**List of important British Figures**

1. [Sir Winston Churchill](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Sir_Winston_Churchill)
2. [Charles Darwin](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Charles_Darwin)
3. [William Shakespeare](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/William_Shakespeare)
4. Diana, Princess of Wales
5. [Sir Isaac Newton](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Isaac_Newton)
6. [Elizabeth I](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Elizabeth_I_of_England)
7. [Oliver Cromwell](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Oliver_Cromwell)
8. [Captain James Cook](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/James_Cook), explorer.
9. [Alfred the Great](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Alfred_the_Great), king of Wessex (871–899)
10. [Margaret Thatcher](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Margaret_Thatcher), Prime Minister (1979–1990)
11. [Alan Turing](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Alan_Turing), mathematician and pioneering [computer scientist](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Computer_scientist). Invented the [Turing Test](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Turing_Test)
12. [Elizabeth II](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Elizabeth_II), queen (1952–).
13. [Stephen Hawking](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Stephen_Hawking)
14. [Emmeline Pankhurst](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Emmeline_Pankhurst), activist for women's rights.
15. [Guy Fawkes](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Guy_Fawkes), member of the [Gunpowder Plot](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Gunpowder_Plot" \o "Gunpowder Plot).
16. [Boudica](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Boudica), Celtic queen of [Britannia](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Britannia" \o "Britannia).
17. [Charles Dickens](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Charles_Dickens), novelist
18. [Sir William Wallace](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/William_Wallace), knight and resistance leader during the [Wars of Scottish Independence](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Wars_of_Scottish_Independence).
19. [King Arthur](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/King_Arthur), mythical king.
20. [Florence Nightingale](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Florence_Nightingale), humanitarian activist and founder of modern [nursing](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Nursing" \o "Nursing).
21. [Queen Elizabeth The Queen Mother](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Queen_Elizabeth_The_Queen_Mother), queen during WWII.
22. [Sir Charlie Chaplin](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Charlie_Chaplin), comedian, actor and film director
23. [Tony Blair](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Tony_Blair), Prime Minister (1997–2007).
24. [Jane Austen](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Jane_Austen), novelist
25. [Henry V](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Henry_V_of_England), king (1413–1422)
26. [Robert the Bruce](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Robert_the_Bruce), king of the Scots (1306–1329).
27. [David Lloyd George](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/David_Lloyd_George), Prime Minister (1916–1922).
28. [Geoffrey Chaucer](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Geoffrey_Chaucer), poet ([*The Canterbury Tales*](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/The_Canterbury_Tales)).
29. [Richard III](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Richard_III_of_England), king (1483–1485).
30. [James Watt](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/James_Watt), inventor.
31. [J. R. R. Tolkien](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/J._R._R._Tolkien), novelist
32. [Sir Walter Raleigh](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Walter_Raleigh), Explorer.
33. [Edward I](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Edward_I_of_England), king (1272–1307)