

Vocabulary	Meaning
drawbridge	a movable bridge typically at the entrance to a castle or tower surrounded by a moat
cable car	a carriage on a cable railway to carry you over something
commuter	a person who travels some distance to work on a regular basis
pedestrian	a person walking rather than travelling in a vehicle
House of Commons	one of the two parts of Parliament, whose members are chosen to represent parts of the UK
monarch	a King or Queen
Lord	a person who has authority
MP	a Member of Parliament. Someone who has been voted in to work in the Houses of Parliament.
automated	someone is not controlling it
tram	a type of train
Buckingham Palace	the London residence of the monarch of the United Kingdom
residence	a person's home, especially a large and impressive one
royal	the status of a king or queen or a member of their family
boundary	a border which marks an area
financial	relates to money
square mile	the City of London in particular the business and financial district of London
Landmark	an object of feature that is easily seen and recognised from a distance

**Key knowledge – The River Thames**

The River Thames is 215 miles long and is famous for flowing through London.

There are 19 crossings on the river.

People commute across the River Thames.



**Key knowledge – Buckingham Palace**

The Queen of England lives in Buckingham Palace.

This is her official place of residence.

There are 775 rooms in total!

The forecourt is used for the Changing the Guard



**Key knowledge – Symbols**



The London Underground



The London Overground