

SCOTTISH REGIMENTS

A **Scottish regiment** is any regiment (or similar military unit) that at some time in its history has or had a name that referred to Scotland or some part, thereof, and adopted items of Scottish dress. These regiments were and are usually a product of the British Empire, either directly serving the United Kingdom, serving as colonial troops, or later as part of Commonwealth country military establishments. Their "Scottishness" is not necessarily due to recruitment in Scotland nor any proportion of members of Scottish ancestry. Traditionally, Scottish regiments cultivate a reputation of exceptional fierceness in combat and are often given romantic portrayals in popular media. Within Scotland, itself, regiments of the Scottish Lowlands did not adopt as strong a "Scottish" (specifically Highland Scottish) character until the late Victorian Era.

CURRENT SCOTTISH REGIMENTS



Royal Scots Dragoon Guards



Scots Guards



Royal Regiment of Scotland

LOWLAND LINE INFANTRY (Lowland Brigade)



The Royal Scots



The Royal Scots
Fusiliers



The King's Own
Scottish Borderers



The Cameronians



52nd Lowland Regiment

HIGHLAND LINE INFANTRY (Highland Brigade)



The Black Watch



The Highland Light Infantry
City of Glasgow Regiment



The Seaforth Highlanders



The Gordon Highlanders



The Queen's Own
Cameron Highlanders



The Argyll and
Sutherland Highlanders



51st Highland Volunteers

The Royal Regiment of Scotland

In 2006 it was announced that Scotland's Historic Regiments would reform as five regular and two TA battalions, the Royal Scots and the King's Own Scottish Borderers having amalgamated that same year to form The Royal Scots Borderers.

Battalion titles are as follows:-

The Royal Scots Borderers	1st Battalion The Royal Regiment of Scotland
The Royal Highland Fusiliers	2nd Battalion The Royal Regiment of Scotland
The Black Watch	3rd Battalion The Royal Regiment of Scotland
The Highlanders	4th Battalion The Royal Regiment of Scotland
The Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders	5th Battalion The Royal Regiment of Scotland
52nd Lowland	6th Battalion The Royal Regiment of Scotland
51st Highland	7th Battalion The Royal Regiment of Scotland

Pipe Bands

Each Battalion retains a Pipe Band

Military Bands

The Band of The Royal Regiment of Scotland

Bands of the 6th and 7th Battalions

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