

British political parties



1. What are the functions of political parties?
2. How do the structures of the main political parties differ?
3. How do the different parties select their candidates?
4. Compare the ways the main parties select their leaders.
5. Are UK parties elitist or pluralist? Give reasons for your answer.
6. To what extent do political parties enhance/ harm democracy?
7. Discuss arguments in favour of the state funding of political parties.

