

UNIT 8 BRITISH EMPIRE

Identify the next elements on the map.

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| a Canadian couple | an Australian couple | an indigenous Australian woman |
| a Caribbean woman | a native American | an Indian |
| a British soldier | a British sailor | an elephant |
| a kangaroo | Atlas | Britannia |
| | | a tiger |

The Granger Collection, Map of the British empire (1886)



What are the coloured in pink countries?

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| Britain's economic partners. | English speaking countries. | English colonies. |
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What do these people (N°1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 10, 12) represent?

- the different kind of people you can meet on every continent
- the colonized people and/or the colonies
- all the possible races

What do the animals on the map (N°2, 9, 11) represent?

- animals representing every continent
- the wonders of the world
- the colonies as lands of plenty

The British empire was often referred to as 'the Empire on which the sun never sets'. Why?

- because it was always cold and rainy on the empire
- because the British colonies were only in hot countries
- because the Empire was so big that the sun was always shining on at least one of its colonies

What do Britannia and the soldiers represent ?

- Rule Britannia
- Great Britain's strength