

GGA - Geography Year 2

Autumn Term Turrets and Trebuchets (United Kingdom)

Key Vocabulary and definition

There are four countries in the United Kingdom (UK): England, Scotland, Wales and Northern Ireland.

London is the capital of England

Edinburgh is the capital of Scotland.

Cardiff is the capital of Wales.

Belfast is the capital of Northern Ireland.

Great Britain is an island—it is surrounded by seas: Irish Sea, North Sea and the English Channel

Great Britain An island that is made up of England, Scotland and Wales.

United Kingdom The UK, is officially known as the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland. It includes England, Scotland, Wales and Northern Ireland.

Warwick A town on the river Avon in the West Midlands.

Aerial view A photograph taken from the air.

Why are we learning this?

To know how to name the four countries of the United Kingdom.

To know how to name the capital city of each country.

To know how to name the seas surrounding the UK.

Why is it important?

To be able to name and locate the countries, seas and capitals of the UK.

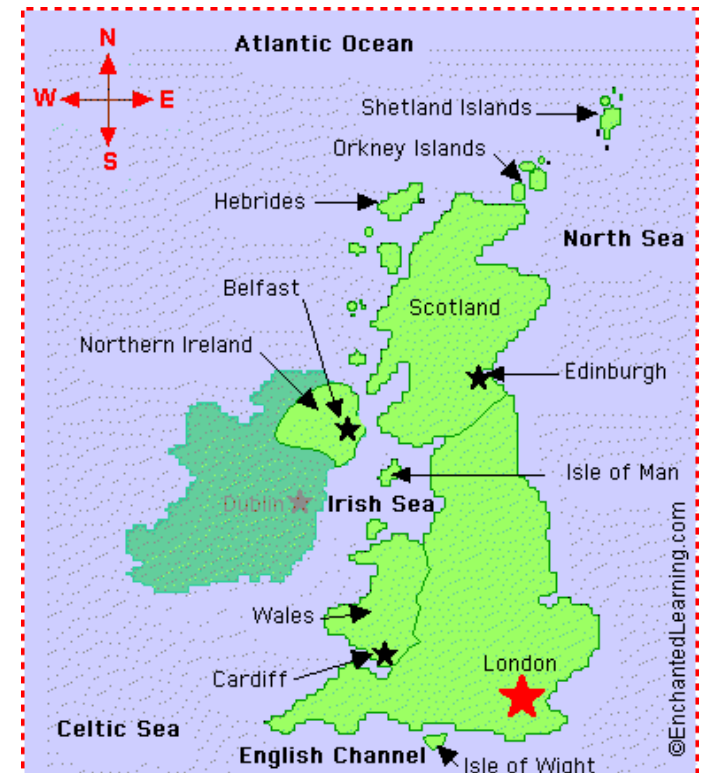
To understand and use maps, globes, atlases, and geographical vocabulary.



Aerial view of Warwick castle



Route from Bedford to Warwick



Learning links

Reception The country I live in is called England. I live in Bedford which is a town in England. e

Y1 Geography The United Kingdom

Y3 Geography UK Political Features (Capitals, towns and major cities)