a traditional Ugandan instrument? |
| (D) | Endongo |
| (R) | Balafon |
| (V) | Kora |
| 5. | What is a cultural event in Uganda? |
| (A) | Nyau |
| (L) | Imbalu |
| (S) | Gule Wamkulu |
| 6. | What is the most popular sport in Uganda? |
| (E) | Soccer |
| (R) | Cricket |
| (V) | Rugby |

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**Right or wrong?**

*Task: State whether the statements are true or false!*

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| right | wrong |  |
| (M) | (V) | 1. Uganda is located in East Africa. |
| (F) | (E) | 2. Uganda is in West Africa. |
| (R) | (L) | 3. Lake Victoria is the largest freshwater lake. |
| (O) | (R) | 4. Lake Victoria is in Uganda. |
| (D) | (T) | 5. Uganda gained independence in 1962. |
| (A) | (Y) | 6. Uganda gained independence in 1972. |

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**7 Questions about the text**

*Task: Answer the questions in one or two complete sentences!*

What are the main sectors of Uganda’s economy?

What is the climate like in Uganda?

What languages are spoken in Uganda?

What is the literacy rate in Uganda?

What is the population of Uganda?

Who are the Uganda Cranes?

What is special about Lake Victoria?

**Solution sheet 1**

**Uganda**

**Match terms**

Baganda = largest ethnic group in Uganda

Rwenzori Mountains = located in the west of Uganda

Margherita Peak = highest point in Uganda

Buganda = powerful kingdom before colonization

Bunyoro = another powerful pre-colonial kingdom

Ankole = yet another pre-colonial kingdom

NRM = National Resistance Movement party

Endongo = traditional Ugandan harp

Imbalu = circumcision ritual of the Bagisu

Keyword: CELEBRATE

**Complete sentences**

Uganda is in East Africa | and has a tropical climate.

Lake Victoria is in Uganda | and is the second largest.

Uganda gained independence in 1962 | after being a British colony.

Yoweri Museveni has ruled since the 1980s | and is still in power.

Uganda’s economy is diverse | with agriculture, mining and services.

Music and dance are important | in Uganda’s cultural life.

Education in Uganda has improved | but access is still a challenge.

Keyword: TENDONS

**Questions**

What is the largest ethnic group in Uganda?

Baganda

What is the highest point in Uganda?

Margherita Peak

Who has ruled Uganda since the 1980s?

Yoweri Museveni

What is a traditional Ugandan instrument?

Endongo

What is a cultural event in Uganda?

Imbalu

What is the most popular sport in Uganda?

Soccer

Keyword: SADDLE

**Right or wrong?**

right

1. Uganda is located in East Africa.

4. Lake Victoria is in Uganda.

5. Uganda gained independence in 1962.

wrong

6. Uganda gained independence in 1972.

2. Uganda is in West Africa.

3. Lake Victoria is the largest freshwater lake.

Keyword: MELODY

**Solution sheet 2**

**Uganda**

**Questions and answers**

What are the main sectors of Uganda’s economy?

The main sectors of Uganda’s economy are agriculture, mining, and services, with tourism also playing a significant role.

What is the climate like in Uganda?

Uganda has a tropical climate with two rainy seasons and two dry seasons each year.

What languages are spoken in Uganda?

English and Swahili are the official languages in Uganda, but many people also speak a local language.

What is the literacy rate in Uganda?

The literacy rate in Uganda is around 76 percent.

What is the population of Uganda?

Around 45 million people live in Uganda.

Who are the Uganda Cranes?

The Uganda Cranes is the national soccer team of Uganda.

What is special about Lake Victoria?

Lake Victoria is the second largest freshwater lake in the world and is located in Uganda.