

What will I know by the end?

- Huyton is a **town** in **England**.
- **England** is a **country**.
- There are four **countries** in the **United Kingdom (UK)**:
- **England**
- **Scotland**
- **Wales**
- **Northern Ireland**

• Each of these **countries** has a **capital city**, **flag** and national flower:

Country	Capital City	Flag	National Flower
England	London		rose
Scotland	Edinburgh		thistle
Wales	Cardiff		daffodil
Northern Ireland	Belfast		shamrock

- The **UK**, is officially known as the **United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland**
- The **UK** includes the island of **Great Britain**, **Northern Ireland** and many smaller islands
- **Great Britain** is an **island**—it is surrounded by seas:
 - Irish Sea
 - North Sea
 - English Channel
- **The Republic of Ireland** is not a **country** of the **United Kingdom**.

Knowledge Organiser Year 1 – Great Britain

What should I already know?

- I live in Huyton, which is a town in Liverpool.
- Liverpool is a city in England.
- The country I live in is called England.



Vocabulary

aerial view	a view from above
capital city	the city where the government sits. London is the capital city of England and the UK .
city	a large town. London is a city.
compass point	any of the main points of a compass: north, south, east and west
country	an area of land that is controlled by its own government.
England	a country in the United Kingdom . Great Cornard is a village in England .
flag	a piece of cloth which can be attached to a pole and which is used as symbol of a particular country
human geography	features of land that have been impacted by human activity
island	a piece of land that is completely surrounded by water
Great Britain	An island that is made up of England , Scotland and Wales .
London	London is the capital city of England and the UK .
physical geography	natural features of land
sea	a large area of salty water that is part of an ocean
surrounded	to be present all around
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 .
village	a small group of houses, perhaps with a few shops, that are often in the countryside. Great Cornard is a village .

Geographical Skills and Fieldwork

- Find the four **countries** of the **United Kingdom** using map skills
- Compare the **human** and **physical** geographical features of the four **countries** saying how they are similar and different.
- Use Google Earth to start at school and zoom out. What do you notice?
- Observe **aerial view** photographs and know what they show
- Use the **compass points** to describe the **countries** of the **United Kingdom** in relation to each other.