

BRITISHNESS

James Bond, a reflection of changes in the British society

Task 1: INTRODUCTION

Talk to your partner and discuss the following questions:

1. Do you ever watch any British movies? Which ones do you remember?
2. What do you know about James Bond?
3. How is the British society depicted in the movies that you have seen?

Task 2: READING

Read the Skyfall film review and do the tasks following the text.

<http://learnenglishteens.britishcouncil.org/skills/writing/upper-intermediate-b2-writing/skyfall-film-review>

Task 3: WRITING

Using the Skyfall review as a model, write a review of a movie you have seen.

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Here we are recommending a British Council activity designed for intermediate, upper-intermediate and advanced students to be used before the event as an introduction and a way of getting students interested in the subject, or as a follow up task.

It would be great if you had a projector in the classroom and could work through the reading part with your students reading from the screen. However, you can also set this activity as homework for your students and just introduce the topic during your lesson, asking students to follow the link and use the reading as a model for their writing at home.

We suggest that students write a review of a British movie in order to explore the British culture a bit more.

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