

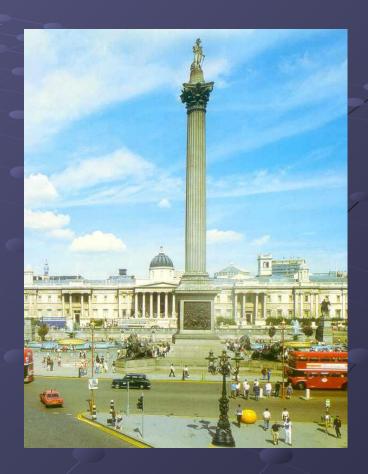
WELCOME TO LONDON!

Trafalgar Square



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- There are always a lot of people and pigeons on the square.
- Every winter there is a big Christmas tree which is a gift from Norway in the middle of the square.
- On New Year's Eve people gather around the tree.
- In the middle of the square there is Admiral Nelson's Column.

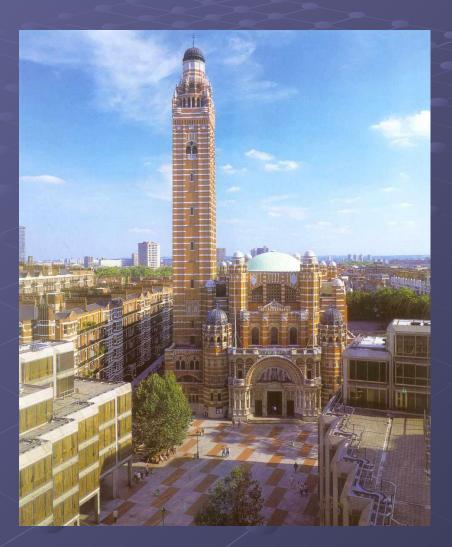


Buckingham Palace



- This is the Queen's home.
- It was built in 1703.
- There is a great collection of paintings.

Westminster Cathedral



- It was built between 1895 and 1903.
- This is the seat of the Cardinal Archbishop and the leading Roman Catholic Church in England.
- Its bell tower is 84 metres high.

The Houses of Parliament

- This is the British Parliament
- The building is 280 metres long.
- There are 1000 rooms.



Big Ben

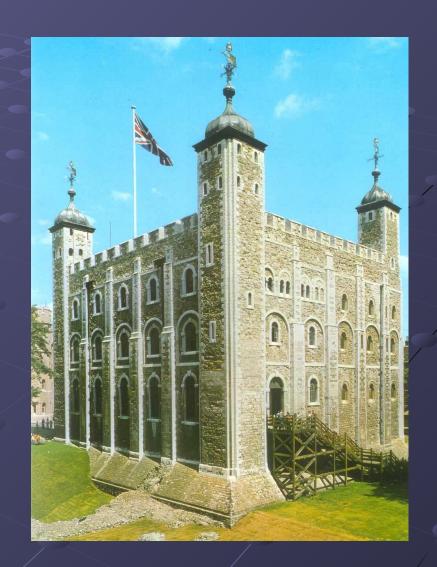


Big Ben, the big clock tower, is the symbol of London.

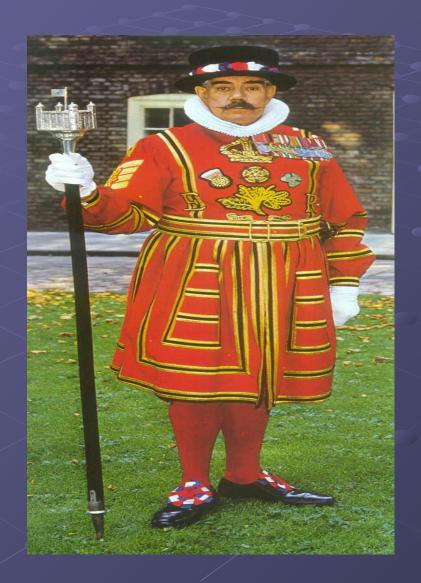
It strikes hours.

The Tower of London

The Tower of London has been a fortress, a palace, an arsenal, a mint, a prison, an observatory, a zoo, the home of the Crown Jewels and a tourist attraction.



Beefeaters



- The guards of the Tower are called Beefeaters.
- The legend says that if the ravens leave, the Tower and the country will fall.



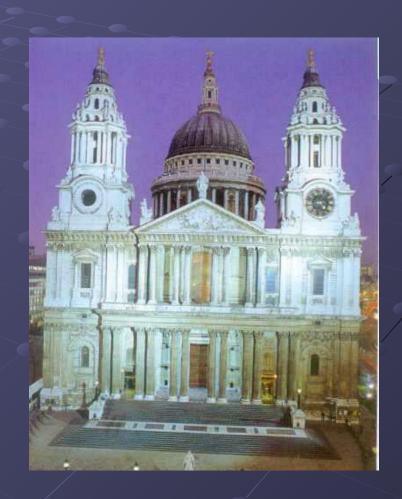
The Tower Bridge



The Tower Bridge is a bascule-bridge.
The bascules will open to let ships pass through.

St. Paul's Cathedral

Prince Charles and Princess Diana got married here in 1981.



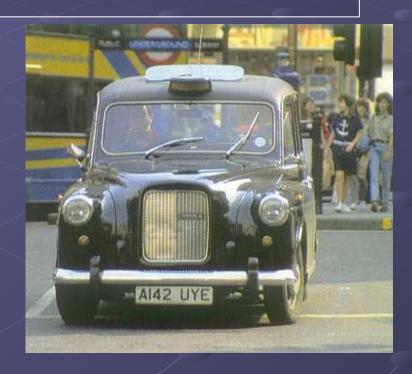
Double-deckers



- There are big red buses called double-deckers in London.
- People sit upstairs and downstairs on these buses.
- Tourists like them very much

Taxis

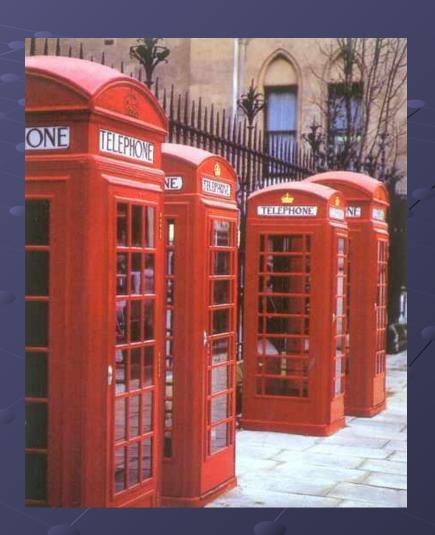
Taxi is the same symbol of London, as Big-Ben, the Tower or two - storied buses.





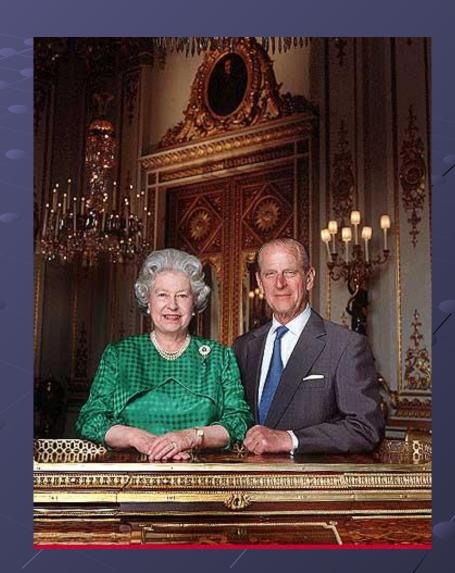
Telephone booths

In these booths you can call your friends.



The Queen of Great Britain

- The Queen of Great Britain is Elizabeth II. Her husband is Duke of Edinburgh.
- They have got 4 grown-up children: Prince Charles, Princess Anne, Prince Andrew and Prince Edward.



Thank you for your attention!