



British slang – some words only British can understand!



What is British slang? Slang is informal British-English, some words, expressions and sentences only used in informal contexts among British people



1 Listen to Freddie Highmore's video and find the correct vocabulary
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=rYcYGNbxfNE>

2 Look at the list of words and find the correct meaning of each slang term
Regarde la liste de mots et trouve l'argot qui correspond


A tantrum, a bit of a moment (anger) – dull or boring – all gone wrong (not good at all) – blaargh (disgusting) – go away – Take a nap (sleeping a little) – money – lucky – to kiss – attractive (mostly for females) – things to do – take a look – raincoat – all is going wrong


Peng ting	
All to pot	
Minging	
Throwing a wobbly	
Kip	
Dosh	
Snog	
Bits & bobs	
Have a butcher's	
Jammy	
Anorak	
Gormless	
Sixes and sevens	
On your bike	

3 Now classify them whether they express something positive or negative

Positive	Negative

4 Try to find the correct slang word/expression in the text.

Joey was really tired after work, he decided to lay on his bed and go for a short ()

He was not happy with his job at the pub, he wasn't rich and did not have enough ()

So, Joey is now looking for another job, probably something better for him, he needs to () at the newspapers.


Fortunately, Joey found a 10-pound note on his way to work, he's very

()

Well, actually... Joey went to spend his money at the casino and lost

everything, he's so ()

He was so upset that he a ()

and the security agent told me “ !” ()

5 Which slang(s) do you prefer and will remember?