

Let's Go Travel Show

Teaching Materials for students

Section 1 – Famous people

Exercise i

The show starts with a quiz about famous people from Britain. Can you put these names together and also put them in the right category – Acting, sport, or music.

FIRST NAME	SURNAME	CATEGORY
Kate	Murray	Acting
Ed	Beckham	
Robbie	Williams	Sport
Andy	Winslet	
Keira	Sheeran	Music
David	Knightley	

Exercise ii

Now look at these other famous actors, singers and bands. Are they from Britain or not? If not, which country are they from?

Cate Blanchett

Ewan McGregor

Adele

Katie Perry

Hugh Jackman

Taylor Swift

Justin Bieber

Radiohead

Exercise iii

Here are some more personalities (older ones). Do you know what they do?

Mick Jagger, Anthony Hopkins, Kate Moss, Gary Oldman, Judy Dench, David Bowie.

Section 2 - The Royal Family

Exercise i

The term 'royal family' means the people who are related to the queen. Apart from the queen, how many members of the British royal family do you know?

Exercise ii

During the show there is a debate on the royal family. One person argues that Britain should finish with the royal family, another person argues why Britain should keep the royal family. What arguments do you think they have?

People who are against the royal family say

People who are for the royal family say

Section 3 - Towns in Britain

Exercise i

Here are seven famous British towns and cities. Put them in order from North to South based on where they are in Britain.

Birmingham
Sheffield
Southampton
Glasgow
Bristol
Manchester
Newcastle

Exercise ii

The furthest distance you can travel and still be on the main island of Britain is from Land's End a small town on the south tip of Cornwall to John O'Groats in the north of Scotland. How many kilometers is it from Land's End to John O'Groats?

- a) 580 km b) 900 km c) 1400 km d) 1800km

Section 4 - Football

In the show the characters visit a Premiere league football match. Can you name some English football teams? (The list of towns above can help.)

Britain is unfortunately also famous for its football hooligans? What do football hooligans do? Why do you think they do these things?

Section 5 - Relationships

What are the qualities that you are looking for in a relationship? How should a man behave in a relationship? How should a woman behave? Is it better to stay in your own culture when you choose your partner? What are the special problems of having a partner from another country?

Section 6 - Travel

Exercise I - Questions for discussion

Look at these famous quotations below about traveling and about home. What do you think? Is it important to travel and visit other countries? Is it a problem if somebody spends their whole life in the same country?

No one realizes how beautiful it is to travel until he comes home and rests his head on his old, familiar pillow.

Lin Yutang

To travel is to take a journey into yourself.

Danny Kaye

Be it ever so humble, there's no place like home.

(Traditional Song)

The happiest person is the one who finds peace in their home. It doesn't matter if they are a king or a peasant.

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Teaching Materials – Notes for teachers

The idea of the teaching materials is to offer a possibility for you to work with your students in class on the themes of the show. It is not necessary for them to use these materials before seeing the show. It is also not necessary for you to do all of the exercises here. It is up to you to choose what is useful for your students. Also some exercises, especially the discussion questions, may be better used after seeing the show. Here are the solutions to the questions that have a clear answer.

Section 1 – Famous people

Exercise i

FIRST NAME	SURNAME	CATEGORY
Kate	Winslet	Acting
Ed	Sheeran	Music
Robbie	Williams	Music
Andy	Murray	Sport (Tennis)
Keira	Knightley	Acting
David	Beckham	Sport (Football)

Exercise ii

Now look at these other famous actors, singers and bands. Are they from Britain or not? If not, which country are they from?

Cate Blanchett (Australia) Ewan McGregor (Britain) Adele (Britain)

Katie Perry (America) Hugh Jackman (Aistralia) Taylor Swift (America)

Justin Bieber (Canada)

Exercise iii

Mick Jagger (Singer) Anthony Hopkins (Actor) Kate Moss (Model)
Gary Oldman (Actor) Judy Dench (Actress) David Bowie (Singer)

Section 2 - The Royal Family

Exercise i

Here are the main best-known members of the British royal family

Queen Elizabeth – Married to **Prince Philip** (Duke of Edinburgh)

They have three children, **Prince Charles** (Prince of Wales), **Prince Andrew**, and **Princess Anne**. Charles was married to **Princess Diana** Spencer and they had two children, **Prince William** and **Prince Harry**.

Princess Diana died in 1997 and Charles married **Camilla Parker Bowles** in 2005.

Prince William is married to **Kate Middleton**. They have two children, **Prince George** and **Princess Charlotte**.

Prince Harry has no children.

When the queen dies, Prince Charles is next in line to become king. After him will be Prince William, then William's son, Prince George.

Exercise ii

In our show, people who are against the royal family say

They are expensive to keep. It costs 330 millions pounds a year to keep the royal family.

We can't justify letting them keep so much money and palaces etc, when there are homeless people in Britain and not enough money for education, hospitals or culture.

The queen doesn't do anything important. We don't really need her.

People who are for the royal family say

The royal family, with their palaces and castles are a great focus for tourism in Britain. In reality they bring a lot more money into the country than they cost.

The identity of the nation is totally connected with the queen. Everybody follows the royal family, the queen's head is on all the money, and the national anthem of Britain is 'God Save the Queen'.

Section 3 - Towns in Britain

Exercise i

From North to South

Glasgow

Newcastle

Manchester

Sheffield

Birmingham

Bristol

Southampton

Exercise ii

Land's End to John O'Groats is 1400 km (answer c).

Section 4 - Football

Some premiere league football teams are

Manchester United, Manchester City, Liverpool, Chelsea, Arsenal, Tottenham Hotspur, Everton, Newcastle United, Southampton. And there are many others.