

Customs and culture /Major Faux Pas London Tourists Always Make

Love and London, *Major Faux Pas London Tourists Always Make*, TED talks [online], [dostęp 09 styczeń 2022], dostępny w Internecie: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=XJXf6bzPKOw>

I Match the words with their translations. There is an extra word you do not need to use.

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| 1. escalator | a) zatkać się (o rurze) |
| 2. queue/stand in line | b) opierać się o coś |
| 3. faux pas | c) nietypowy |
| 4. clog up | d) gładko wypowiadający się |
| 5. lean against | d) stać w kolejce |
| 6. soft-spoken | e) nietakt |
| | f) schody ruchome |

II Watch the video and answer the questions.

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- When you are standing on the escalator (eg. in the underground) you should stand on
 - the left side
 - the right side
- Which is the odd word out ? Which is not correctly used?
 - cut the line
 - jump the queue
 - stick the queue
- In a restaurant, if you have finished your meal and you wait for the waiter to take your plate away you should put your knife and fork crossed on the plate.
 - true
 - false
- Who should get out first from the tube/bus/shop?
 - people going in (inside), getting on
 - people getting out (outside), getting off
- If you hear on the tube the announcement to "move down the car" you should
 - move to the middle of the train
 - park in a different place
 - get out the tube

6. In a pub/restaurant you are expected to leave a tip

- a) never
- b) usually

7. Londoners, in general, are very open and sociable people who like talking to strangers in public places (eg. on a bus).

- a) true
- b) false

III Writing/speaking.

Give 4 pieces of advice connected with manners and customs for foreigners coming to Poland.



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