

2 Reading Comprehension – Answer Key

Text: Janus Britain, from: David Beal, *Britain in Europe*, Viewfinder Topics New Edition plus (München: Langenscheidt, 2010), pp. 42f.

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1 a)

2 b)

3 c)

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5 Give four examples of food and drink establishments which show Britain's other faces.

The shops and businesses along Putney High Street present a completely different picture from that of the church. The world is represented in the *Hot Wok Express* (ll. 52f.), which stands for Chinese influences, or the restaurant *Sydney* (l. 55), which is obviously Australian. *Il Peperone pizzeria* represents Italy and *La Mancha* Spain, both showing Europe's importance.

6 Putney High Street illustrates Britain's faces vividly but also incompletely. Explain.

The picture of Britain is incomplete as the Scottish, Welsh and Irish contributions are not mentioned and, moreover, the picture is limited to food and drink establishments and a few other businesses.

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