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Martin Foster lives in Wigan, a town near Manchester. In the 19th century Wigan was very important for the British industry. There were a lot of coal mines around Wigan, and ships carried the coal from Wigan Pier on the Leeds and Liverpool Canal to other English towns. Today Wigan Pier is a museum. If you visit it, you will see how the people of Wigan lived a hundred years ago. You can also learn something about the hard work in the coal mines.



There is an old cotton mill across Wigan Pier. Here the cotton for clothes was made. Women and children worked there. It is a museum, too, and in it you can see the old machines.



Wigan is also famous for its rugby team. A lot of boys go to rugby training and dream of a career as a great rugby player.



People like going shopping in Wigan. There are a lot of boutiques, other small shops and restaurants in the Galleries Shopping Centre.

1. Write sentences about your hometown.

(Bilde mithilfe der drei folgenden Wortkästen so viele Sätze wie möglich!)



Example: In ... you can see a famous old church.

... is a town / village near ...
In ... you can see ...
There is / are ...
We have a / an ...
In summer / winter you can go ...
At the weekends / In the evening you can visit ...
You can do your shopping ...
A tourist can stay ...
I can meet my friends ...

old
new
big
small
nice
famous
important
interesting
expensive

church - cathedral - historic building - town hall - market - factory - baths - football field - tennis court - youth club - museum - school - disco - pub - supermarket - shops - farm - park - forest - restaurant - hotel - B&B

Jobs

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1. Ordne die Berufe den einzelnen Bildern zu und beschreibe die Arbeit der Personen.

(Verwende Ordnungszahlen und das Present Progressive!)

Example:

In the **first** picture I can see a car mechanic.

He **is repairing** a car. (repair)

In the **second** picture I can see a road construction worker.

He **is repairing** _____ (repair)

In the **third** _____ (build)

_____ (play)

_____ (cook)

_____ (serve)

_____ (build)

_____ (look at some curtains)

_____ (work in a baker's shop)

_____ (practise styling hair)

- shop assistant – car mechanic –
- hairdresser – roofer – cook –
- decorator – road construction
- worker – builder – waitress –
- nursery-school teacher