A London

Before you watch

1 **Look at the photos. Do you know any of these London landmarks?**

A 

B 

C 

D 

2 **Answer the questions about the UK and London.**

1 Name the four countries in the UK.

_____

_____

2 What is 'The Thames'?

_____

3 Where is 'The Changing of the Guard'?

_____

4 What is in the 'West End'?

_____

While you watch

3 **Watch the video. Check your answers to Exercise 2.**

4 **Match the places A–D to their names 1–4.**

A 

B 

C 

D 

1 Big Ben _____
2 Tower Bridge _____
3 London Eye _____
4 Buckingham Palace _____

5 **Watch again. Complete the sentences with the correct words. There is one extra word.**

capital food monuments multicultural musicals King south tourists

1 London is the _____ of England and the UK.
2 It's in the _____-east of the country.
3 It's modern, exciting, and very _____.
4 London is also a fantastic city for _____.
5 Charles III is the _____ of the UK.
6 It's famous for plays and _____, busy shops, beautiful parks, and lots of _____.

6 **Watch again. Are the sentences T (true) or F (false)?**

1 The speaker is not from London. T☐ F☐
2 Italian restaurants are popular in London. T☐ F☐
3 The Changing of the Guard is at nine o'clock in the morning. T☐ F☐
4 The Tate Modern is a museum of science. T☐ F☐

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7 **Choose the correct words.**

1 **What** / **When** is the UK? It is the United Kingdom.
2 There are people of many **nationalities** / **nationality** in London, and there are a lot of different **language** / **languages**.
3 London is an **amazing** / **delicious** city for tourists.
4 Buckingham Palace is a **big** / **favourite** house. **She** / **It** is in the centre of London.
5 There **is** / **are** lots of pictures in the Tate Modern.
6 London is **boring** / **famous** for its theatres, shops, and parks.

After you watch

8 **Which is your favourite big city? Why? Think about these things and make notes.**

- What is it?
- Where is it?
- Why is it popular?
- When is a good time to visit?
- What is the main language?
- What food is popular there?



Put it together

9 **With a partner, ask and answer the questions from Exercise 8 about your favourite cities.**

10 **With a partner, choose one of your cities from Exercise 8. Go online and research some photos and facts about your favourite city. Use them to make a simple guide for tourists.**

One of our favourite cities is Mar del Plata, on the Atlantic coast. It's popular because ...

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