

PUBS

The word PUB is an abbreviation of PUBLIC HOUSE:

a house open to everybody to meet, drink, relax and chat.

In UK the first pub opened over a thousand years ago (1000 anni).

The ***Royal Standard of England*** is one of the oldest pubs in the UK.



Pubs need a LICENCE to serve alcohol. They can't sell alcoholic drinks to people under 18. If they sell alcohol to young people they have to close it.

Pubs sell wine, soft drinks and different types of beer:

BLOND BEER= BITTER or ALE



BLOND BEER = LAGER

BLACK BEER = STOUT or GUINNESS

The beer is served in half PINT or PINT (pronuncia: PAINT)

A PINT= a little more than half a litre.

Must pubs have a DINING AREA,
where you can eat:

TRADITIONAL BRITISH DISHES

CONTINENTAL FOOD
Ex: lasagne

fish and chips: made of fresh fish
and home-made potatoes

Sausages and mash (potatoes)



FISH AND CHIPS



SAUSAGES AND MASH

Meals cost between £5 and £10 (£ : POUNDS). So, pubs are a good alternative to an expensive restaurant because there is no service charge either.

Smoking is not permitted in pubs (it was prohibited in July 2007).