



**Geographical Context:**  
 Kingston is located in the southeast of England, approximately 30 miles (50 km) south of London. It is situated on the River Thames, which flows into the English Channel. The town is part of the Greater London Urban Area and is a major center for business and industry in the region.



**Historical Context:**  
 Kingston has a long history, dating back to the 10th century. It was a major center for trade and commerce, and was one of the largest towns in the south of England. The town was destroyed by fire in 1087, but was rebuilt and became a major center for the wool trade. Kingston was a major center for the wool trade, and was one of the largest towns in the south of England. The town was destroyed by fire in 1087, but was rebuilt and became a major center for the wool trade.