

Fact and Opinion Sorting

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Instructions:

Read each statement carefully. Decide whether it is a **fact** (something that can be proven true) or an **opinion** (someone's belief or feeling). Write your answer in the space provided.

1. New Zealand is made up of two main islands, the North Island and the South Island.

This is a: _____

2. The kiwi is the best national bird in the world.

This is a: _____

3. Mount Cook is the tallest mountain in New Zealand, standing at 3,724 metres.

This is a: _____

4. Wellington is a more exciting city to visit than Auckland.

This is a: _____

5. The Treaty of Waitangi was signed on 6 February 1840.

This is a: _____

6. Everyone should learn to speak te reo Māori.

This is a: _____

7. New Zealand has a population of approximately 5 million people.

This is a: _____

8. Pavlova is the most delicious dessert ever created.

This is a: _____

9. The kea is the world's only alpine parrot.

This is a: _____

10. Swimming at the beach is more fun than hiking in the bush.

This is a: _____

11. New Zealand won the Rugby World Cup in 2011 and 2015.

This is a: _____

12. The All Blacks are the greatest rugby team of all time.

This is a: _____

Remember: A fact can be checked and proven. An opinion is what someone thinks or feels and may vary from person to person.