

# The UK

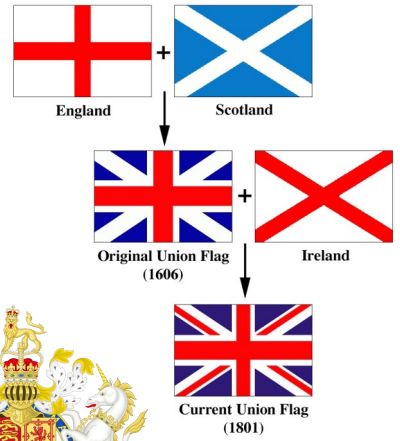
**Name:** The United Kingdom (England, Wales, Scotland and Northern Ireland)

**Population:** 62,041,708

**Surface:** 244,755 sq. Km.

**National Anthem:** God Save the Queen

**National Emblem:** The Lion



## Drinking tea



Scones

## Fish and Chips



Coat of Arms



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Bowler hat



**Beefeater:** Guard in the Tower of London.

## The Queen of England: Elizabeth II

She became the Queen on 2nd July 1952. Her husband is the Prince Phillip, Duke of Edinburgh. They have four children. Prince Charles, Prince of Wales, is her heir. He has two sons: Prince William and Prince Henry.



## Emblems:

Tudor Rose (England)



Shamrock (Northern Ireland)



Thistle (Scottish)



**Symbols:**  
Lion



The UK has a Constitutional Monarchy and a Unitary Parliamentary Democracy.

## David Cameron, Prime Minister

He was elected 2010. He is a member of the Conservative Party.



Leek (Wales)



Bulldog



## The Big Ben:

It is the nickname of the bell of the clock in the Houses of Parliament in London.



## Transport



The UK currency is the **Pound Sterling (£)**. It is divided into 100 pence. There are coins of 1 penny, 2, 5, 10, 20, 5 pence and 1 and 2 Pounds. There are banknotes of 5, 10, 20 and 50 pounds.

## Patron Saints:

St. George (England)  
St. Patrick (Northern Ireland)  
St. Andrew (Scotland)  
St. David (Wales)