

Youth culture of England

What is a subculture?

A subculture is a group of people with a culture which differentiates them from the larger culture which they belong to.



Subcultures of England

Teddy Boys

Teddy Boys were notable for aggressive behavior; many of them were included in the local hooligan groups.



Ford Zephyr, a popular ride for Teds

Mods



Mods, as a rule, met in clubs and seaside resorts such as Brighton, where in 1964 a notorious street clashes between the mods and rockers passed.

Skinheads



Punks

This trend is antisocial, anarchic, with elements of the negation of culture of older generations and civilizations.



Grebo



Most of these groups played alternative rock with elements of punk, hip-hop, electronics, and various pop influences.

The New Romantics

This trend did not carry the social protest and also sang the praises of glamour and bright style.



Fandom



Now the most popular are fandoms of "Harry Potter", "Lord of the Rings" and "Star Wars".

Ravers



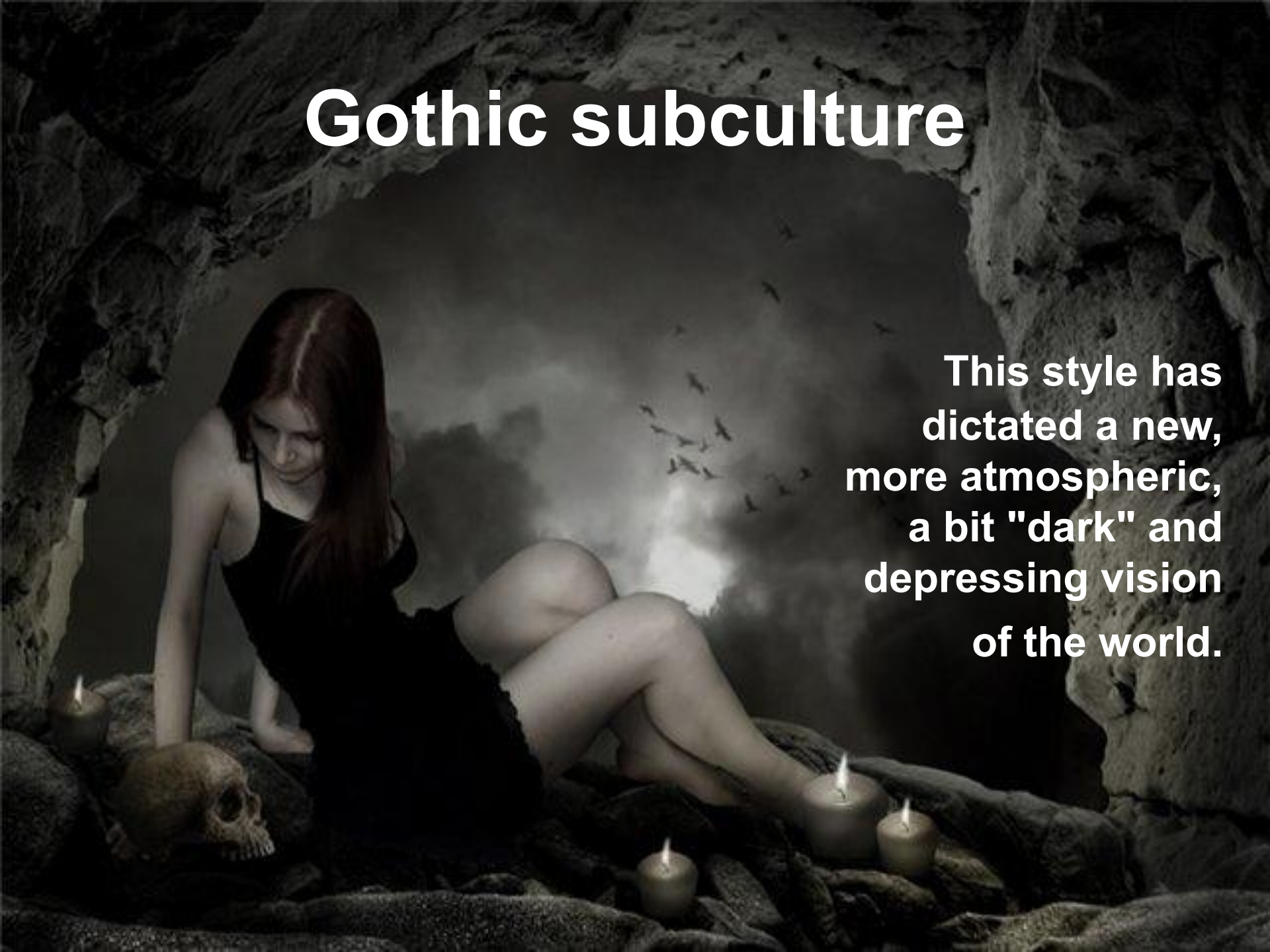
Parkour



At the moment in Britain there are sports clubs for parkour lessons, some schools have classes in the program for physical education.

Gothic subculture

This style has dictated a new, more atmospheric, a bit "dark" and depressing vision of the world.



Gothic art, whether paintings, music, books or anything else, must have one unique characteristic - the atmosphere, corresponding to the style of "dark romance".



Goths are individualists



**They separated
themselves from society**

**They have their own
philosophy of life, music,
literature, philosophy**

How the parents should behave

- Getting to know child's friends;
- Showing respect;
- Asking teachers or relatives for help;
- Going to psychologist;
- Behaving thoughtfully.



Subcultures and society



It is stupid to pluck the leaves from a tree hoping that the tree will fall after this. And the only way to avoid war with teenagers is to find a decent alternative to such subcultures.

To sum up

- There are lots of subcultures in England that can suit all the possible needs of teenagers.
- We should remember that the decision to join one or another subculture is voluntary.
- The problem of subcultures is extremely important.

