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Prior Learning

Reception:

Early Learning Goals:

> Understanding the world – The world

Children know about similarities and differences in relation to places. They talk about the features of their own immediate environment and how environments might vary from one another.

Following on

Year 2:

> Mini mappers:

Included relevant human and physical geography of local area (building on Y1 learning).

Use simple compass directions and locational and directional language to describe the location of features and routes on a map.

Use aerial photographs and plan perspective to recognise landmarks and basic human and physical features.

Devise a simple map and use and construct basic symbols in a key.

Use simple field and observational skills, prepositional language










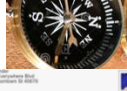



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Key facts

- On the map we are placed 53 degrees North.
- The United Kingdom is made up of England, Scotland, Wales and Northern Ireland.
- There are four capital cities in the United Kingdom London, Belfast, Edinburgh and Cardiff.
- There are four seas that surround the United Kingdom.

Key Vocabulary

United Kingdom	Is a country in Europe.	
Flag	A flag is a symbol of a country.	
Capital city	Is the most important city.	
Landmark	Is a building that is special.	
Sea	Is saltwater.	
A compass	Is a tool for finding directions.	
North	Is one of the points on the compass, it is pointing towards the North Pole	
East	Is one of the points on the compass, it is right.	
South	Is one of the points on the compass, it is pointing towards the South Pole.	
West	Is one of the points on the compass, it is left.	
Address	Is where someone lives.	
A Map	Shows us an area of land or sea.	