

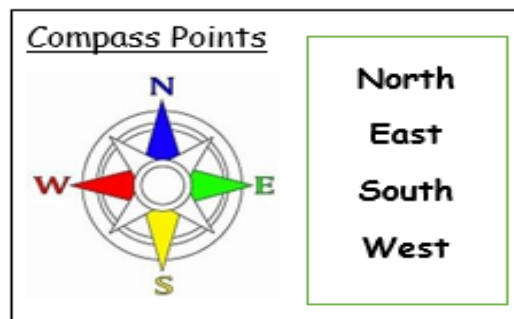
Where in the United Kingdom would you
like to live?

Year 1 Pandas

Our knowledge organiser

Knowledge Organiser -Famous People and Places

Y1 Spring Geography

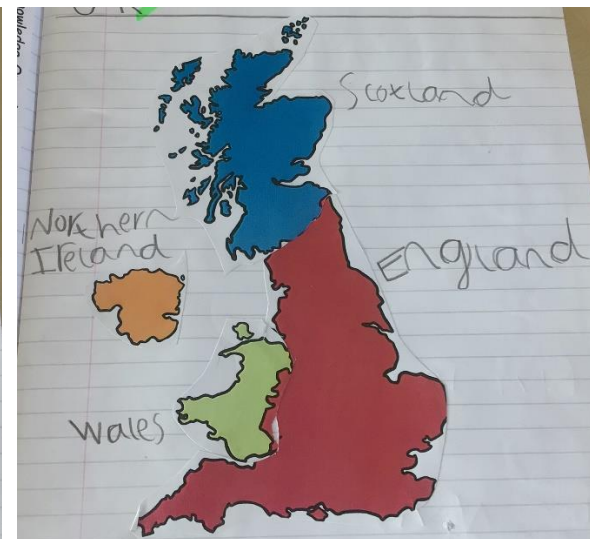
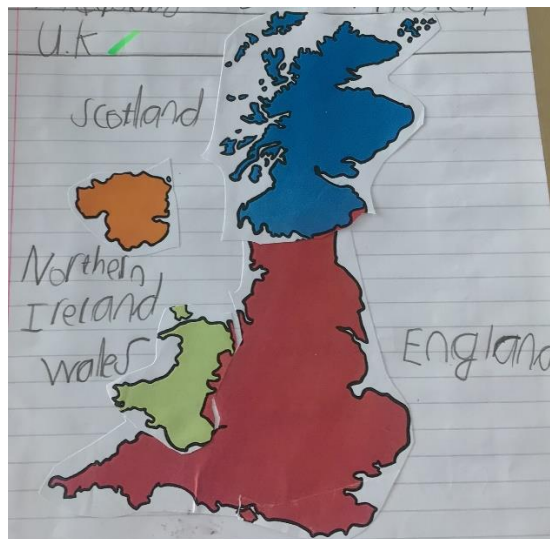


Weather types Sun, Rain, Wind, Cloud

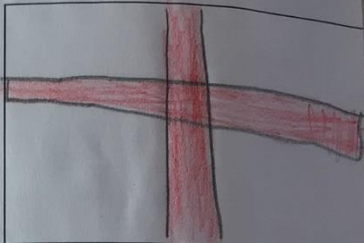





<u>Key Vocabulary</u>	
Map	A map is an image of an area, usually of the Earth or part of the Earth.
Globe	Spherical model of earth
Atlas	A book of maps or charts
United Kingdom	group of islands off the northwest coast of Europe. Made up mainly of: England, Northern Ireland, Scotland, Wales
Compass	A tool used to find direction
Aerial photo	A photo taken from air/space
Spring	Season from March-May
Weather	Daily state of the atmosphere – sun, rain, wind, cloud
Weather patterns	Over time – day/week in a particular place.

We looked at a map of the world to see if we could find the United Kingdom. It was hard to find because it is small compared to some of the other countries. After finding it we looked at a map of the UK and talked about what we could see. We found lots of smaller islands and noticed that the UK is surrounded by water. We talked about the seas that surround the UK and that it is a part of Europe. We then put together the 4 countries of the UK into a jigsaw and labelled them in our geography books.



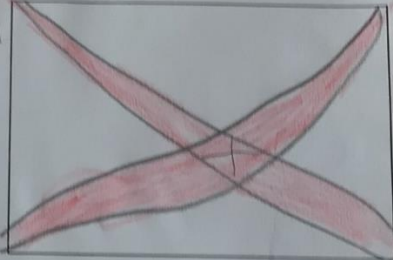
We then learned some facts about the four countries of the UK. One team focussed on England and the other Scotland. We recorded key information about the countries then shared it with the other team.

My country: <u>England</u>	The flag: 
The Capital City: <u>London</u>	
The longest river: <u>Thames</u>	The national symbol: 
The highest point: <u>Scars Pike</u>	
Other facts: <u>The lion is England's unofficial national animal.</u>	

My country: <u>Scotland</u>	The flag: 
The Capital City: <u>Edinburgh</u>	
The longest river: <u>River Tay</u>	The national symbol: 
The highest point: <u>Ben Nevis</u>	
Other facts: <u>Edinburgh is over 2900 years old</u> <u>Edinburgh Castle</u>	


The following lesson, one team focussed on Northern Ireland and the other Wales. Once again sharing key information about each country with the other team.

My country:
Northern Ireland

The flag:


The Capital City:
Belfast


The longest river:
River Bann

The national symbol:


The highest point:
Sliieve Donard


Other facts:
Northern Ireland is sometimes known as Ulster.

My country:
Wales

The flag:


The Capital City:
Cardiff

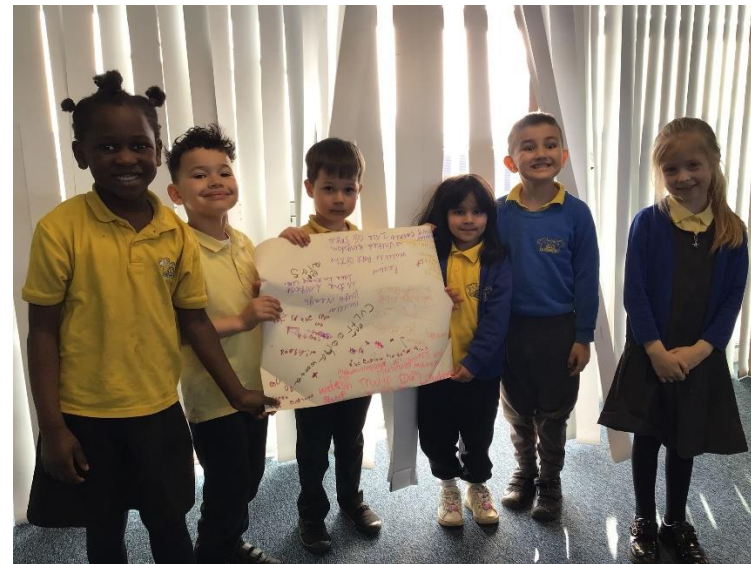
The longest river:
Tywi

The national symbol:


The highest point:
Snowdon

Other facts:
Roald Dahl was born in Wales.

After learning a little about the countries of the UK, we then worked in groups to research each one in more detail, using information from nonfiction books and different websites. We followed our discussion guidelines and our class oracy targets, of turn taking and using a range of vocabulary, to discuss and record our favourite facts about each country. We then shared our findings with the rest of the class.





Following our research we created a poster to show the country in the UK that we would like to live in.

