



Year 1

What is it like where we live?

The United Kingdom



The United Kingdom is made up of England, Scotland, Wales and Northern Ireland.

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

An island is a small body of land surrounded by water.



The Union Flag of Great Britain



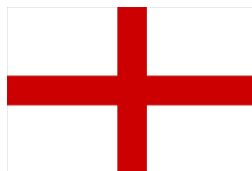
Flag of Scotland



Flag of Wales



Flag of Northern Ireland



Flag of England

## Key vocabulary

Union

Joining two or more things into one

City

A large town

Capital

A large and permanent human settlement where many people live closely together

Flag

A piece of cloth with colours and designs. Every country flies a specific flag as their national symbol.

Key

Symbols on a map and what they mean

Map

A drawing of all or part of Earth's surface

Country

An area controlled by one government

Sea

A body of salt water covering a large part of the Earth. They are smaller than oceans.

Landmark

A building or feature that is important to a place

North

South

East

West

Points on a compass which let us find our way around a place



Maps can show you what is in an area. This map shows main roads, train stations and landmarks in Liverpool.