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London



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The history of London

- ❑ *43AD Romans arrived in Britain. They called London „Londinium“. Londinium became the capital of the Roman province of Britannia.*
- ❑ *886 King Alfred the Great made London the capital of his empire.*
- ❑ *1066 William the Conqueror made London his base. He built the Tower of London and was crowned at Westminster Abbey.*

The history of London

- *1666 The Great Fire of London destroyed most of the city. Many buildings were built in much safer way.*
- *19th century – London was one of the most important centres of the Industrial revolution and the centre of the British Empire.*

And London today ??????????



..... a cosmopolitan city with population of about 7,000,000 people.

***„A man who is tired of London is
tired of life.“ Dr.Samuel Johnson***



Quiz:

1) What is the landmark of London?



2) What is the official London residence of the Royal Family?



What can you see in London?

Buckingham Palace



Buckingham Palace

The official residence of the Queen and the Royal Family



Buckingham Palace

Every day at 11a.m. you can see the Changing of the Guard.



10 Downing street

It is the home of
the Prime minister



Houses of Parliament



**Big Ben – the
nickname of the
the bell in the
clock tower next
to the Houses of
Parliament.**

Houses of Parliament



It is the place where the House of Lords and the House of Commons meet to discuss and pass laws.

Westminster Abbey



.. The most important religious centre in the country.

Westminster Abbey

William the Conqueror was crowned here, on the coronation throne.



Under the throne the Stone of Scone is kept, a symbol of Scottish Royalty.

St. Paul's Cathedral



St. Paul's Cathedral



It was built by Sir Christopher Wren after the old Cathedral had been completely destroyed by the Great Fire in 1666.

It was the setting for the Royal Wedding of Prince Charles and Lady Diana.

The Tower of London

It was built by
William the
Conqueror

The Crown Jewels
are on show here.



The Tower of London

It is guarded by Beefeaters in traditional Tudor uniforms.



There are eight ravens kept at the Tower. A legend says that the Tower will fall when they leave.

Tower Bridge



It is a drawbridge. It can be raised to let ships pass through.

Trafalgar Square



The square was named after Horatio Nelson's victory over Napoleon at Trafalgar in 1805.

Trafalgar Square



Nelson's column with the statue on the top commemorates the victory.

The statue shows Nelson without one arm and one eye. He lost them in the battle.

Trafalgar Square



Picadilly Circus



It is the centre of London's entertainment world.

There are a lot of cinemas, theatres, restaurants and discos.

Picadilly Circus



In the middle of the Picadilly Circus you can see the statue of Eros.



Kensington Palace

Many members of the Royal family live here.

It is the place where Queen Victoria was born and where she lived when she was a princess.



Parks in London

Hyde Park



Speaker's Corner

Anybody can have a speech there.

Parks in London

St. James's Park



Museums in London

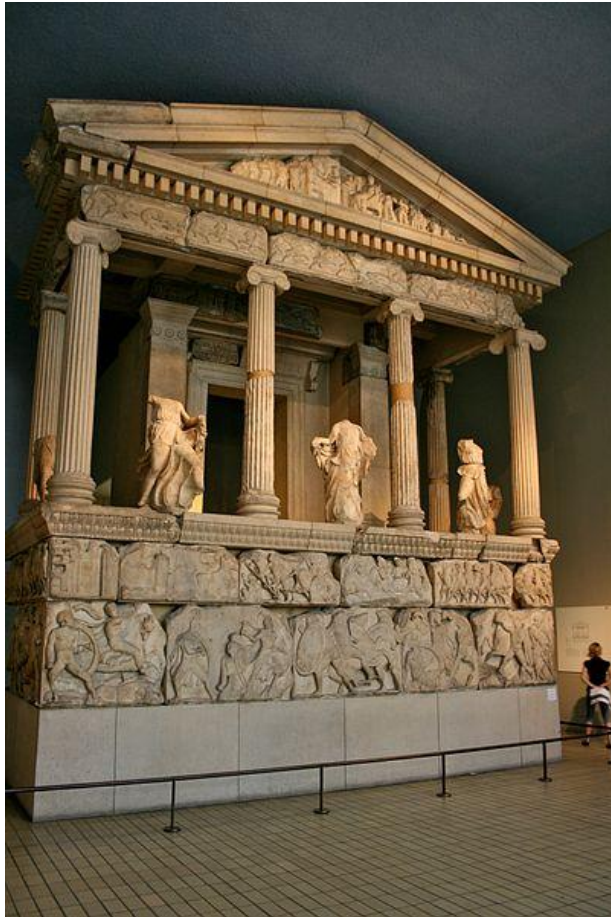
The British Museum



It is the largest museum in the world.

There is a collection of fine arts of all countries.

The British Museum



The Natural History Museum



Theatres in London

The National Theatre

The Royal Shakespeare Company

The Royal Festival Hall

The Royal Albert Hall



Transport in London



Tube map

Tube map

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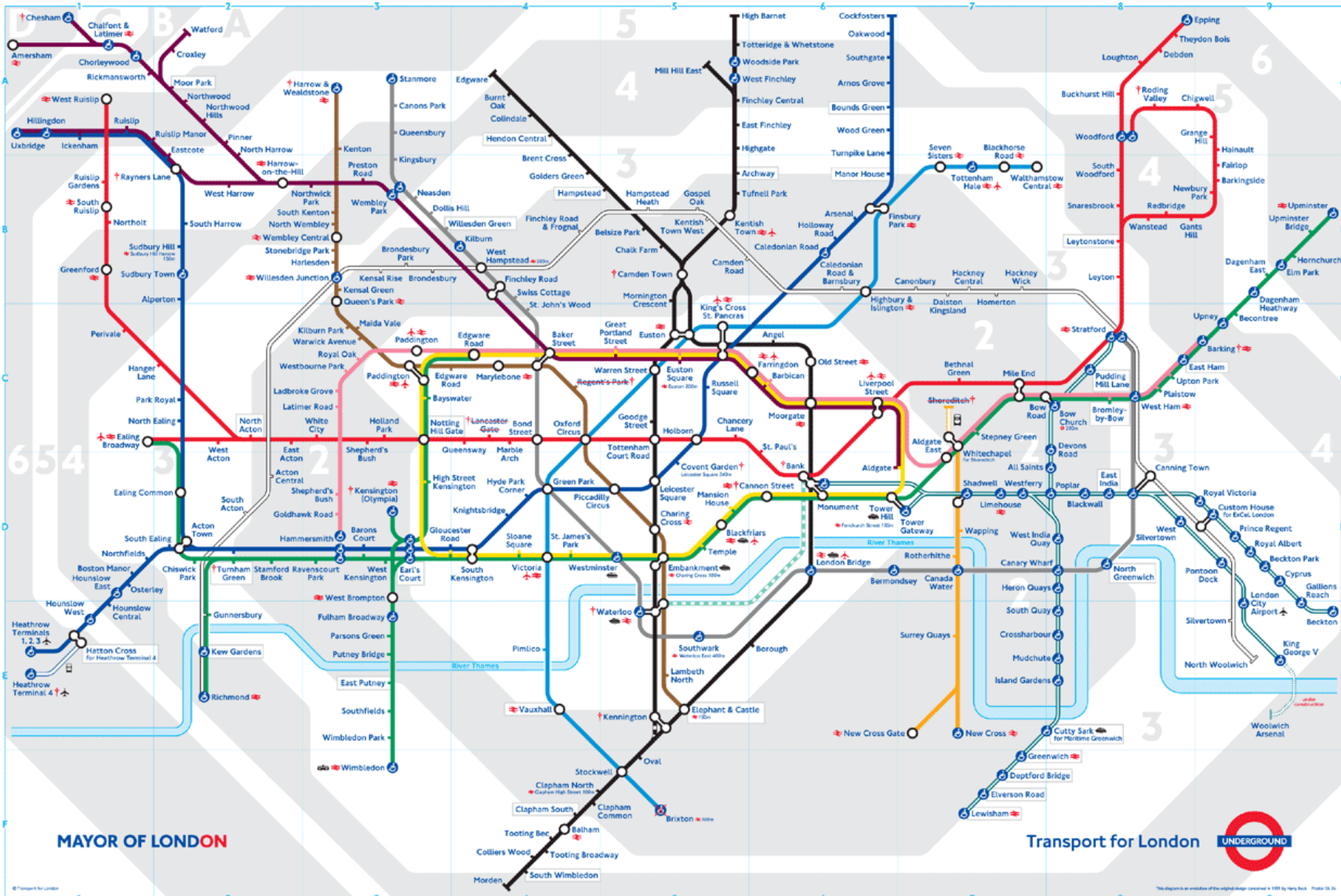
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- Central
- Circle
- District
- East London
- Hammersmith & City
- Jubilee
- Metropolitan
- Northern
- Piccadilly
- Victoria
- Waterloo & City
Closed until September 2006
- DLR
- National Rail

- Interchange stations
 - Step-free exit from the platform to the street
 - Access facilities under construction
 - Connections with National Rail
 - Check before you travel. See index below
 - Connections with riverboat services
 - Connection with Tramlink
 - Location of Airport
 - Interchange for Airport
 - Replacement bus service
 - Bicycle parking
 - Car parks
 - Toilets on site/nearby
 - Travel Information Centres
- D** Station in Zone D
C Station in Zone C
B Station in Zone B
A Station in Zone A
6 Station in Zone 6
5 Station in Zone 5
4 Station in Zone 4
3 Station in both zones
2 Station in Zone 2
1 Station in Zone 1

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MAYOR OF LONDON

Transport for London UNDERGROUND

This diagram is an evolution of the original design conceived in 1905 by Harry Beck. Printed 2010.

Transport in London



Where to go shopping in London?



Oxford street

LONDON EYE



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