

What should I already know?

- Know there are 7 continents and five oceans.
- Know the 4 countries of the UK and their capital cities.
- Know some basic human and physical geographical features.

Vocabulary

River—a large natural stream of water flowing to the sea, a lake, or another river.

Sea—the large area of salt water that covers most of the Earth's surface and surrounds its land.

Ocean—a very large expanse of sea. Each of the main areas into which the sea is divided geographically.

County—a smaller area of the UK containing lots of towns and villages.

Mountain—a large steep hill.

Hill—a naturally raised area of land, not as high or craggy as a mountain.

Range—a group of mountains or hills in a line.

Peak—the pointed top of a mountain.

Town—a built-up area with a name, defined boundaries, and local government, that is larger than a village and smaller than a city.

City—a large town.

Geographical Skills

- Using maps and Atlases to locate countries, counties, rivers, seas, hills and mountains.
- Investigating how a place has changed over time.
- Finding human and physical characteristics of a place.

UK map



Topographical map of the UK



Counties map



What will I know by the end?

- How to locate the UK on a range of maps.
- A range of cities within each country of the UK.
- The seas that surround the UK and rivers found in each country of the UK.
- The counties that make up the UK.
- Hills and mountains found in different countries of the UK.
- How London has changed over time and key facts about different landmarks.

