



British culture and society w. 14 - 15

What?

You will work with a British news item for two lessons (in school) in order to develop your knowledge about what is going on in England and/or the rest of U.K. You will have to pick some piece of news that you are interested in so that you can also express your own opinion when presenting it.

Why?

In this small project you will be working with the following skills;

*listening (strategies to understand something in english in order to present it in your own words).

*speaking (strategies to retell something you have been listening to with your own words). Also you will practise the skill of expressing your opinion/thoughts about some issue/matter in the British society.

How?

You are going to pick a news item from the webpage

<http://www.newsinlevels.com/#> . There you will have to find some piece of news that is of British origin. Pick you level; 1, 2 or 3. These can be explained as; level 1= E- level, level 2 = C –level and level 3 = A- level.

When? Thursday the 14th of April . Your oral presentation should include:

1. A document in your Swedish “mapp”. The title of your document is the name of the news item + the link attached. When listening to the news item find a strategy of understanding it. Write it down in Swedish if you like, write keywords only etc. Include a list of difficult words (the words in bold they have suggested in the news item).
2. Your oral presentation needs to held for about 1,5 minutes. Include a summery of your news item, present any difficult words you found by explaining them in english (* talk around the word). **table = something you sit by and eat etc.* Last but not least, include your own opinion on the matter.

