

The National Anthem of the United Kingdom...some facts!

- Written around 277 years ago!
- An 'Anthem' is an exciting uplifting song to do with a particular group of people
- Nobody knows who wrote it, but bits of it have been said to have been written by a man called John Bull.
- The melody to a very similar song was first published in a magazine in 1745
- It has 3 verses but they are hardly ever all performed.
 - The Royal family get to hear it when they appear at events...
 - The Queen gets to hear ALL of it...whereas...
 - The Prince of Wales only gets 6 bars!

