

KS1 Medium-Term Plan – The United Kingdom



This six-week medium-term plan provides you with a framework for progression, including: learning objectives, suggested Oddizzi resources, and clear links to the National Curriculum to help with your topic planning. More online and offline resources, **including a lesson-by-lesson PowerPoint**, are available on The United Kingdom Topic Planning pages.

Direct links to online content, films, quizzes and downloadable activities can be found in Teachers → Topic Planning → The United Kingdom

Learning Objectives	Resources within Oddizzi	Curriculum Links
Check my understanding of the United Kingdom. Suggested activity: Locate the UK on a world map. Create a mind map using prior knowledge about the UK. Use 'Key Facts' page to add to it.	Map Resource: Continents and Countries Quiz: United Kingdom Online Page: Key Facts Guided Reading: 1. The United Kingdom (Year 1) 2. United Kingdom (Year 2) Online Map: Interactive OddPod map	- name, locate and identify characteristics of the four countries and capital cities of the United Kingdom and its surrounding seas
Locate on a map the four countries of the United Kingdom.	Films: Bird's-eye tour of the countries of the UK: 1. England 2. Scotland 3. Wales 4. Northern Ireland and Belfast Online Map: Interactive OddPod map Map Resource: UK Countries and Capitals	- name, locate and identify characteristics of the four countries and capital cities of the United Kingdom and its surrounding seas <i>- use world maps, atlases and globes to identify the United Kingdom and its countries, as well as the countries, continents and oceans studied at this key stage</i>
Identify the four capital cities and surrounding seas of the United Kingdom.	Films: Fly over the UK's capital cities: 1. London 2. Edinburgh 3. Cardiff 4. Northern Ireland and Belfast 5. Fly over England's coastline Map Resource: UK Countries and Capitals KS1 Activity: The United Kingdom Guided Reading: 1. London (Year 1) 2. London (Year 2)	- name, locate and identify characteristics of the four countries and capital cities of the United Kingdom and its surrounding seas <i>- use world maps, atlases and globes to identify the United Kingdom and its countries, as well as the countries, continents and oceans studied at this key stage</i>
Explain the differences between human and physical features.	Word Mats: 1. Human Features 2. Physical Features KS1 Activities: Name and sort the physical and human features of countries within the UK for: England, Scotland, Wales or Northern Ireland	- use basic geographical vocabulary to refer to: - key physical features, including: beach, cliff, coast, forest, hill, mountain, sea, ocean, river, soil, valley, vegetation, season and weather - key human features, including: city, town, village, factory, farm, house, office, port, harbour and shop
Describe the human and physical features of one of the UK's capital cities. Extended writing opportunity: Write an imaginary postcard from one of the UK's capital cities.	Word Mats: 1. Human Features 2. Physical Features Films: Fly over the UK's capital cities for: 1. London 2. Edinburgh 3. Cardiff 4. Northern Ireland and Belfast KS1 Activities: 1. Oddizzi Postcard 2. UK Capitals -Recognising Landmarks: 1. Belfast 2. Cardiff 3. Edinburgh 4. London	- use basic geographical vocabulary to refer to: - key physical features, including: beach, cliff, coast, forest, hill, mountain, sea, ocean, river, soil, valley, vegetation, season and weather - key human features, including: city, town, village, factory, farm, house, office, port, harbour and shop
Share my understanding of the UK. Extended writing opportunity: Create an information sheet about a UK country.	KS1 Activity: Make your own app template for: England, Scotland, Wales or Northern Ireland Quiz: United Kingdom Show What You Know: The United Kingdom assessment paper	- name, locate and identify characteristics of the four countries and capital cities of the United Kingdom and its surrounding seas - use basic geographical vocabulary to refer to: - key physical features, including: beach, cliff, coast, forest, hill, mountain, sea, ocean, river, soil, valley, vegetation, season and weather - key human features, including: city, town, village, factory, farm, house, office, port, harbour and shop