Hemingbrough Geography Curriculum

Theme: The United Kingdom **Phase**: Key Stage 1 **Year Group**: 1 **Strand**: Location / Physical & Human Geography

In EYFS should already have learned:

- that the country I live in is England
- that Hemingbrough is a village in the country of England.

By the end of the theme I should be able to:

- know the countries of the United Kingdom and their capital cities.
- Know the difference between The United Kingdom, Great Britain and The British Isles.

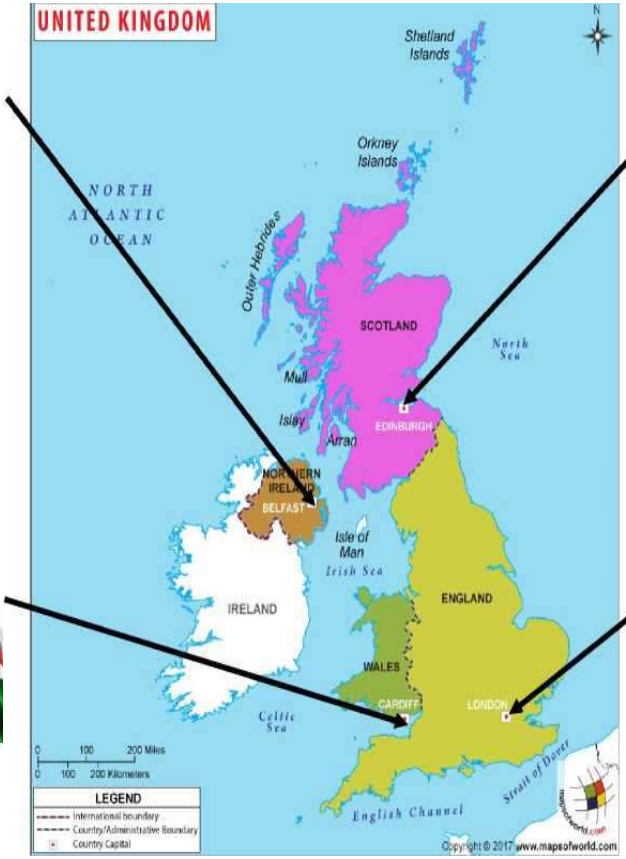
Which countries make up the United Kingdom?

What are the capital cities of the four countries in the United Kingdom?

Can you name the main seas that surround the United Kingdom?

Northern Ireland

Capital City: Belfast



SCOTLAND

Capital City: Edinburgh

WALES

Capital City: Cardiff

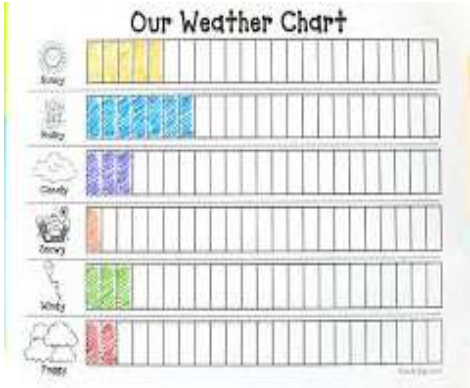
ENGLAND

Capital City: London

What is it like to live in the United Kingdom?

People	Nature	Weather	Government
The UK is made from a mixture of cultures. London has the largest non-white population of any European city. Over 250 languages are spoken in the UK. Therefore, not all British people are White or Christians.	The UK has flat grasslands, beaches, thick forests and rugged mountains. There are lots of farms in the UK. The rugged mountains of the Scottish Highlands are almost untouched by humans.	In the UK, we have warm summers and cool winters. We get lots of rain which helps to feed our very green and fertile land. It can also get quite windy.	We live in a **democracy**. The Prime Minister and their party, within the houses of Parliament - in Westminster - decide the laws in the UK.

Can you observe the weather in the UK and record how it changes using graphs, charts or diagrams?



Skills	Teacher Assessment	Self-Assessment
I can ask questions about the weather and seasons.		
I can demonstrate locational knowledge about the UK		
I can find environmental patterns.		
I can make a simple map.		