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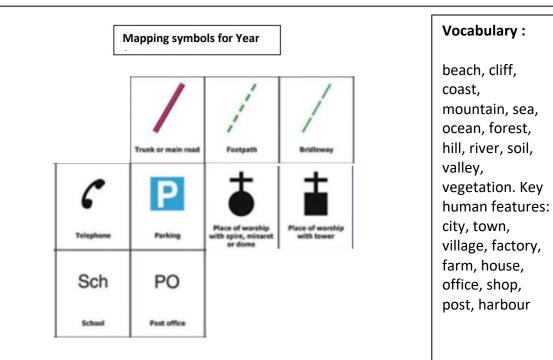


## Links to diversity:

Explore the cultural variety of the make up of the capital cities and countries of the United Kingdom, including traditions of the communities of the locations. For example: Notting Hill Carnival, Hogmanay, London marathon.

## **Prior Learning:**

Children have previously learnt about the weather in the UK and studied the local weather. They have conducted a local area study of the school and local area and developed simple maps of these areas. Children have used maps and atlases.



Subject: Geography

Year group: 2

Term: Autumn

Unit name: The United Kingdom

## Specific knowledge and skills (linked to the National Curriculum)

- Know the names of England, Scotland, Wales and Northern Ireland and locate them on a world map.
- Know the names of the capital cities of the United Kingdom London, Cardiff, Edinburgh and Belfast.
- Be able to talk about some of the characteristics of each of the 4 countries in the United Kingdom and their capital cities – recognizing key landmarks
- Know that the United Kingdom is within Europe and be able to locate this on a map.
- Know the names of the oceans/seas surrounding the UK and to locate these on a map.
- Use aerial photographs and make simple maps to include the designated symbols and any other applicable ones.
- Use simple compass directions (North, South, East, West) and locational and directional language (e.g. near and far, left and right) to describe the location of features and routes on a map.



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