



Why is London such a cool place to live?



London is the **capital city** of England and the United Kingdom.
 It was founded by the Romans in 47AD.
 It was originally called Londinium.
 The **population** of London is around 9 million.




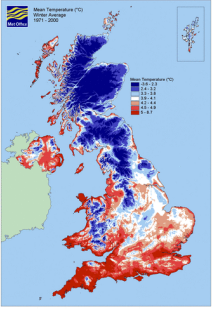
London is current split into **32 Boroughs** - plus the City of London. These boroughs include -

- Croydon
- Enfield
- Ealing

Human Geography Features

Population Densities		<p>In the UK, London is the city with the most people by far. There are 1,510 people per sq. km (population density).</p>	Key Vocabulary City Capital Population Density
Ethnic Groups		<p>London is one of the most ethnically-diverse cities in the world - people of many different cultures live in the city. Only 44.9% of people in London are White British.</p>	Ethnicity Tourism Parliament
The Monarchy		<p>London has been the capital city of England since the 12th Century, and of the UK since 1801. Buckingham Palace has housed the monarchy since 1837.</p>	Famous landmarks Big Ben Tower of London Buckingham Palace St. Paul's Cathedral The London Eye

Physical Geography Features

River Thames		<p>The River Thames is the longest river entirely in England, at 215 miles long. London is based at the head of its 50-mile estuary leading to the North Sea.</p>	Key Vocabulary River Estuary Climate
Climate		<p>London has cool summers and mild winters. It receives less rain than Rome or Sydney! The temperature averages 23°C in the summer and 8°C in the winter.</p>	Temperature

