

# ON LOCATION IN LONDON!

The writer of the film *About Time* is Richard Curtis. He has written many other famous films too. *Notting Hill*, *Love Actually* and *About Time* all take place in London. Let's go on location!



Notting Hill  
Carnival

**Notting Hill** is in area in the west of London. Richard Curtis's film, *Notting Hill*, is about a group of friends who live there. There are lots of small galleries, theatres and restaurants. The famous Notting Hill Carnival takes place every August

The film *Love Actually* is about ten different love stories. One of the stories is about the Prime Minister, who works at the Houses of Parliament in Westminster. Westminster is a popular place for visitors to London. Big Ben, the tall clock tower, is famous all over the world. You can hear the bells in the clock tower every fifteen minutes.

Big Ben and the Houses of  
Parliament



In *About Time*, Tim and Mary, like many people in their twenties, move to London to find a job. Tim finds a job in the **Royal Courts of Justice** in the City. This is the most important court in England.



Royal Courts of Justice

*Dans Le Noir* is the restaurant where Tim meets Mary. It is a real restaurant in the City. It is one of a group of restaurants which started in Paris. There are no lights inside the restaurant. All the waiters are blind or can't see very well. The restaurant gives some of its money to charities for blind people.

Which  
of these places  
would you most  
like to visit?  
Why?

Tim meets Charlotte at **The National Theatre**. It is on the South Bank, on the south of the River Thames. The South Bank is a very busy area with markets and small shops. There is often music or theatre in the streets.

What do these words mean? You can use a dictionary.

bell blind charity market  
on location take place tower



The South Bank