



# My English Class

# Objectifs

Dans ce cours vous allez:

- découvrir le système éducatif et universitaire britannique,
- apprendre à parler de différence et de similitude,
- parler et comprendre en anglais.

## Recommandations

- Parler en anglais
- Participer activement
- Recopier les parties indiquées **COPY**
- Retrouver le cours et l'émission en *Replay* sur le site France 4

The background of the image is the Union Jack, the national flag of the United Kingdom, which consists of a red field with a white saltire (St. Andrew's Cross) and blue cantons. The text "British School System" is centered over the flag.

# British School System

# Brainstorming

Grade

Year

Public  
School

Kindergarten

Nursery

State schools

Primary

High  
School

Middle  
School

Secondary

Private  
School

Public  
School

Graduation

# Quiz time

WHAT IS THE  
AMERICAN FOR  
.... ?

WHAT IS THE  
ENGLISH FOR  
.... ?



MIDDLE SCHOOL

Secondary School

Grade

YEAR

PUBLIC SCHOOL

State School

PRIVATE SCHOOL

Public School

# British schools

SATS

GCSEs

A levels

Age on the 1st of September														
3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
Foundation Stage		Key Stage 1		Key Stage 2				Key Stage 3			Key Stage 4		Post-16	
Nursery	Reception	Yr 1	Yr 2	Yr 3	Yr 4	Yr 5	Yr 6	Yr 7	Yr 8	Yr 9	Yr 10	Yr 11	Yr 12	Yr 13
Usual range of schools in UK	Nursery	Primary School						Secondary School					Sixth Form	
		Infant School		Junior School				Secondary School with Sixth Form						

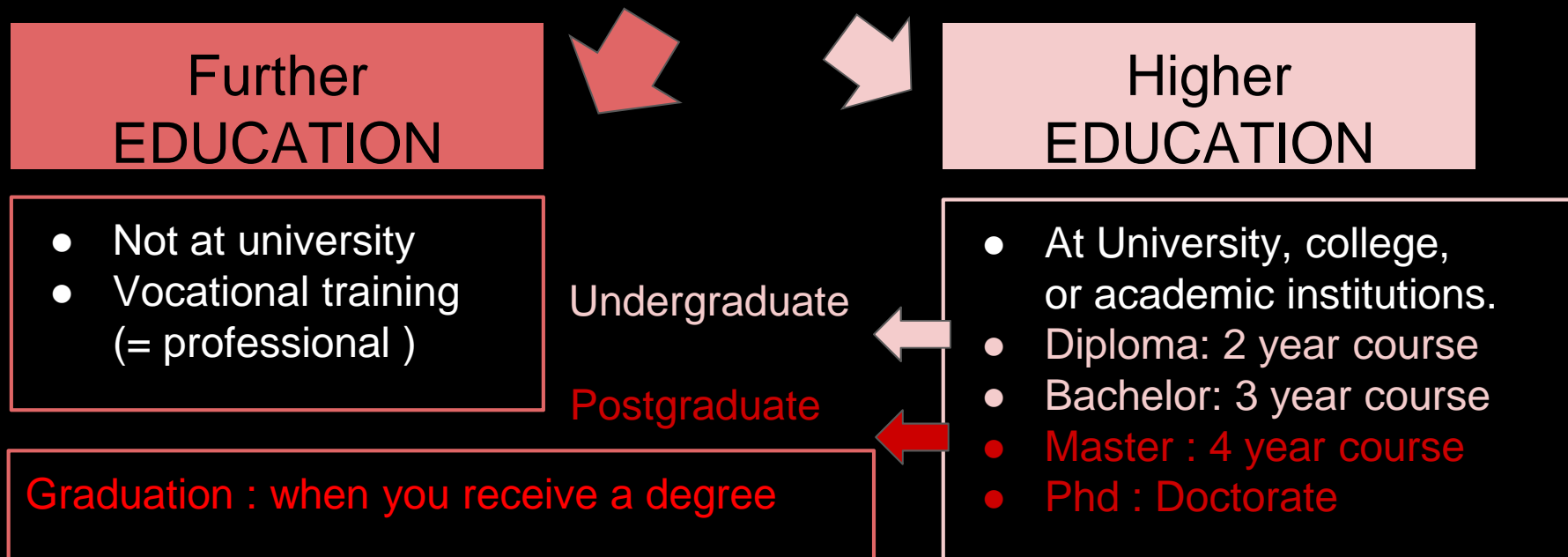
Read  
Write  
Count

English  
Maths  
Science

English/ Maths/ Science/  
History/ Geography/ Art &  
Design/ Music/ PE/ Foreign  
Languages/ Technology  
and Computing

Core subjects  
Foundation  
subjects  
+ 1 option

# What happens after secondary school ?



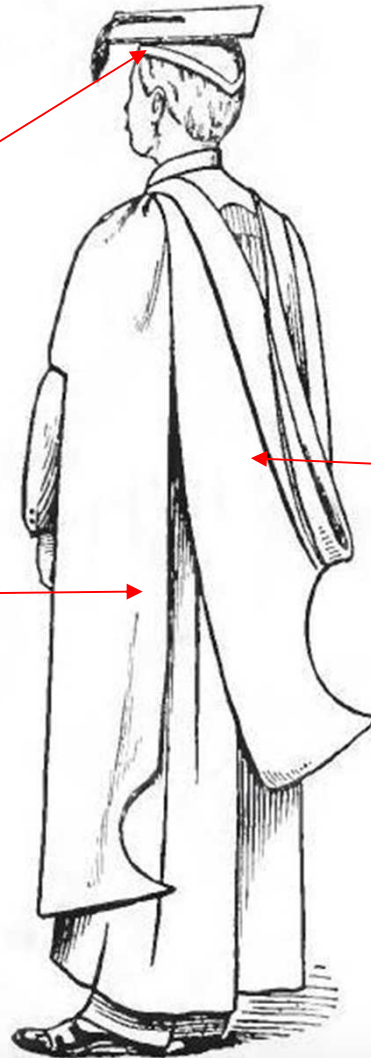


# University gown and cap

A cap

A gown

/gaʊn/



worn for the  
graduation  
ceremony

A hood

A neckerchief



# Listening Comprehension

# Méthodologie:

Comment aborder un document audio?

- **Concentrate and listen**
- Remember to use the WH- words to help you (WHO, WHAT, WHERE, HOW...)
- Take notes ( mind mapping...) in French or English
- Relax and enjoy, it's just practice
- If you watch the programme on REPLAY you can listen to the audio file and pause if you need to.

# Listening Comprehension

Concentrate, Listen and Take notes



Bachelor's =  
short sleeves

Master's =  
long sleeves

Glyn

History

Black and  
yellow gown

Black and  
white gown

whereas

while

Teresa

Tourism and  
hospitality  
management

Black cap and  
gown and red  
neckerchief



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## Let's recap

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Glyn studied [redacted] whereas Teresa studied [redacted] and Hospitality Management.

Teresa wore a black [redacted] with a red [redacted] while Glyn wore a black and yellow gown with short sleeves for his [redacted] graduation and a black and white one with longer sleeves for his [redacted] graduation.

## Regular verbs:

verb+ ED

Study

Like

Organise

Attend

## Irregular verbs

Wear

Go

Take

Meet

Like

- studying Glyn liked studying History .

Organise

- his work He organised his work.

Attend

- lessons He attended lessons.

Go

- lectures He went to lectures.

Meet

- professors He met professors.

Take

- exams He took exams.


# Récapitulatif

## de grammaire

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- Pour évoquer un événement passé et terminé on emploie le prétérit simple.
- Pour exprimer le contraste on peut employer WHEREAS .
- Pour exprimer la simultanéité on peut employer WHILE.
- Pour éviter la répétition d'un nom on peut employer ONE qui occupera alors la fonction de PRONOM.



The background of the entire image is the Union Jack, the national flag of the United Kingdom, featuring a red cross on a white field with blue borders.

Be the  
fastest to  
answer!

Quiz time

## *Question 1*

*What do you wear for a graduation ceremony ?*

*A cap and gown*

## *Question 2*

*What are the elements of the gown that change according to your degree at university?*

*The colour of your neckerchief and the length of your sleeves.*

### *Question 3*

*What are the names of the 3 exams in  
secondary school?*

*SATS, GCSEs and A' levels*

## *Question 4*

*Do students in Sixth form wear a uniform?*

*No, they don't.*

## *Question 5*

*What can you do after secondary school?*

*You can choose either further  
education or higher education.*

## *Question 6*

*What are the names of the degrees after  
secondary school?*

*A Bachelor, A Master's, A Doctorate*



# Listening Comprehension

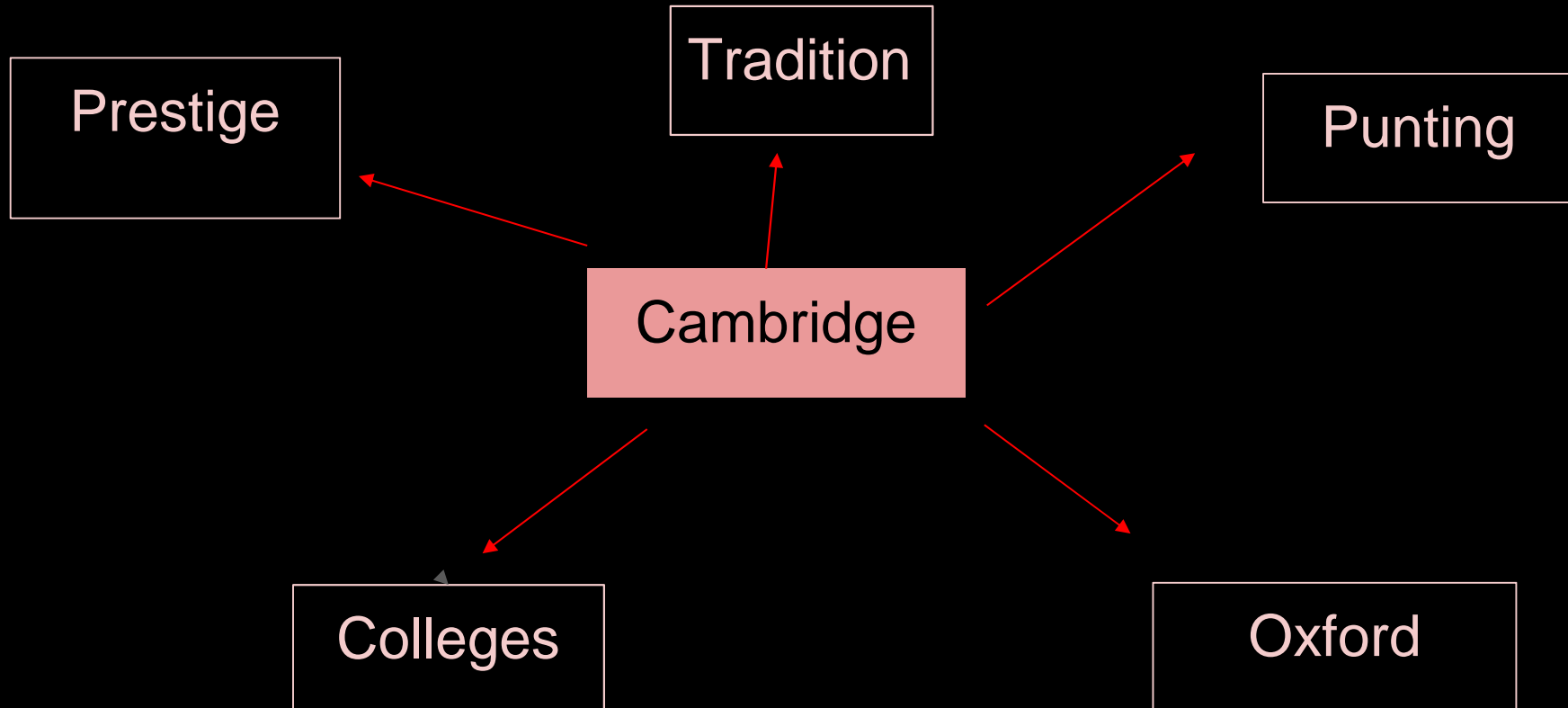


# Listening Comprehension



- **Concentrate**
- **Listen**
- Write down the key words in French or English
- Don't panic if you don't understand...it's just practice!

# Mindmap



# Linking words into the correct order

Tradition

Prestige

Punting

Colleges

Oxford

2nd

1st

First

4th

3rd

5th

- First<sup>ly</sup>, she talked about the...
- Second<sup>ly</sup>, she spoke about...
- Third<sup>ly</sup>, ...
- Fourth<sup>ly</sup>, ...
- and fifth<sup>ly</sup>...

- First, she talked...
- Then, she spoke...
- Afterwards...
- Finally...

OXFORD

University is divided into 38 colleges.

Magdalen College



Oxbridge



Oldest and most prestigious universities of England

CAMBRIDGE

University is divided into 31 colleges.

Trinity College



# Common aspects between Cambridge and Oxford

Rowing

Prestigious  
University

Punting

River

Colleges

- **Similarly to** Cambridge, Oxford has a ...
- **As** in Cambridge, there are many ....
- There is .... in Cambridge and **equally** in Oxford.

# Different aspects between Cambridge and Oxford

- The number of Colleges: 38 (Oxford) / 31 (Cambridge)

There are 38 colleges in Oxford whereas there are 31 colleges in Cambridge.

- The name of the rivers: Cam (Cambridge) / Cherwell (Oxford)

The river in Cambridge is called Cam while in Oxford it is Cherwell.



# What is punting?





A punter

The River Cam

A pole

A punt





The River Thames  
/temz/

A rower

An oar  
/ɔ:(r)/

A rowing boat



## Let's Memorise

■ you study in primary school, ■ you go to secondary school. ■ you can choose between further education or higher education.

Cambridge and Oxford are two ■ universities. ■ to Cambridge, Oxford has many colleges and you can go ■ on a river.

The river in Cambridge is called Cam ■ in Oxford it is Cherwell.

# Let's Recap

## **Vocabulary :**

A gown / A cap / A hood

A neckerchief

Plain

Stylish

## **Culture:**

Oxbridge/ Punting /  
Tradition

## **Grammar:**

- **Preterit**
- **One : pronom**
- **There is/are**
- **Whereas/ While**
- **As/ Similarly to/ Equally**

## **Connecting words into order:**

- **Firstly, Secondly, Thirdly...**
- **First, Afterwards, Then, Finally...**

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# On fait le bilan et on s'auto-évalue

Nous avons :

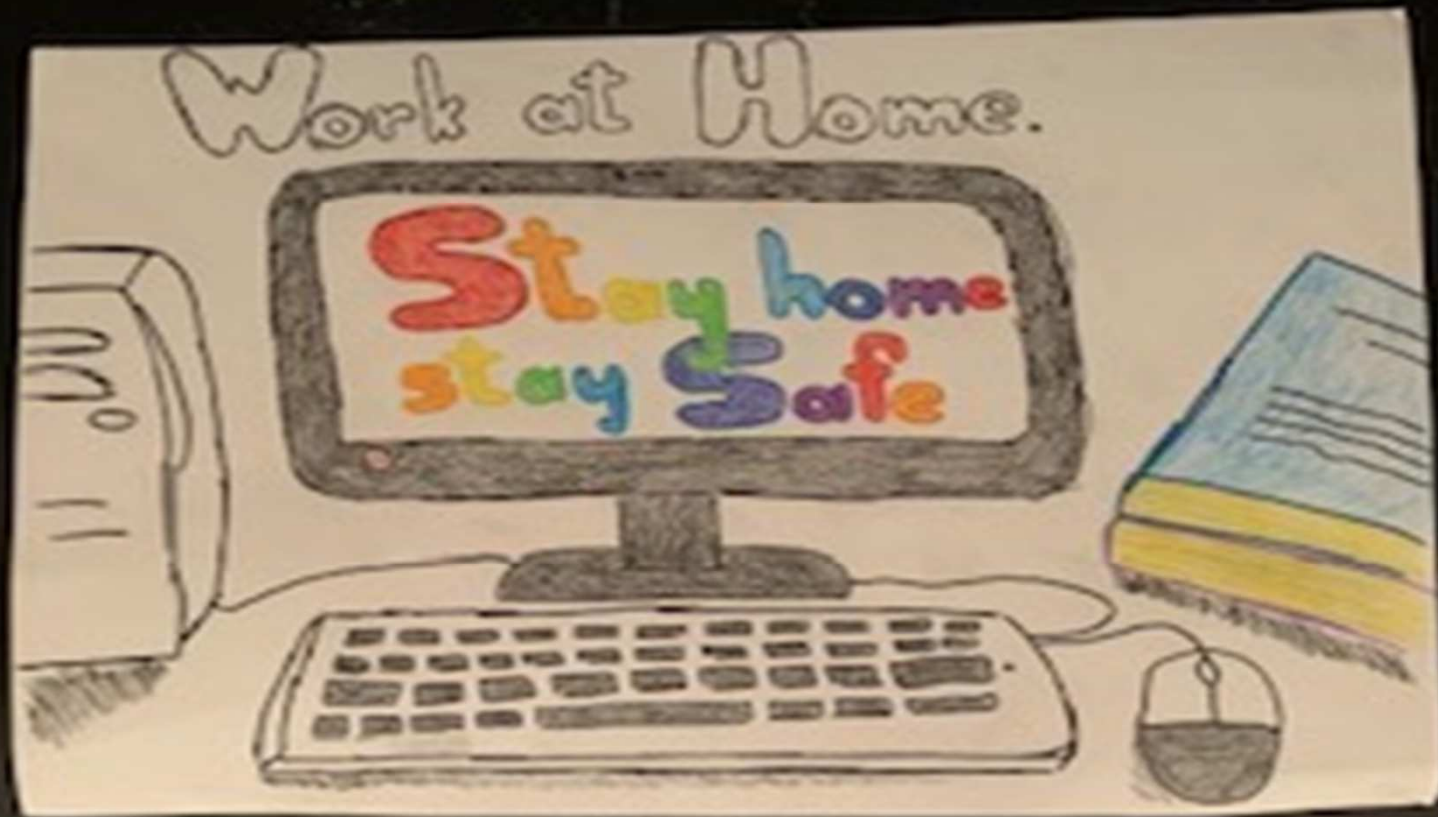
- découvert le système éducatif britannique.
- approfondi notre vocabulaire.
- revu le prétérit et comment employer le pronom 'one'.
- vu comment exprimer les différences et les similitudes.

Nous nous sommes exercés à mieux comprendre des documents.

## Pour aller plus loin

- British schools  
<https://www.studying-in-uk.org/uk-education-system-guide/>
- Compare the French School System to the British School System and indicate the common points and the differences.

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# Ressources

- [https://en.m.wikipedia.org/wiki/File:Schoools\\_comparison\\_UK\\_vs\\_Gibraltar.png](https://en.m.wikipedia.org/wiki/File:Schoools_comparison_UK_vs_Gibraltar.png)
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