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### Nigel Farage

Sorry Flat Earthers! Simple experiment involving a security camera and a garage proves our world is ROUND

Daily Mail (Articles) · Wed, 15 Oct 2025 14:08:08 +0100

Flat Earthers have travelled to Antarctica and even attempted to fly in homemade rockets in their quest to prove the world is flat. But you don't need to go anywhere near as far to prove that they are wrong.

https://www.dailymail.co.uk/sciencetech/article-15194103/flat-earth-Simple-experiment-proves-world-ROUND.html?ns \_mchannel=rss&ito=1490&ns\_campaign=1490

POLL OF THE DAY: Will Reform UK win the next General Election?

Daily Mail (UK News) · Wed, 15 Oct 2025 11:38:10 GMT

Cast your vote on what you think will happen in the next General Election after an explosive megapoll found Nigel Farage is set for the biggest Commons majority in modern political history.

https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-15194143/POLL-Reform-UK-win-General-Election.html?ns\_mchannel=rss&ns\_campaign=1490&ito=1490

How Reform would crush all before them if election was held tomorrow: Explosive megapoll shows **Nigel Farage** set for the biggest Commons majority EVER with Tories reduced to just SEVEN MPs and Labour ministers culled

Daily Mail (UK News) · Wed, 15 Oct 2025 10:17:53 GMT

Nigel Farage is set for the biggest Commons majority in modern political history with the Tories reduced to just seven MPs, according to an explosive megapoll.

 $https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-15191843/Megapoll-Farage-Reform-Commons-majority.html?ns\_mchannel=rss&ns\_campaign=1490\&ito=1490$ 

Fragile Gaza truce tested after body of hostage found not to be Israeli

Financial Times (World) · Wed, 15 Oct 2025 10:07:42 GMT

Forensic examination shows remains of fourth person do not match any of those held by Hamas, says Israeli military

https://www.ft.com/content/9cc21919-1a51-4248-813a-513287e41b2f

Is ANY of it your fault, Rachel? Reeves blames Brexit, austerity, **Farage** and the Tories as she admits tax rises and spending cuts ARE coming in the Budget

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Rachel Reeves tried to slough off responsibility as she gave the clearest indication yet that more pain is coming in the Budget.

 $https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-15193603/Rachel-Reeves-Brexit-austerity-Farage-Tories-tax-spending-Budget.html?ns\_mchannel=rss&ns\_campaign=1490\&ito=1490$ 

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#### Keir Starmer

**Keir Starmer** finally bows to pressure and says ministers WILL release Government document at the heart of China spying case collapse

Daily Mail (Articles) · Wed, 15 Oct 2025 14:29:15 +0100

The Prime Minister finally confirmed that Downing Street will publish a key witness statement by the deputy national security adviser after a major overnight row with prosecutors.

https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-15194347/Keir-Starmer-bows-pressure-release-China-spying-case-papers.ht ml?ns\_mchannel=rss&ito=1490&ns\_campaign=1490

Starmer attempts to defuse China spy fiasco as tempers flare

City AM (News) · Wed, 15 Oct 2025 13:44:02 +0000

Keir Starmer is looking to defuse a fiasco surrounding the collapse of an alleged Chinese spy case in parliament in the face of ongoing questions over whether national security advisers discussed the details of the case in private meetings. Starmer told MPs at Prime Minister's Questions on Wednesday that the government

https://www.cityam.com/starmer-moves-to-defuse-china-spy-case-fiasco/

**Starmer** pledges to publish crucial evidence in collapsed China spy case

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https://www.independent.co.uk/news/uk/politics/starmer-china-spy-case-witness-statements-pmqs-b2845861.html

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Labour's grooming gangs inquiry 'has stalled because ministers can't find anyone to chair it'

Daily Mail (UK News) · Wed, 15 Oct 2025 13:21:56 GMT

Four months on from Sir Keir Starmer performing a U-turn to commit to a full national probe, the Home Office confirmed it had still yet to appoint anyone to lead the inquiry.

https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-15194343/Labours-grooming-gangs-inquiry-stalled-ministers-chair-it.html?ns \_mchannel=rss&ns\_campaign=1490&ito=1490

Watch in full: Keir Starmer faces PMQs grilling over China spy case

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https://www.independent.co.uk/news/sir-keir-starmer-china-spy-pmqs-live-stream-b2845914.html

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Will **Keir Starmer** EVER recover from his viral humiliation by Trump in front of world? PM's efforts to bask in Gaza peace deal spectacularly backfire

Daily Mail (UK News) · Wed, 15 Oct 2025 11:33:28 GMT

Keir Starmer was accused of piggbacking on the breakthrough after he headed to Egypt for a signing ceremony.

https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-15189975/Keir-Starmer-Trump-Gaza-peace-deal-humiliation-US-President-Egypt-Paraguay-Norway-PM-leaders.html?ns\_mchannel=rss&ns\_campaign=1490&ito=1490

More unseen moments of awkward Keir Starmer caught on camera at Gaza peace talks

Daily Mail (UK News) · Wed, 15 Oct 2025 11:33:06 GMT

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https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-15193949/Moment-Keir-Starmer-awkwardly-claps-hovers-quietly-background-videos-emerge-viral-humiliation-Egypt-peace-summit.html?ns\_mchannel=rss&ns\_campaign=1490&ito=1490

Starmer to publish key witness statements in China spy case

Financial Times (UK) · Wed, 15 Oct 2025 11:28:35 GMT

Prime minister has been under pressure over dropping of charges against two British men

https://www.ft.com/content/b58fff7f-65ed-470c-bcbd-9371f4b78bf3

Starmer's business adviser is 'frontrunner' to be US ambassador

City AM (News) · Wed, 15 Oct 2025 10:56:12 +0000

Keir Starmer's business adviser is a frontrunner to replace Peter Mandelson as the UK's ambassador to the US, according to reports. Varun Chandra, a former venture capital executive who has had to curry favour with business leaders and investors in a difficult year for the UK economy, is being considered for the

https://www.cityam.com/starmers-business-adviser-is-frontrunner-to-be-us-ambassador/

Nature groups rebuke Reeves for 'cynical' 11th-hour planning bill changes

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Chancellor accused of removing environmental protections to win short-term growth and save her budget UK politics live – latest updates Last-minute changes to the government's planning bill have sparked a furious backlash from nature groups who have mounted an attack on the chancellor, Rachel Reeves, over her plans to

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German defence minister derails compromise over military service

Financial Times (World) · Wed, 15 Oct 2025 08:40:05 GMT

Boris Pistorius's objections to coalition deal threaten efforts to boost armed forces

https://www.ft.com/content/cd1a6e8e-514f-4c56-973d-8541c1a1c87d

Pressure on Downing Street to release evidence in collapsed China spy case

Guardian (UK News) · Wed, 15 Oct 2025 08:20:58 GMT

Crown Prosecution Service denies it blocked publication of material and says decision rests with the government Downing Street is under pressure to publish its evidence in the collapsed China spy case after the Crown Prosecution Service denied having blocked its release. Keir Starmer is likely to come under scrutiny at

https://www.theguardian.com/politics/2025/oct/15/pressure-downing-street-release-evidence-collapsed-china-spy-case

Katie Amess: 'Keir Starmer has just ignored us'

BBC (Politics) · Wed, 15 Oct 2025 07:37:39 GMT

The Home Office says it will appoint a key figure to scrutinise past reviews for Sir David's family.

https://www.bbc.com/news/articles/cqx3rryl5r8o?at\_medium=RSS&at\_campaign=rss

Wednesday briefing: The new, devastating flood risk facing nearly all of Britain

Guardian (UK News) · Wed, 15 Oct 2025 05:22:35 GMT

In today's newsletter: Flooding is predicted to become so bad that some towns may need to be abandoned, and it's not even campaigners raising the alarm – but insurers Good morning. For years, whenever I read about parts of Britain being wrecked by flooding, it always felt like something distant – because until your hou

https://www.theguardian.com/world/2025/oct/15/first-edition-flood-risk-britain

The crisis engulfing Emmanuel Macron contains a warning for Keir Starmer | Rafael Behr

Guardian (Politics) · Wed, 15 Oct 2025 05:00:14 GMT

The French president dominated the centre ground but has failed to build a legacy there. Labour is in danger of doing the same Britain and France do not share a fixed quota of political stability such that reduced volatility on one side of the Channel causes chaos across the water. It was just a coincidence that Keir S

https://www.theguardian.com/commentisfree/2025/oct/15/emmanuel-macron-keir-starmer-crisis-france-president-labour

Digital ID: Danes and Estonians find it 'pretty uncontroversial'

Guardian (UK News) · Wed, 15 Oct 2025 04:01:12 GMT

Citizens have enrolled with little opposition, albeit with some concerns over security and privacy, as UK plans system Keir Starmer to look at India's digital ID system during visit to Mumbai For Danish teenagers, getting enrolled for MitID (my ID) has become somewhat of a rite of passage. From the age of 13, Danes can

https://www.theguardian.com/politics/2025/oct/15/digital-id-denmark-estonia-uncontroversial-concerns-security-privac v

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Kemi Badenoch brutally mocked over 'Britain' spelling gaffe at PMQs

Daily Mirror (News) · Wed, 15 Oct 2025 12:19:57 +0000

Kemi Badenoch was brutally mocked at PMQs when a Labour MP spelt out the word Britain to her - after the Tories spelt the word wrong at their annual party conference last week.

https://www.mirror.co.uk/news/politics/kemi-badenoch-brutally-mocked-over-36072851

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The Debate: Should we abolish stamp duty for primary homes?

City AM (News) · Wed, 15 Oct 2025 09:38:50 +0000

Kemi Badenoch's promise to abolish stamp duty was met with cheers by the Conservatives, but is it actually a good idea?

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# John Swinney

EUAN McCOLM: No one knows Swinney's plan for Indyref 2 ..including him

Daily Mail (UK News) · Wed, 15 Oct 2025 12:26:09 GMT

Like the girlfriend of a teenage fantasist, you wouldn't know John Swinney's plan for independence. It's not from round here.

https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-15194501/EUAN-McCOLM-No-one-knows-Swinneys-plan-Indyref-2-including -him.html?ns\_mchannel=rss&ns\_campaign=1490&ito=1490

### Ed Davey

'I married an Afghan migrant - he put me through hell and I have lost everything'

Daily Express (News) · Wed, 15 Oct 2025 13:57:00 +0100

A woman has bravely spoken about how the man she married raped her, threatened to murder her and said he would kill her child.

https://www.express.co.uk/news/uk/2121697/afghan-migrant-marriage-nightmare

Notorious gangster Dave Courtney died penniless and without a will after taking his own life at the age of 64

Daily Mail (UK News) · Wed, 15 Oct 2025 13:09:47 GMT

Courtney, who claimed to be an associate of 1960s gangland criminals the Kray twins, swapped an earlier life of crime for writing books in his later years.

 $https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-15194463/Celebrity-gangster-Dave-Courtney-died-penniless-without-will.html?ns\_mchannel=rss\&ns\_campaign=1490\&ito=1490$ 

Ed Miliband approves biggest solar farm - the size of 1,700 football pitches - despite China slavery concerns

Daily Mail (UK News) · Wed, 15 Oct 2025 09:41:30 GMT

The Energy Secretary has granted permission for the Tillbridge project which will cover around 3,000 acres of Lincolnshire.

https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-15192025/Ed-Miliband-approves-biggest-solar-farm-size-1-700-football-pitch es-despite-China-slavery-concerns.html?ns\_mchannel=rss&ns\_campaign=1490&ito=1490

### Rhun Ap Iorwerth

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## Mary Lou Mcdonald

Sirens interrupt Trump bragging about how DC has no crime

Independent (News) · Wed, 15 Oct 2025 13:20:21 GMT

Sirens interrupted Donald Trump as he bragged about how Washington DC has no crime.

https://www.independent.co.uk/tv/news/trump-crime-washington-dc-sirens-video-b2845910.html

Trump's McDonald's order got even more bizarre in 2024, RNC chair reveals

Independent (News) · Wed, 15 Oct 2025 12:37:58 GMT

Trump reportedly constructed his own take on the chain's iconic burgers while on the campaign trail

https://www.independent.co.uk/news/world/americas/us-politics/donald-trump-mcdonalds-order-joe-gruter-b2845774.html

Sumo wrestling giants stun London: Fans are warned about being SQUASHED at Royal Albert Hall and toilets are reinforced for Japan's 25 stone fighters who've been out for **McDonald**'s and shopping at TK Maxx

Daily Mail (UK News) · Wed, 15 Oct 2025 10:32:19 GMT

More than 40 of Japan's top wrestlers are in London, vying to be crowned the 'Grand Champion', with ticket holders given the chance to 'step into a world of ancient rituals.'

 $https://www.dailymail.co.uk/sport/othersports/article-15193589/Sumo-London-Royal-Albert-Hall-stunned.html?ns\_mchannel=rss\&ns\_campaign=1490\&ito=1490$ 

#### Gavin Robinson

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