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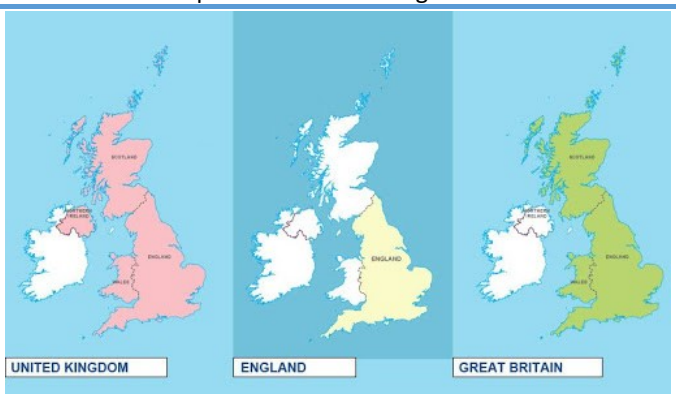
Woodley Primary School – Knowledge Organiser

Geography Focus:	UK Countries & Cities	Year 5	Spring

Key Vocabulary	
County	Ordnance survey map
City	Aerial photograph
Country	Compass Point
Capital city	4 figure grid reference
Region	6 figure grid reference
UK	Human feature
British Isles	Landmark
Great Britain	Landscape
Major	Physical feature
Coast	Land use
Rural	Cartographer
Urban	Topographical
Population	

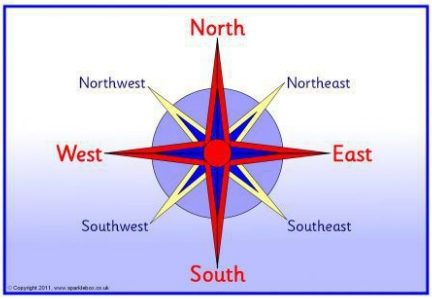
Prior Knowledge
What I should already know …

I can use 4 figure grid references
I can use 8 compass points
I know that I live in the town of Stockport which is in the county of Greater Manchester and the country of England. The nearest city to Stockport is Manchester.
I know that the UK is split in to different regions



Possible Experiences

(Any visits, experiments, guest speakers, curriculum days, home / school projects etc.)





What I will know at the end of the unit	
Objectives for the unit:	Name and locate counties and cities of the United Kingdom, geographical regions and their identifying human and physical characteristics, key topographical features (including hills, mountains, coasts and rivers), and land-use patterns; and understand how some of these aspects have changed over time
Key Skills & Fieldwork:	To use the 8 compass points to describe the location of a place To use 6 figure grid references to describe the location of a place Use aerial photographs to compare land use in Stockport and land use in London (use this to debate the pros and cons of living in a capital city) Study Ordnance Survey topographical maps to plot land use patterns and features of some counties of the UK.
Key Knowledge:	To be able to explain the difference between a city, county and country To be able to explain the difference between the UK (N. Ireland, Scotland, England and Wales), Great Britain (Scotland, Wales, England) and the British Isles (Ireland, N. Ireland, Scotland, England, Wales). To be able to name and locate at least 10 English counties To be able to name and locate at least 10 UK cities That each county has a major city and most of their names link, i.e. Manchester is in Greater Manchester, Leicester is in Leicestershire. To know that many UK counties and cities' names derive from the Anglo Saxon words and settlements (bury, ford, ham, port, borough, ton, wich/wick). The name and location of the seas surrounding the UK.