

# A journey around the UK

## What is the UK ?

### The United Kingdom

Four countries joined together!


England

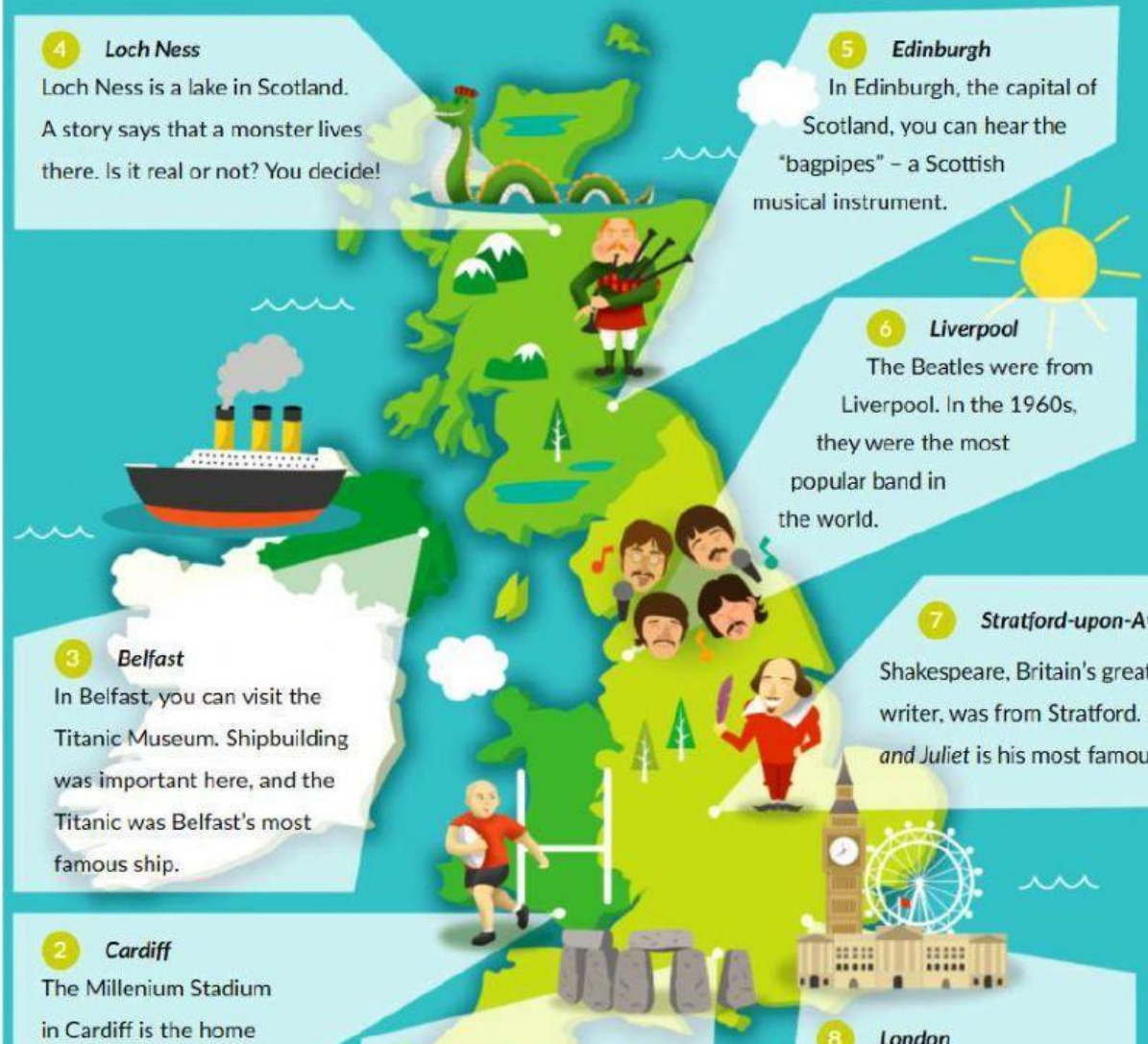

Scotland


Wales


Northern Ireland

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# Read and listen about the UK



**4 *Loch Ness***
Loch Ness is a lake in Scotland. A story says that a monster lives there. Is it real or not? You decide!

**5 *Edinburgh***
In Edinburgh, the capital of Scotland, you can hear the "bagpipes" – a Scottish musical instrument.

**6 *Liverpool***
The Beatles were from Liverpool. In the 1960s, they were the most popular band in the world.

**3 *Belfast***
In Belfast, you can visit the Titanic Museum. Shipbuilding was important here, and the Titanic was Belfast's most famous ship.

**7 *Stratford-upon-Avon***
Shakespeare, Britain's greatest writer, was from Stratford. *Romeo and Juliet* is his most famous play.

**2 *Cardiff***
The Millenium Stadium in Cardiff is the home of rugby, Wales's national sport.

**1 *Stonehenge***
This circle of stones is 5,000 years old. But what was it for? Nobody knows. It's a mystery!

**8 *London***
London is the capital of England. You can visit Buckingham Palace, the home of Britain's kings and queens.

## Answer the questions.

1. What is Stonehenge and how old is it?

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2. What sport do people play in Wales?

3. Where can you learn about a famous ship?

4. What lives in a lake in Scotland?

5. What are "bagpipes"?

6. Where were the Beatles from?

7. Who was William Shakespeare?

8. Where do England's kings and queens live?

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**Listen to Anna, Mark and Jessica. Which place in the UK do they want to visit and why?**

| | Place? | Why? |
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| Anna | | |
| Mark | | |
| Jessica | | |

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