

United Kingdom



Location

The country includes the island of Britain, the north-eastern part of the island of Ireland, and many smaller islands.



Territory

The total of the UK is approximately 243,610 square kilometres.

The country occupies the major part of the British Isles archipelago and includes the island of Great Britain, the north-eastern one-sixth of the island of Ireland and some smaller surrounding islands.



Population

In the 2011 census the total population of the United Kingdom was 63,181,775.

It is the third largest in the European Union, the fifth largest in the Commonwealth and the twenty-second largest in the world.

Population	
2013	64,100,000 (22nd)
2011	63,181,775 (22nd)
Density	255.6/km² (51st) 661.9/sq mi

Form of Government

The UK's form of government is a constitutional monarchy with a parliamentary system.



PARLIAMENT

Form Of Government

It consists of four countries: England, Scotland, Wales, and Northern Ireland.

The latter three have devolved administrations, each with varying powers, based in their capital cities, Edinburgh, Cardiff, and Belfast, respectively.

Government

UNITARY PARLIAMENTARY
CONSTITUTIONAL MONARCHY
WITH FEDERAL ELEMENTS.

- ✓ Monarch- Queen Elizabeth II
- ✓ Prime Minister- David Cameron MP
- ✓ Deputy Prime Minister- Nick Clegg MP



Economy

The United Kingdom is a developed country and has the world's sixth-largest economy by nominal GDP and eighth-largest economy by purchasing power parity.

It was the world's first industrialised country and the world's foremost power during the 19th and early 20th centuries.



Language

Official Language: English

Recognized regional language:

- ✓ **Irish**
- ✓ **Scottish Gaelic**
- ✓ **Scots**
- ✓ **Ulster-Scots**
- ✓ **Welsh**
- ✓ **Cornish**

Climate

The United Kingdom has a temperate climate, with plentiful rainfall all year round. The temperature varies with the seasons seldom dropping below -11 C or rising above 35 C.



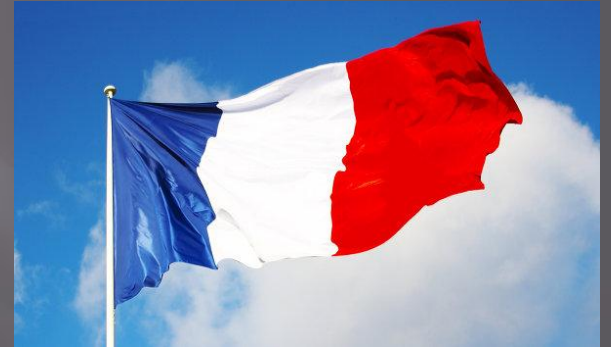
AN OVERCAST DAY



A SUNNY SPRING DAY

Foreign Relations

The UK said to have a “Special Relationship” with the US and a close partnership with France- the “Entente cordiale”- and shares nuclear weapons technology with both countries.



Culture



WILLIAM SHAKESPEARE



THE BEATLES

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