

Geography

We are Britain

Year 1

Key Vocabulary

Key Knowledge and facts

Key Maps & Compass

WORD	DEFINITION
Atlas	Book/collection of maps.
City	A large settlement of people found within a country.
Coast	The boundary between land and sea.
Hill	A mound of earth with an increasing gradient.
Human Features	Features made by humans (city, village, farm, shop).
Island	A piece of land that is completely surrounded by water.
Landmark	A building or feature that is easily recognised.
Map	Diagram to show where places are located and features of places.
Mountain	A natural elevation of the Earth's surface- higher than a hill.
Ocean	An expanse of sea water.
Physical features	Natural features on the Earth's surface (beach, forest, ocean)
Valley	A depression in the landscape, found in hilly areas.

- ❖ There are four countries that make up the UK – England, Scotland, Wales and Northern Ireland.
- ❖ The capital of England is London.
- ❖ The capital of Wales is Cardiff.
- ❖ The capital of Northern Ireland is Belfast.
- ❖ The capital of Scotland is Edinburgh.
- ❖ The four compass points are North, East, South and West.
- ❖ Atlantic Ocean, North Sea, Celtic Sea, Irish Sea and English Channel surround the United Kingdom.
- ❖ Ilkley is in England in the United Kingdom.
- ❖ Rose is the national flower of England.
- ❖ Thistle is the national flower of Scotland.
- ❖ Shamrock is the national flower of Northern Ireland.
- ❖ Daffodil is the national flower of Wales.



United Kingdom



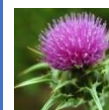
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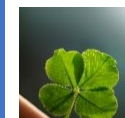
United Kingdom flag



Rose



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England

Scotland

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