Period	Key Media	Highlights
1500s-1700s	Print (books, pamphlets)	English literacy, Reformation, Enlightenment ideas
1800s	Newspapers, novels	Mass literacy, serialized fiction, political activism
1900s	Radio, TV	Public broadcasting, propaganda, cultural unification
1990s–2000s	Internet, websites	Online news, digital journalism, blogging
2005–2020s	Social media, mobile	Globalized English content, user participation, crises
2020s+	AI, immersive media	Automation, misinformation, personalized experiences