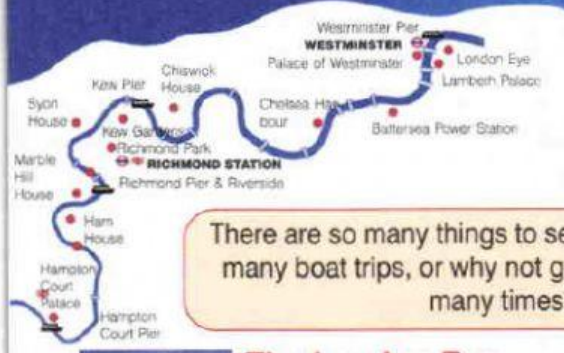
The River Thames

1 **Look at the leaflet. What do you think you can do, see and learn at the different tourist attractions along the River Thames? Read the tourist leaflet to find out.**

Take a Trip along the THAMES



There are so many things to see and do along London's famous river. Choose one of our many boat trips, or why not get a Rambler ticket? This way, you can **hop on and off** as many times as you like! It's **great value for money**!

The London Eye

Would you like to get a **bird's eye view** of London, as well as having **the experience of a lifetime**? If so, take a 1) ..... (thrill) ride on the London Eye, the big wheel built in 2000 for the **millennium**.

The Tower of London

The Tower has **served many purposes** in the past. It has been a prison, a **medieval** palace, a **fortress** and an arsenal. It's an 2) ..... (amaze) place to visit! You can see the incredible Crown Jewels and the 3) ..... (fame) Beefeaters in their 4) ..... (usual) costumes.

The London Dungeon

If you like to be **scared out of your wits**, this is the place for you! Go deep underground and learn about the *Great Fire of London, Jack the Ripper*[1] and *The Great Plague*. You can also try to get out of a scary labyrinth of mirrors. Not an experience for the **faint-hearted**, but you will 5) ..... (thorough) enjoy telling your friends about it.

Shakespeare's Globe Theatre

The original Globe Theatre burnt down in a fire started by a cannon which was fired during a 6) ..... (perform). The most recent Globe, which was completed in 1997, isn't just a theatre. It runs 7) ..... (education) workshops and lectures for schools and there's a permanent 8) ..... (exhibit) showing visitors what the theatre was like in Shakespeare's time.

[1] a 19th-century London murderer

Also, don't miss ... the sharks in the London Aquarium, and St Paul's Cathedral with its incredible **dome**!

2 RNE **Complete the gaps (1-8) with the correct words derived from the words in brackets. Listen and check. Then, explain the words/phrases in bold.**

3 *Portfolio:* **Imagine you are a guide on a River Thames boat trip. Make notes on the tourist attractions. Use them to give your guided tour. Record yourself.**

▶ *Good morning, ladies and gentlemen, we're now just passing the London Eye on the left where you can ...*

4 *Portfolio:* **Work in groups. Design an information leaflet for tourists coming to your town/city. Decide on three or four places to visit and write what someone can do/see there. Include pictures.**

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