

# Global Britain Scorecard



Global Britain actions	Score	Evaluation
Responsible arms trading	RED	The UK's practice of selling weapons to regimes with bad human rights records is undermining the Arms Trade Treaty. Civilians are paying the cost.
Effective UN Peacekeeping	GREEN	The UK has made a significant contribution to UN peacekeeping. It must now encourage others to follow suit and support effective reforms.
Preventing atrocities	AMBER	The UK's record is mixed - as a permanent member of the UN Security Council, it bears particular responsibility for preventing genocide, ethnic cleansing and other atrocities.
Multilateral nuclear disarmament	RED	The UK is failing in its commitment to work for multilateral disarmament at a time of increasing nuclear threats.
Respect for human rights	AMBER	The UK has largely been a positive force on the UN Human Rights Council. But inflammatory rhetoric and disdain for human rights protections have marred its record.
Support for overseas aid	GREEN	The UK is a generous aid donor. Care must be taken to ensure aid goes where it is most needed - including underfunded UN humanitarian programmes.
Tackling climate change	AMBER	The UK has ratified the Paris Climate Agreement but concerns are growing that the UK has de-prioritised climate action and is not on course to meet emissions targets.

UK Foreign Secretary Boris Johnson has said that a "Global Britain" means an outward-looking foreign policy which "is in the interests both of Britain and the world".

UNA-UK agrees, and we want to help the UK flesh out its vision. This scorecard sets out key policy areas we believe are central to a "Global Britain" and asks: are we making progress?

Assessments have been made using the words of UN officials, cross-party committees of MPs and the UK's voting and participation record at the UN.

Our methodology follows the UK's own analysis that Britain's security and prosperity is underpinned by a strong, rules-based international system with the United Nations at its heart. It uses a traffic light system to score the UK's performance on these issues as "green", "amber" or "red".

More information, sources and analysis are available from [www.una.org.uk/scorecard](http://www.una.org.uk/scorecard).