

Geography



Knowledge organiser — The United Kingdom (KS1)

What will we be learning?

- The location of the four countries.
- The four capitals and surrounding seas.
- Human and physical features of the UK.
- Human and physical features of the capital cities.
- Sharing our understanding of the UK.

| Key knowledge | |
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| □ The United Kingdom is part of the continent of Europe. □ It is made up of four countries, which all have their own capital city. □ Each country has its own flag. The United Kingdom also has a flag, which is sometimes called the Union Jack. □ The United Kingdom is an island: it is | Northern Ireland |
| surrounded by water. The UK has human and physical features. Human features are made by people and physical features are made by nature. | England |

| Key Vocabulary | Glossary terms |
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| Place Names : | capital city: the city where a country's |
| Ben Nevis English Channel Europe Ireland Irish Sea North Sea | government is, such as London or Edinburgh country: an area of land that has its own government, such as the UK or France feature: something you would find in a place that is usually there (such as a hill or a house) |
| My town or local area Geographical terms and processes | is usually there (such as a fill) of a flouse) |
| city | |
| country | |
| river sea | |
| town | |
| village | |
| <u>Locational Terms</u> | |
| across | |
| northern | |