

Wimbledon 2021

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Wimbledon

Wimbledon is the oldest tennis championship in the world. It is one of the four grand slam tournaments. It is the only one played on grass.

Dates

It starts in late June and lasts two weeks. This year it ends on Sunday 11th July. There was no championship in 2020 because of Covid-19.

Traditions

Dark green and purple are the traditional colours.

The players must wear white.



Strawberries and cream are the traditional snack. Approximately 28,000 kilograms of strawberries and 7,000 litres of cream are sold each year during the Championships. This year a punnet will cost £2.50.

Defending Champions

In 2019, Novak Djokovic won the men's singles for the fifth time. Simona Halep won the ladies' singles. She is the first Romanian to win a Wimbledon singles title. She will not defend her title in 2021 due to a leg injury.



Images from <https://en.wikipedia.org/> and www.wimbledon.com

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1. Which sport is played at Wimbledon?

(E2.8. 1 mark)

2. How long does the tournament last?

(E2.8, E2.9. 1 mark)

3. What colour must the tennis players wear?

(E3.9. 1 mark)

4. What is the traditional snack at Wimbledon?

(E2.8, E2.12. 1 mark)

5. How much will a punnet of strawberries cost this year?

(E3.9. 1 mark)

6. How many times has Novak Djokovic won the men's singles?

(E3.9. 1 mark)

7. Who is the defending men's champion?

(E3.12. 1 mark)

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8. Look up **punnet** in a dictionary and write the definition here.

(E3.11. 1 mark)

9. There are three sentences about Simona Halep.
Join **any two** of these sentences using a suitable conjunction.
Write the new compound sentence below.
You can change or remove some words so it makes sense.

(E2.19, E3.21. 3 marks)

10. Describe the Wimbledon logo. Write three sentences about its shape, colour and other features. Use at least **two** conjunctions.

(E2.19, E2.20, E3.19, E3.21, 8 marks)

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Wimbledon seeds – women

Here are the top 10 women's seeds this year.

Use the **first names** to put them in alphabetical order.

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|-----|-------------------|-------|
| 1. | Ashleigh BARTY | (AUS) |
| 2. | Aryna SABALENKA | (BLR) |
| 3. | Elina SVITOLINA | (UKR) |
| 4. | Sofia KENIN | (USA) |
| 5. | Bianca ANDREESCU | (CAN) |
| 6. | Serena WILLIAMS | (USA) |
| 7. | Iga SWIATEK | (POL) |
| 8. | Karolina PLISKOVA | (CZE) |
| 9. | Belinda BENCIC | (SUI) |
| 10. | Petra KVITOVA | (CZE) |

(E2.15, E3.16. 3 marks)

List of 2021 seeds from https://www.wimbledon.com/en_GB/atoz/seeds.html (June 25, 2021)

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Wimbledon seeds – men

Here are the top 10 men's seeds playing this year.

Use the **family names** to put them in alphabetical order.

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|-----|------------------------|-------|
| 1. | DJOKOVIC, Novak | (SRB) |
| 2. | MEDVEDEV, Daniil | (RUS) |
| 3. | TSITSIPAS, Stefanos | (GRE) |
| 4. | ZVEREV, Alexander | (GER) |
| 5. | RUBLEV, Andrey | (RUS) |
| 6. | FEDERER, Roger | (SUI) |
| 7. | BERRETTINI, Matteo | (ITA) |
| 8. | BAUTISTA AGUT, Roberto | (ESP) |
| 9. | SCHWARTZMAN, Diego | (ARG) |
| 10. | SHAPOVALOV, Denis | (CAN) |

(E2.15, E3.16. 3 marks)

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