

Geography - Exploring England and Elsewhere

Key Vocabulary

Country	A country is an area of land that has its own government and can be large or small.
Island	An island is a piece of land, smaller than a continent, that is surrounded by water.
Coastline	A coastline is the boundary between the land and the sea or ocean.
English Channel	The English Channel is a narrow part of the Atlantic Ocean that separates the south coast of England from France.
City	A city is a settlement that is usually larger than a town and has local government.
Capital city	A capital city is the place in a country where the government 'sits' and has its centre of power.
Urban	Urban means something to do with a city or town.
Rural	Rural means something to do with the countryside.

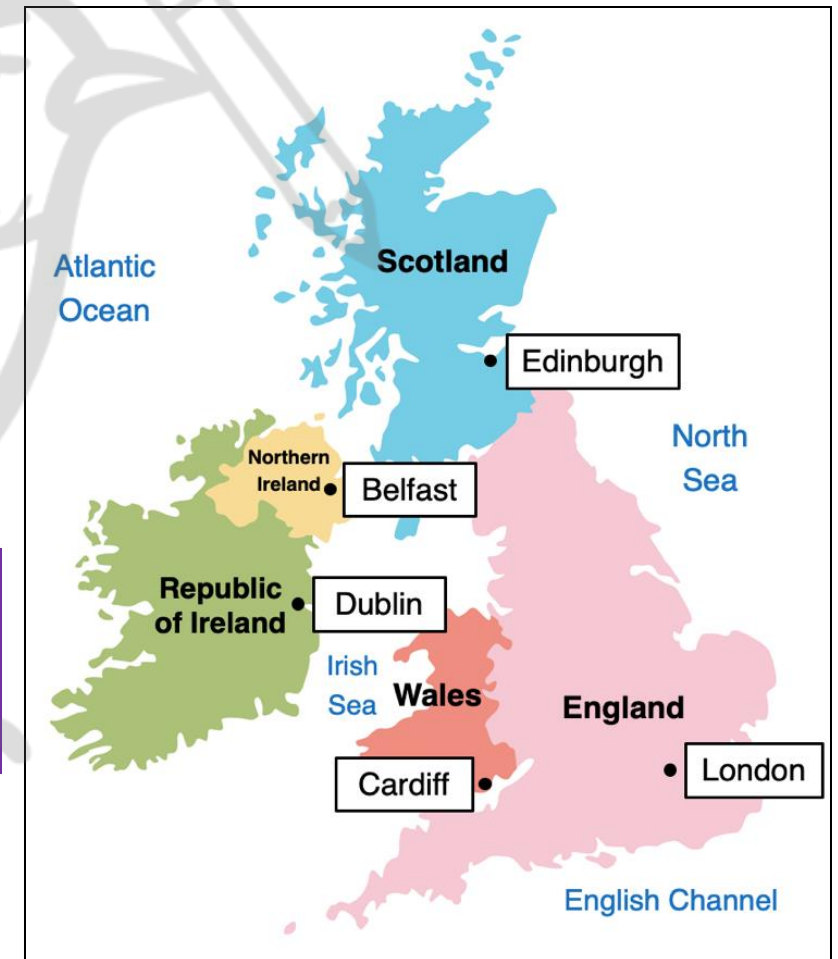
Did you know...?

The United Kingdom is known as the UK for short.



Did you know...?

Hyde Park is the largest park in the central of London.



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Mountain	A mountain is a natural raised part of the Earth's surface that is higher than a hill.
Lake	A lake is a large area of water surrounded by land.
Town	A settlement that is larger than a village but smaller than a city.
Moorland	Moorland is found in hilly areas and has poor soils and few trees.
City	A settlement that is larger than a town and has local government.
Farmland	Land used for the growing and harvesting of crops or rearing animals for food.
Capital city	A capital city is the place in a country where the government 'sits'.
Lough	The Irish word for lake.

Did you know...?

The countryside in Wales includes a lot of farmland, hills and mountains.



Did you know...?

Ireland is not part of the United Kingdom.



Did you know...?

The national animal of Scotland is a unicorn!

