


Gunthorpe Primary School – Geography Knowledge Organiser

Big Question:	What makes up the UK?	Year 2:	Autumn Term 1
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Key Knowledge

Where I live	I live in Peterborough, which is in a country called England. England is part of the UK.										
The UK	There are four countries within the United Kingdom (UK): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> England Scotland Wales Northern Ireland 										
Capital cities	Each of the 4 countries in the UK has a capital city . <table border="1" style="margin: 10px auto; width: 80%;"> <thead> <tr> <th>Country</th><th>Capital City</th></tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>England</td><td>London</td></tr> <tr> <td>Scotland</td><td>Edinburgh</td></tr> <tr> <td>Wales</td><td>Cardiff</td></tr> <tr> <td>Northern Ireland</td><td>Belfast</td></tr> </tbody> </table>	Country	Capital City	England	London	Scotland	Edinburgh	Wales	Cardiff	Northern Ireland	Belfast
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The Union Jack	Parts of each of the 4 flags have been put together to make one flag that represents the UK. This is called the Union Jack. <div style="text-align: center;">  </div>										



Words we know

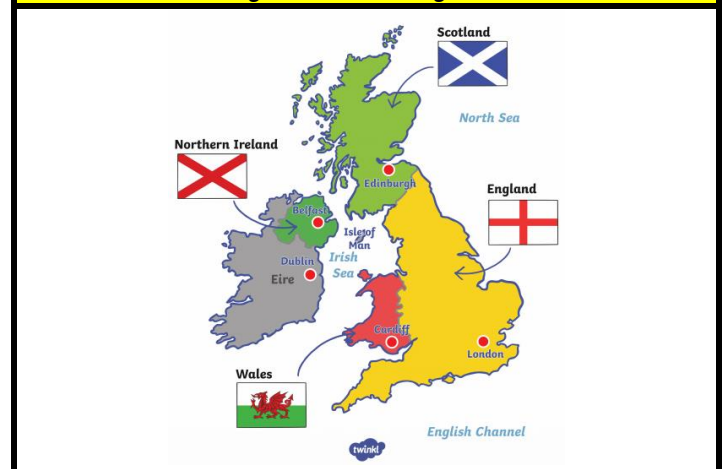


Words we are going to learn

Key Vocabulary

Spelling	Definition
★ country	An area of land that is controlled by its own leaders.
★ flag	A piece of cloth which can be attached to a pole. It is used as a symbol of a country.
★ United Kingdom	The UK is known as the United Kingdom. It includes England, Scotland, Wales and Northern Ireland.
★ city	A large or important town.
★ capital city	The city where the leaders of the country work.

Diagrams and Symbols



What do we already know?

Year	Topic	You should already know...
Year 1	My Local Area and Me	I explained where I live and could tell someone my address. I could say what I like and dislike about where I live. I located the countries within the United Kingdom on a map. We made posters with key facts about each of the countries.
Reception	Around the World	I looked at our local area and foods from around the world.
