Tower Bridge



Tower Bridge was opened on 30th June 1894. It is open to cars and pedestrians and is crossed by 40,000 people every day! You can pay to go up the towers and walk across the walkway between them.

Jumping Bridge!

In 1952 a bus driver jumped over a gap in bridge as it was mistakenly opening. None of his passengers was hurt and he received £10 for his bravery!

Did you know?

People sometimes call
Tower Bridge 'London
Bridge' by mistake that's the next one
along the river!



The bridge can open to let boats through. This happens about 1000 times a year.