British people have a unique way with words, whether it's giving a compliment or delivering a cheeky roast. Here are some commonly used expressions for both:

**Compliments (Very British & Often Understated)**

"Not too shabby!" – A casual way to say something is quite good.

"You're a star!" – A warm way to thank or praise someone.

"That's brilliant!" – Used for something impressive or exciting.

"You’ve got a cracking sense of humor!" – High praise for someone funny.

"Looking sharp!" – Complimenting someone's style.

"You’re a good egg." – Means someone is kind and reliable.

"Spot on!" – Saying someone got something exactly right.

"What a legend!" – Praising someone for doing something great.

**Roasts (Often Playful & Sarcastic, But Can Be Brutal)**

"A few sandwiches short of a picnic." – Suggesting someone isn’t very bright.

"You’re having a laugh, aren’t you?" – A sarcastic way to express disbelief.

"As useful as a chocolate teapot." – Meaning completely useless.

"Not the sharpest tool in the shed, are you?" – Another way to say someone isn’t very smart.

"Calm down, dear." – Can be quite patronizing, often used sarcastically.

"Pull the other one, it’s got bells on!" – Used when you don’t believe someone.

"Jog on!" – A way to tell someone to go away.

"It’s not exactly rocket science, mate." – If someone is struggling with something simple.