

Practical Heraldry Course for Self-Isolationists—Week One—The Quiz

Tick the correct **blazon** for each of the following coats of arms:

1. Maxwell of Caerlaverock



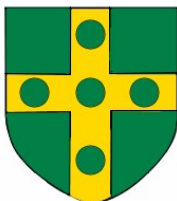
- A. Gules a cross Argent
- B. Argent a cross Sable.
- C. Azure a saltire Or.
- D. Argent a saltire Sable.

2. MacArthur of that ilk



- A. Argent three crowns Gules
- B. Or three crowns Azure
- C. Sable three crowns Or
- D. Azure three crowns Or.

3. Greenfield of Fascadale



- A. Gules on a cross Or five torteaux.
- B. Vert on a cross Or five pommes.
- C. Vert on a cross Argent five plates.
- D. Vert on a saltire Or five pommes.

4. Erskine



- A. Argent a pale Sable
- B. Argent a fess Sable
- C. Or a fess Gules
- D. Or a pale Sable.

5. England



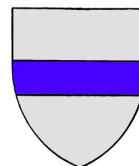
- A. Lions statant
- B. Lions rampant
- C. Lions passant

6. Scotland



- A. Lion statant
- B. Lion rampant
- C. Lion passant

7. Charteris



- A. Argent a fess Azure
- B. Azure a fess Argent
- C. Azure a pale Argent

Tick the correct word for each of these.

8.



- A. Torse
- B. Crest
- C. Charge
- D. Coat of arms

9.



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10.



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Answers to Week One Quiz

1. Maxwell of Caerlaverock



B. Argent a saltire Sable.

2. MacArthur of that ilk



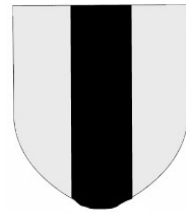
D. Azure three crowns Or.

3. Greenfield of Fascadale



D. Vert on a cross Or five pomes.

4. Erskine



A. Argent a pale Sable

5. England



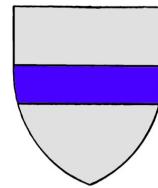
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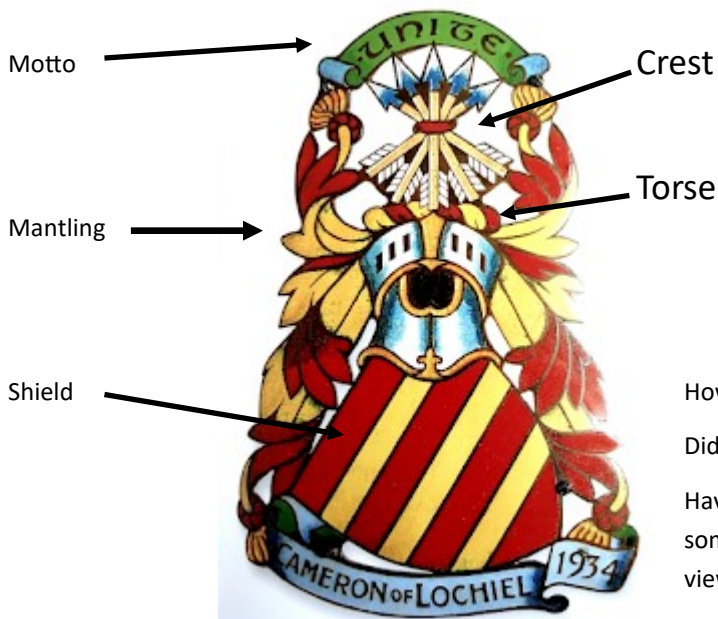


A. Torse

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D. Coat of arms



Here is the **coat of arms**, as shown on his stall in the Thistle Chapel, of Sir Donald Walter Cameron of Lochiel KT (1876-1951)

How did you get on?

Did you get 10 out of 10?

Have a great weekend. There are some suggestions for heraldic viewing on the next page

Weekend Activities

Some recommended viewing (I know we have all been on our screens too much but these are GOOD and very short.)



Here is a short programme introduced by a former Lyon Office artist, Romilly Squire, on the Heraldry of Queensberry House, at the Scottish Parliament <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=U4Yi70dMDyk>



Romilly Squire again, this time talking about the heraldry in the main hall at the Scottish Parliament.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=rEq4tDhKZA8&t=2s>



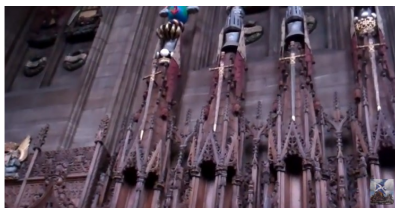
Another very short film, this time without words but demonstrating the art of Ioannis Vlazakis, the eminent Greek heraldic artist .

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ibWg70bUP-l&t=81s>



The art of heraldic carver, Patrick Damiaens.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=pdbhrMRfrqI>



A very short film of the Thistle Chapel in Edinburgh, showing the knights' crests placed high above their stalls and plates with the knights' coats of arms placed on the back of each stall.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=q3akD8R-hp4>

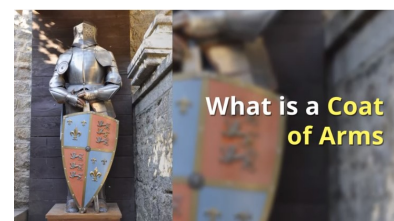


Heraldry in action: the Lord Lyon, Heralds and Pursuivants attend Her Majesty the Queen as Sovereign of the Most Ancient and Most Noble Order of the Thistle.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bbLh4Ztc1Jc&t=30s>

A very short guide to coats of arms can be found here: - it takes less than 1.5 minutes!

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=osbMXZstL4o>



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