

## CARD 1 The Royal Family

Great Britain consists of four parts: England, Scotland, Wales and Northern Ireland. The capital of the UK is London. The United Kingdom is a monarchy. However, British monarch doesn't have political power because Parliament makes the laws.

The Queen of the UK is Elizabeth II. She has two grandsons: Prince William and Prince Harry. William's wife is Kate Middleton. She is originally from an ordinary family, but now she is a member of the royal family.

In some ways, Kate and William are a normal couple. They have friends from university. William loves football and Kate – photography. In the winter, they go skiing together.

However, William and Kate have a lot of official duties, because William is the future King of the UK. They help charities and meet important visitors to the UK.

