

Knowledge Bank: Year 1 – Where do we live?



What I should already know:

In the autumn term of Year 1, we looked at maps of the school and drew our own maps.

Children know that maps help us find places.



Key Vocabulary:

Word	Definition
town	A built up area with lots of houses, people, transport, shops and schools.
countryside	A quiet area with fields, farms and forests.
country	An area of land with its own government, rules and borders.
capital city	An important city where the people in charge work.
sea	Large area of salt water next to the land.
island	Land surrounded by water.



Key Facts:

Fact

The United Kingdom is made up of 4 countries.

England, Wales, Scotland and Northern Ireland

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