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## Questions for oral answer on a future day

### (Future Day Orals)

Questions for oral answer on a future day as of Tuesday 21 October 2025.

T Indicates a topical question. Members are selected by ballot to ask a Topical Question.

[R] Indicates that a relevant interest has been declared.

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## Questions for Answer on Wednesday 22 October

### Oral Questions to the Secretary of State for Scotland

- 1 **Charlie Dewhirst** (Bridlington and The Wolds): What assessment he has made of the potential impact of changes to Inheritance Tax relief on Scotland's agricultural sector. (905876)
- 2 **Dr Ben Spencer** (Runnymede and Weybridge): What assessment he has made of the contribution of North Sea gas and oil to energy security. (905877)
- 3 **Douglas McAllister** (West Dunbartonshire): What steps he is taking with Cabinet colleagues to support regeneration in Scotland through the Pride in Place programme. (905878)
- 4 **Mr Angus MacDonald** (Inverness, Skye and West Ross-shire): What steps he is taking to help ensure that people do not pay disproportionately high energy prices in Scotland. (905879)
- 5 **Jack Rankin** (Windsor): What his policy is on holding a referendum on Scottish independence. (905880)
- 6 **Blake Stephenson** (Mid Bedfordshire): What assessment he has made of the potential impact of changes to Inheritance Tax relief on Scotland's agricultural sector. (905881)
- 7 **Ben Lake** (Ceredigion Preseli): What recent discussions he has had with the Chancellor of the Exchequer on fiscal steps to reduce the cost of living in Scotland. (905882)

- 8 **John Cooper** (Dumfries and Galloway): What assessment he has made of the potential impact of visits abroad by Scottish Government Ministers on UK trade policy. (905883)
  - 9 **Euan Stainbank** (Falkirk): What steps he is taking with Cabinet colleagues to support economic growth in Scotland. (905884)
  - 10 **Sir Ashley Fox** (Bridgwater): What assessment he has made with Cabinet colleagues of the potential impact of net zero policies on Scotland's oil and gas sector. (905885)
  - 11 **Brendan O'Hara** (Argyll, Bute and South Lochaber): What his policy is on the holding of a referendum on Scottish independence. (905886)
  - 12 **Pamela Nash** (Motherwell, Wishaw and Carluke): What steps he is taking with Cabinet colleagues to support regeneration in Scotland through the Pride in Place programme. (905887)
  - 13 **Mr Gregory Campbell** (East Londonderry): If he will hold discussions with Scottish football authorities on the display of banners supporting deceased supporters of terrorism at football grounds. (905888)
  - 14 **Patricia Ferguson** (Glasgow West): What assessment he has made of the the potential impact of the contract to supply Norway with Type 26 frigates on Scotland's economy. (905889)
  - 15 **Lewis Cocking** (Broxbourne): What assessment he has made with Cabinet colleagues of the potential impact of net zero policies on Scotland's oil and gas sector. (905890)
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**At 12:00pm**

**Oral Questions to the Prime Minister**

- 1 **Dr Roz Savage** (South Cotswolds): If he will list his official engagements for Wednesday 22 October. (905936)
- 2 **Wendy Morton** (Aldridge-Brownhills): (905937)
- 3 **Jayne Kirkham** (Truro and Falmouth): (905938)
- 4 **Mr Will Forster** (Woking): (905939)
- 5 **Bill Esterson** (Sefton Central): (905940)
- 6 **Sir Ashley Fox** (Bridgwater): (905941)
- 7 **Daniel Francis** (Bexleyheath and Crayford): (905942)
- 8 **Simon Hoare** (North Dorset): (905943)

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| 9  | <b>Rebecca Smith</b> (South West Devon):                 | (905944) |
| 10 | <b>Michelle Welsh</b> (Sherwood Forest):                 | (905945) |
| 11 | <b>Lee Barron</b> (Corby and East Northamptonshire):     | (905946) |
| 12 | <b>Alan Strickland</b> (Newton Aycliffe and Spennymoor): | (905947) |
| 13 | <b>Sarah Dyke</b> (Glastonbury and Somerton):            | (905948) |
| 14 | <b>Ms Julie Minns</b> (Carlisle):                        | (905949) |
| 15 | <b>Patrick Hurley</b> (Southport):                       | (905950) |
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## Questions for Answer on Thursday 23 October

### Oral Questions to the Minister for the Cabinet Office

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| 1  | <b>Lewis Atkinson</b> (Sunderland Central): What steps he is taking to develop the Government's approach to public sector reform.  | (905951) |
| 2  | <b>Mrs Elsie Blundell</b> (Heywood and Middleton North): What steps he is taking with Cabinet colleagues to reform public services.  | (905952) |
| 3  | <b>David Davis</b> (Goole and Pocklington): What steps he is taking to increase civil service productivity.  | (905953) |
| 4  | <b>Michelle Scroggham</b> (Barrow and Furness): What recent assessment he has made of the efficiency of the security clearance processes of United Kingdom Security Vetting.               | (905954) |
| 5  | <b>Danny Beales</b> (Uxbridge and South Ruislip): What recent steps his Department has taken to strengthen partnership working with the voluntary sector.                                  | (905955) |
| 6  | <b>Katrina Murray</b> (Cumbernauld and Kirkintilloch): What progress he has made with Cabinet colleagues on improving cross-government coordination on preparedness for a future pandemic. | (905958) |
| 7  | <b>Alison Hume</b> (Scarborough and Whitby): What recent progress his Department has made on strengthening national resilience.  | (905959) |
| 8  | <b>Joe Robertson</b> (Isle of Wight East): What assessment he has made of the effectiveness of civil service recruitment.  | (905961) |
| 9  | <b>Andy McDonald</b> (Middlesbrough and Thornaby East): What steps he is taking to increase employment opportunities through public procurement.   | (905963) |
| 10 | <b>Kate Osamor</b> (Edmonton and Winchmore Hill): What assessment he has made of the effectiveness of public inquiries.  | (905964) |

- 11 **Kenneth Stevenson** (Airdrie and Shotts): What steps he is taking to improve the delivery of Government priorities. (905965)
  - 12 **Mr Bayo Alaba** (Southend East and Rochford): What steps he is taking to increase opportunities to work in the civil service for people who live outside London. (905966)
  - 13 **Jessica Toale** (Bournemouth West): What recent progress his Department has made on strengthening national security. (905967)
  - 14 **Euan Stainbank** (Falkirk): What steps he is taking to increase employment opportunities through public procurement. (905970)
  - 15 **Liz Jarvis** (Eastleigh): What recent progress he has made on the infected blood compensation scheme. (905971)
  - 16 **Martin Rhodes** (Glasgow North): What progress his Department has made on the relocation of civil service jobs to Scotland. (905972)
  - 17 **Jerome Mayhew** (Broadland and Fakenham): How many working days have been impacted by strikes in the civil service since July 2024. (905973)
  - 18 **Sadik Al-Hassan** (North Somerset): What progress he has made with Cabinet colleagues to improve cross-Government coordination on preparedness for a future pandemic. (905974)
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### At 10:15am

#### Topical Questions to the Minister for the Cabinet Office

- T1 **Shaun Davies** (Telford): If he will make a statement on his departmental responsibilities. (905976)
- T2 **Ms Julie Minns** (Carlisle): (905977)
- T3 **Gurinder Singh Josan** (Smethwick): (905978)
- T4 **Patrick Hurley** (Southport): (905979)
- T5 **Dr Ellie Chowns** (North Herefordshire): (905980)
- T6 **Bradley Thomas** (Bromsgrove): (905981)
- T7 **Laura Kyrke-Smith** (Aylesbury): (905982)
- T8 **Ruth Cadbury** (Brentford and Isleworth): (905983)
- T9 **Andrew Cooper** (Mid Cheshire): (905984)
- T10 **Steve Darling** (Torbay): (905985)