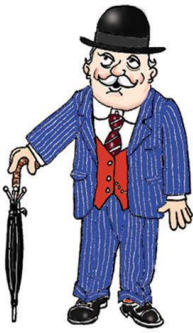


How To Be British TRUE BRIT

Ex 1. Look at the pictures below. What do they tell you about British people?

Ex 2. Draw a similar picture of true Poles.

You can tell I'm British because...



I live in the past



*I don't care
what people think*



*I'm a different person
when the sun's out*



*I'm not bothered
about a bit of dust*



I never refuse a drink



*I don't speak a
foreign language*



*I'm lost without
my dog*



*I wouldn't live
anywhere else!*

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Ex 1. Read the text below and answer the following questions:

1. Why is Great Britain called **Great** Britain?
2. What traditions do the British cherish?
3. What are British people like?
4. Why shouldn't you say 'What is that in metres/kilos/litres?'?
5. How do people feel about their homes?

True Brit

How do you do? Pleased to meet you. If you are a visitor to our country I expect by now you have realized why we call it **Great** Britain: our long and glorious history; the unspoilt beauty of our landscape; the rich variety of our weather, not to mention our unrivalled achievements in cricket and football. Then there are our cherished traditions: afternoon tea at four, roast beef on Sunday, and warm beer until 11pm. And there's us, with our old-world courtesy and tolerance. Oh, and our sense of humour. I mustn't forget that. We *do* like a good laugh!

As for me, well, I'm so many feet and inches tall, and I weigh so many stones, pounds and ounces. My petrol comes in gallons and my milk in pints — from a milkman. I pay for them, of course, in *pounds sterling*. My home is my castle and I 'Do-it-Myself'. I only hope I live to pay off the mortgage on it. My garden is my recreation and a sanctuary to many endangered species, not least of all myself!

Expressions to learn

Well done! *You* deserved to win.

Avoid saying

What is that in metres/kilos/litres?

Ex 2. Write a similar text about Poland.

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