



Geography

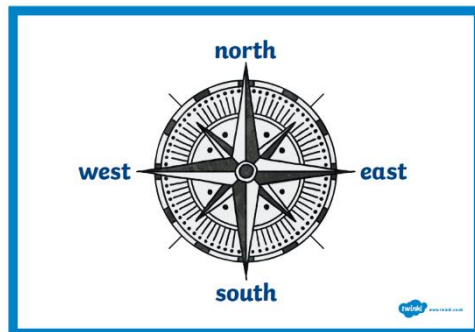
Topic: The United Kingdom

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New Vocabulary

United Kingdom	The United Kingdom is an island country made up of four smaller countries: England, Scotland, Northern Ireland and Wales.
city	A place where many people live together. It is larger than a town.
capital city	Where the government of the country is based.
landmark	An important place or feature and they help you know where you are
population	The number of people living in a certain place.
port	A place where boats can come and go to unload their supplies/people.
tourist	A person who is visiting and travelling to a place for pleasure.
office	A building designed for office workers to work in.



Did you know ...

The United Kingdom is an island?
The United Kingdom doesn't include the Republic of Ireland?

Career links:

A cartographer collects information about the geography of an area to design and produce maps.

New Knowledge

The United Kingdom is surrounded by the Atlantic Ocean, the North Sea, the English Channel and the Irish Sea.

London is the capital city of England.

Edinburgh is the capital city of Scotland.

Cardiff is the capital city of Wales.

Belfast is the capital city of Northern Ireland.

When we visit the capital cities, we see different **landmarks** in each one. Tourists visit important landmarks.

An aerial photograph is a photograph taken from high up looking down onto the land.

A map is a drawing of a place and its features and has names of places written on it.

North, south, east and west are compass directions and describe which direction something is in.

Prior Learning In EYFS, pupils learnt:

A country is a big place where people live. Each country has its own name.

That we live in England, which is a country.

Map of the United Kingdom

The United Kingdom is made up of England, Scotland, Wales and Northern Ireland.

