

Divided Kingdom

Vocabulary



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Paki (noun – offensive British slang): a person from Asia, esp. Pakistan
Calling someone a Paki is extremely offensive.

merc (verb – slang): to kill somebody
Give me your money or I'll merc ya!

supposed (to be) (verb): meant (to be), intended (to be)
This letter was supposed to be sent to Australia, not Austria.

suffer (verb): to feel pain, or to be badly affected by a situation
When the economy is bad, poor people usually suffer the most.

fancy (verb – British informal): to feel like (having or doing) something
What do you fancy for dessert?

Muslim (adjective): of, or related to, Islam
Indonesia has the biggest Muslim population in the world.

Hindu (adjective): of, or related to, Hinduism
We saw lots of Hindu yogis and old Hindu temples in Varanasi.

quid (noun – British informal): a pound (in British money)
A pint of beer costs four quid in that club!

nigger (noun – very offensive slang): a person with dark skin
You could get into serious trouble if you say the word "nigger".

Chink (noun – very offensive slang): a person from China
Some idiot on the train called an Asian girl a Chink.

ignorant (adjective): lacking knowledge, or unaware of something
If you don't follow the news, you'll be a very ignorant person.

ignore (verb): to not pay attention to something or someone
If people stare at you, just try to ignore them.

racist (adjective): of the belief that one race is superior to another
Three black kids were beaten up in a racist attack in London.

kick out (phrasal verb - informal): to force someone to leave
My sister was kicked out of school for bullying other kids.

piss off (phrasal verb – British slang): to annoy or anger someone
Doesn't it piss you off when banks increase the fees they charge?

fit (adjective – British slang): sexually attractive
Did Jason really say he thinks I'm fit?

let go (phrasal verb): to allow someone or something to go free
After the police questioned Ben, they let him go.