

# Daily Reform UK MP Mentions

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**[Daily Mail] Kemi Badenoch demands the Right focuses fire on Keir Starmer as she accuses Reform of 'letting Labour off the hook' with attacks on Tories and push for defections**

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The Conservative leader blasted a wave of defections by 'drama queens' to Reform in the past fortnight which have taken attention away from the Prime Minister when he is struggling.

[https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-15505155/Kemi-Badenoch-Right-focuses-fire-Keir-Starmer.html?ns\\_mchannel=rss&ito=1490&ns\\_campaign=1490](https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-15505155/Kemi-Badenoch-Right-focuses-fire-Keir-Starmer.html?ns_mchannel=rss&ito=1490&ns_campaign=1490)

**[Daily Express] Reform fury as 'marxist' union baron pledges teachers will fight Reform's rise**

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EXCLUSIVE - Reform UK has voiced fury as the head of the teachers union said he plans on weaponising schools against the party's rise.

<https://www.express.co.uk/news/politics/2163765/reform-fury-kebede-schools-frontline>

**[Daily Express] I was in the room when Kemi Badenoch said good riddance to Reform defectors**

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The Tory leader smashed on the head the idea the Conservatives will go soggy now that the likes of Robert Jenrick and Suella Braverman have gone to Reform UK

<https://www.express.co.uk/news/politics/2163744/i-was-room-when-kemi>

**[The Guardian] Starmer says he is 'focused on our national interest' as he begins China visit – UK politics live**

Wed, 28 Jan 2026 14:11:12 GMT

PM tells business delegates in Beijing that they are 'making history', as Kemi Badenoch criticises trip Badenoch is now taking questions. Asked if she agreed with Reform UK that Britain is broken, Badenoch said she believed that it can be fixed. I was not elected to reheat the party with 1990s policies, and I was not e

<https://www.theguardian.com/politics/live/2026/jan/28/keir-starmer-labour-reform-uk-gorton-and-denton-by-election-andy-burnham-conservatives-politics-latest-news>

**[The Guardian] Centrist ideas no longer wanted in Conservative party, says Kemi Badenoch**

Wed, 28 Jan 2026 13:53:44 GMT

Party leader tells MPs that one-nation Tories doubting her rightward direction 'need to get out of the way' UK politics live – latest updates Centrist ideas are no longer wanted in the Conservative party, Kemi Badenoch has said, arguing that one nation-type Tories or others who have qualms about her rightward

direction

<https://www.theguardian.com/politics/2026/jan/28/centrist-ideas-no-longer-wanted-in-conservative-party-says-kemi-badenoch>

**[City AM] Lib Dems: Starmer has gone 'cap in hand' to China despite spy threats**

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Keir Starmer has been accused of going "cap in hand" to China, piling further criticism on the government's trade ambitions with a country that has backed hacking operations against the UK. Liberal Democrats deputy leader Daisy Cooper demanded deputy prime minister David Lammy, who stood in for Starmer at PMQs, to

<https://www.cityam.com/lib-dems-starmer-has-gone-cap-in-hand-to-china-despite-spy-threats/>

**[Daily Mail] Labour accused of 'gaslighting' voters with 'lies' after editing video to claim Reform's by-election candidate slagged off Manchester**

Wed, 28 Jan 2026 13:13:27 GMT

Labour issued a video last night claiming that commentator Matt Goodwin had slagged off Manchester in a speech.

[https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-15505191/Labour-gaslighting-voters-lies-editing-video-Reform-election-candidate-Manchester.html?ns\\_mchannel=rss&ns\\_campaign=1490&ito=1490](https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-15505191/Labour-gaslighting-voters-lies-editing-video-Reform-election-candidate-Manchester.html?ns_mchannel=rss&ns_campaign=1490&ito=1490)

**[Daily Mirror] Fuming Lee Anderson heckled in PMQs as David Lammy makes brutal 'IQ' joke**

Wed, 28 Jan 2026 13:04:13 +0000

Reform MP Lee Anderson was heckled multiple times during PMQs before Deputy PM David Lammy slapped him down with a brutal joke about his IQ

<https://www.mirror.co.uk/news/politics/fuming-lee-anderson-heckled-pmq-36629358>

**[The Guardian] Labour risks election wipeout unless it improves Britain's high streets, study finds**

Wed, 28 Jan 2026 12:52:01 GMT

Decay of town centres a top issue among voters, especially Reform UK supporters, and is fuelling resentment against Westminster. How has your local high street changed since 2019? Check your postcode. The struggling billionaire-owned high street that shows Reform's road to No 10 Labour will be "washed away in a tide of d

<https://www.theguardian.com/society/2026/jan/28/labour-risks-election-wipeout-unless-it-improves-britain-high-streets-study-finds>

**[Financial Times] Starmer and Badenoch blast Reform UK's by-election candidate**

Wed, 28 Jan 2026 12:42:31 GMT

Prime minister launches attack on Matt Goodwin ahead of high-stakes vote next month

<https://www.ft.com/content/db830ac8-5a04-4beb-b5bc-c1db584c45b6>

**[Independent] Badenoch mocks Jenrick and Braverman as she tries to get Tories back on track after Reform defections**

Wed, 28 Jan 2026 12:28:38 GMT

Kemi Badenoch delivers speech denouncing Westminster 'psychodrama' as she fights to rescue her party

<https://www.independent.co.uk/news/uk/politics/kemi-badenoch-reform-defector-speech-b2909263.html>

**[The Guardian] Criminal Cases Review Commission refers indefinite sentences of five men for appeal**

Wed, 28 Jan 2026 12:06:05 GMT

Referrals all relate to controversial imprisonment for public protection scheme or its equivalent for children UK politics live – latest updates Five men have had their indefinite sentences under the imprisonment for public protection (IPP) scheme, or its equivalent for children, referred for appeal. The decision by th

<https://www.theguardian.com/society/2026/jan/28/five-men-jailed-indefinitely-for-public-protection-get-sentences-referred-for-appeal>

**[Daily Mail] Does anyone want to win the Gorton by-election? Green posters misspell seat name after Reform campaigns in wrong constituency - while Labour struggles to find candidate**

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Supporters attending a rally by Zack Polanski, the leader of the hard Left party, were greeted by signage asked supporters to help in 'Gorten and Denton'.

[https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-15504979/Gorton-election-Green-posters-misspell-seat-Reform-Labour.html?ns\\_mchannel=rss&ito=1490&ns\\_campaign=1490](https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-15504979/Gorton-election-Green-posters-misspell-seat-Reform-Labour.html?ns_mchannel=rss&ito=1490&ns_campaign=1490)

**[The Guardian] 'You'd be ashamed to bring someone here': The struggling billionaire-owned high street that shows Reform's road to No 10**

Wed, 28 Jan 2026 10:02:33 GMT

Newton Aycliffe was meant to be a model town for a fairer postwar Britain. But unaffordable rents on a high street amounting to 0.12% of its property tycoon owner's holdings have made it a symbol of decline – and a warning for Labour How has your local high street changed since 2019? Check your postcode Labour risks el

<https://www.theguardian.com/society/ng-interactive/2026/jan/28/newton-aycliffe-county-durham-high-street-decline>

**[Independent] Labour launches attack on Greens as pollster tips Polanski's party to win crucial Gorton and Denton by-election**

Wed, 28 Jan 2026 08:38:21 GMT

Exclusive: Green Party leader Zack Polanski tells The Independent the Gorton and Denton by-election is 'Greens vs Reform'

<https://www.independent.co.uk/news/uk/politics/labour-greens-gorton-denton-byelection-b2908838.html>

**[The Guardian] Starmer says Reform pursuing politics of 'toxic division' after Matt Goodwin unveiled as byelection candidate**

Wed, 28 Jan 2026 07:00:07 GMT

Prime minister says Reform seeking to 'tear people apart' after Gorton and Denton candidate questions whether all UK-born people are British Keir Starmer has accused the Reform UK candidate in the Greater

Manchester byelection of pursuing the politics of “toxic division” after he refused to disown his claim that UK-born

<https://www.theguardian.com/politics/2026/jan/28/reform-matt-goodwin-byelection-keir-starmer-reaction-toxic-division-ntwnfb>

### **[BBC] Will Suella Braverman's defection prompt a by-election?**

*Wed, 28 Jan 2026 06:07:03 GMT*

Suella Braverman has defected to Reform UK from the Conservatives - but what does that mean for her constituents?

[https://www.bbc.com/news/videos/cr57pvl5lg8o?at\\_medium=RSS&at\\_campaign=rss](https://www.bbc.com/news/videos/cr57pvl5lg8o?at_medium=RSS&at_campaign=rss)