

# LONDON

- *London is the capital of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, its political, cultural and business centre.*







## *TRAFALGAR SQUARE*

Trafalgar Square got its name in honor of the victory over Napoleon in the battle of Trafalgar in 1805. Trafalgar Square is a public space and tourist attraction in centre London. At its centre is Nelson's Column. There are a number of statues and sculptures in the square. The square is also used for political demonstrations and community gatherings, such as the celebration of New Year's. Londoners call Trafalgar Square the "Heart of England"





# The City

The City was once the industrial, commercial and political centre of a rich and vast Empire; it remains the main centre of the population, trade and culture of the United Kingdom. The City of London, with an area of about 2.7 square kilometers. The City of London is the Central and oldest part of London.





# Big Ben

Big Ben was built in the years 1840 to 1860 by Charles Barry .Big Ben-the nickname of the great bell clock in the Northern part of the Palace of Westminster in London. In may 2009, he celebrated his 150th anniversary. The height of the tower is 96.3 meters [ approximately 16 floors]



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## The National Gallery

The national gallery in London is a gallery with more than 2,000 examples of Western European painting from 1250 to 1900. All paintings in The national gallery are arranged in chronological order. The gallery was founded in 1824 in a house on Trafalgar square.



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## Tower Bridge

Tower Bridge - automobile drawbridge in Central London over the river Thames, near the tower of London. Sometimes it is confused with the London Bridge, located upstream. It was opened in 1894. It is also one of the symbols of London and Britain.



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# London Tower

London Bridge was built about thirty years ago . The length of The London Bridge is 262 meters, width-32 meters, and its towers offer beautiful views of the city landscape, and tourists love to be photographed in this historic and picturesque place.





## Buckingham Palace

Buckingham Palace was built in 1702-1705. This is the official residence of the British monarchs.

Currently, the Palace includes 600 rooms, covers an area of 20 hectares, including 17-garden. Buckingham Palace gardens the largest private gardens in London



# Double-decker

Red Double-decker buses-one of the symbols of London. They will take you around the city while you admire the sights of the capital of great Britain . Most London buses are still red, although some are already painted in other colors.





# The End

