

PSHE and Citizenship

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Living in Britain



Aim

• I can describe what it is like to live in Britain.

Success Criteria

- I can talk about the range of identities in the United Kingdom.
- I can describe the benefits of living in a diverse multicultural society.

This resource is fully in line with the Learning Outcomes and Core Themes outlined in the PSHE Association.

The Big Questions



Reconnecting

British People



British people are any people who live in the United Kingdom. Its official name is the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland. It is often shortened to Great Britain or Britain







What kinds of people do you think are British people? Share your thoughts with a partner.









Exploring

The United Kingdom

This is a map of the United Kingdom.

Which countries make up the United Kingdom?

Which country is our school in?

England, Scotland, Wales and Northern Ireland make up the United Kingdom. There are differences between people living in these four countries, but they are all British.



The United Kingdom



Within each of the countries, there are different regions and counties.

Can you name any regions within the United Kingdom?

Which region or county is our school in?

There are differences between people living in the different regions and counties of the United Kingdom, but they are all British.



The United Kingdom



Lots of different kinds of people live in the United kingdom. This means that there are lots of different **identities**. There are different nationalities, religions, cultures and races and all of these people have different beliefs and traditions. This is exciting!



Ways That British People Can Be Different

Images of Britain



Now, let's explore what it is like to live in Britain.

You are going to work in a group to discuss some images which show life in Britain.



What does each image tell you about life in Britain?

Stick each one of your images to a large piece of paper and use coloured pens to write about what you can see.

In your groups, share your images and what you have noticed with the class.

Images of Britain

The people who live in Britain can be described as being **diverse**. This means they are different from each other in lots of ways.



People who live in Britain have a wide range of different backgrounds, ethnicities, religions, beliefs and traditions.

Britain is also described as being **multicultural**. This means that it contains people from lots of different cultures.

Being British is about **respecting** and **valuing** each other's differences. This is something to be very proud of!

Consolidating

Reflecting

Consolidating

Living in Britain



Imagine you have a friend who lives in another country and has never visited Britain. You are going to write to them and describe what it is like to live here. Use the key words from the word bank to help you.



Reflecting

Celebrating Diversity



Take a moment of quiet to think about your answers to these questions.



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What kinds of people are British people?

What is it like to live in Britain?

Have your answers to these questions changed from the beginning of the lesson?



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