

GREAT BRITAIN



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Key Facts:

- The United Kingdom, or 'Great Britain' consists of England, Scotland, Northern Ireland and Wales.
- Our current Queen, Elizabeth II is our longest reigning monarch.
- Our Current Prime Minister is David Cameron.
- We have an approximate population of 64 million people.
- You must be 18 to drink alcohol, 17 to drive and 16 to get a job.
- The Severn is our longest river, stretching 322km.

Traditional Food:

- Full English Breakfast
- Porridge
- Fish and Chips
- Roast Dinner
- Steak and Ale Pie
- Victoria Sponge Cake
- High Tea



Landmarks:

- Big Ben
- Houses of Parliament
- London Eye
- Tower Bridge
- Buckingham Palace
- Trafalgar Square
- Hyde Park
- Tower of London



The Royal Family:



HRH Queen Elizabeth & Prince Phillip



Prince Charles & Camilla



The Duke and Duchess of Cambridge



Prince Harry

Celebrities:

- The Beatles (popular rock band in the 1960s).
- Sir Winston Churchill – one of Britain's greatest leaders.
- One Direction (world-known boy band).
- Alexander Bell – A Scottish scientist who invented the telephone.



Sport

- Tennis – one of the most famous tournaments in England is Wimbledon
- Cricket – a traditional sport invented in England.
- Rugby – another popular sport invented in Great Britain.
- Football – England is home to the FA Cup, the oldest football association competition in the world.
- Rowing- A well-known British tradition is the great Oxford versus Cambridge boat race.