

The UK

Year 4 Term 3 – Geography

Key Vocabulary

United Kingdom, England, Scotland, Wales, Northern Ireland, Great Britain, London, Edinburgh, Cardiff, Belfast, capital, north, north, east, west, north-east, south-east, south-west, north-west, River, sea, North Sea, English Channel, Irish Sea, Atlantic Ocean, River Thames, River Severn, River Tay, River Bann, County, Town, City of London, Greater London, population, growth, immigration,.

Knowledge:

- England is a part of the United Kingdom of Great Britain, it's an island situated off the North West coast of Europe.
- Bordered by Scotland in the north, the North Sea in the east, the English Channel in the south and Wales in the west.
- Most of England is rolling hills.
- **Scafell Pike** is the highest mountain in England with an elevation of 978 meters.



Skills

Suggest useful research questions

Compare 2 periods of history

Use topical vocabulary when describing a period of history

Build on prior knowledge of UK regions by using maps to locate countries of Europe.

Use standardised map keys when drawing a map.

Identify hilliest areas and flattest areas as well as decide which rivers they think are the largest.

Identify key landmarks within a country

Use the language of 'north', 'south', 'east', 'west' to relate countries to each other.



Ideas you might like to try at home

These ideas are not compulsory but if you would like to try them, please bring in what you have done so we can share!

- Use a map to travel from one location to another in a car journey.
- Use these websites to create an information booklet or poster:

<http://primaryhomeworkhelp.co.uk/rivers.html>

<http://projectbritain.com/london/>