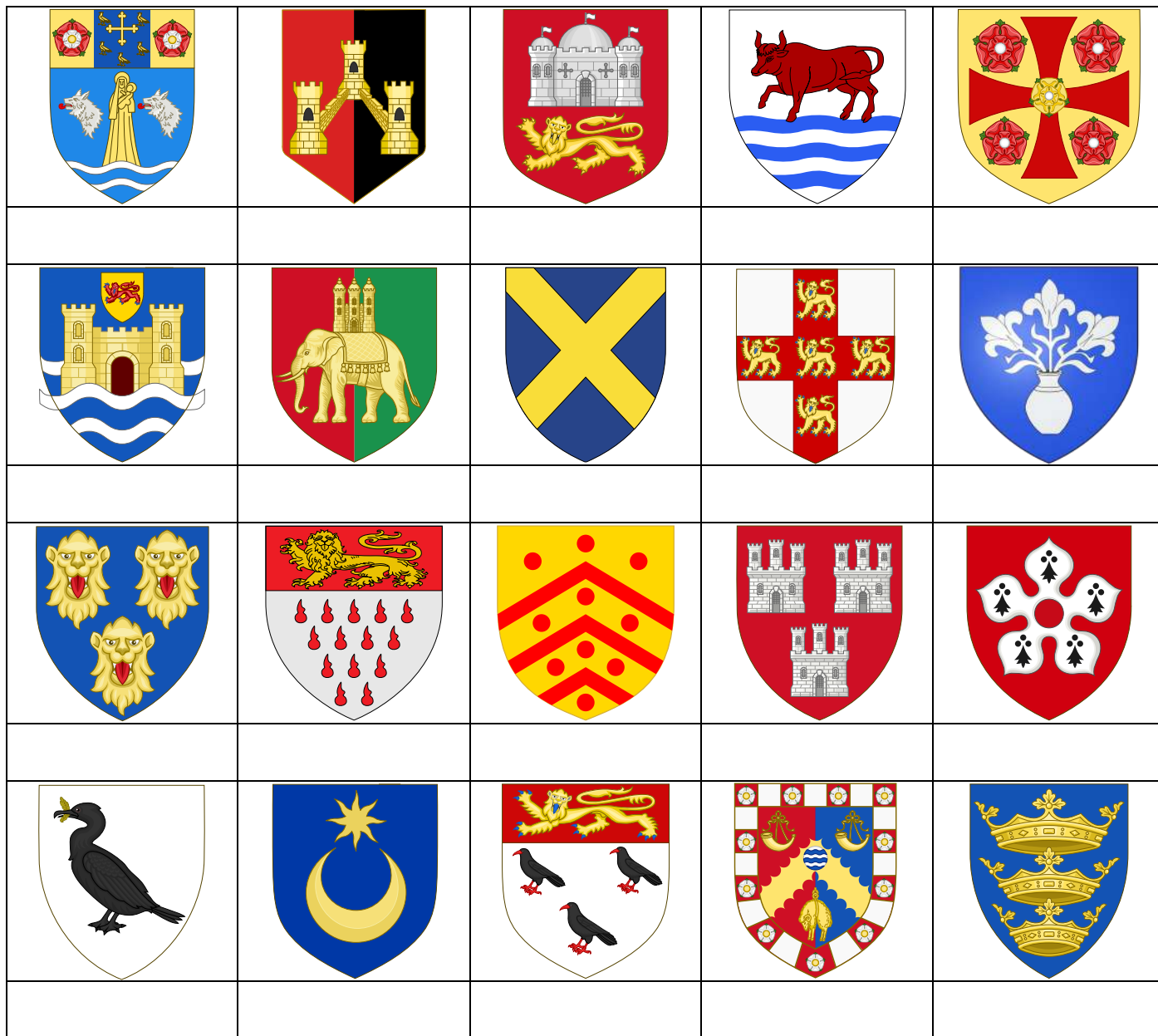


British City Escutcheons 02

In heraldry, an escutcheon is a shield or shield-shaped emblem, displaying a coat of arms. In everyday life, it's an ornamental or protective plate around a keyhole, door handle, drawer pull, light switch, etc. British cities often have elaborate coats of arms (e.g. city councils) with an escutcheon as a focal element. The word escutcheon (late 15th century) is based on Old North French escuchon ('shield'). Below, there are representations of the shields used by some British cities. There's also a list of the cities to help. Match them up.



Bradford	City of Westminster	Gloucester	Newcastle upon Tyne	Shrewsbury
Canterbury	Coventry	Kingston upon Hull	Norwich	St Albans
Carlisle	Dundee	Leicester	Oxford	Swansea
Chichester	Exeter	Liverpool	Portsmouth	York