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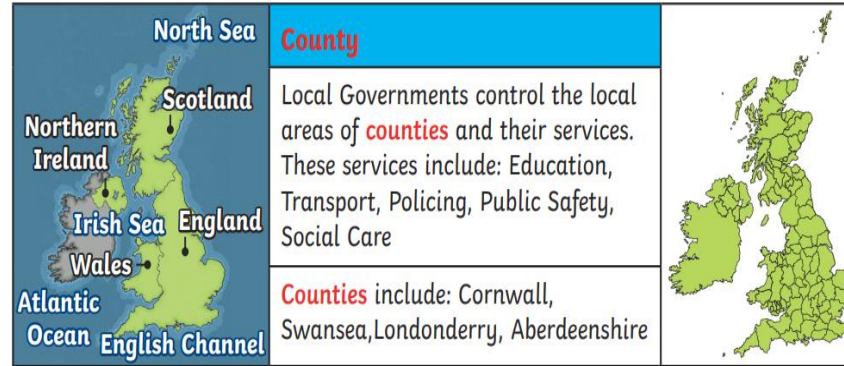
- The four countries of the UK are England, Wales, Scotland and Northern Ireland.
- The four capital cities are London, Cardiff, Edinburgh and Belfast

# United Kingdom

### What will I be learning?

- Comparing the countries of the UK.
- The UK's major cities.
- Physical characteristics of the UK.
- The UK's landscape and people.
- Industries in the UK.
- Energy sources in the UK.

Country	Flag	Capital City	Key Landmark	Key Rivers	High Ground
England		London	Stonehenge	Thames	Pennines
Scotland		Edinburgh	Ben Nevis	Tay	Grampian Mountains
Wales		Cardiff	Snowdon	Severn (also flows through England)	Cambrian Mountains
Northern Ireland		Belfast	Giant's Causeway	Bann	Sperrin Mountains



### Key Knowledge

The United Kingdom includes England, Scotland, Wales and Northern Ireland. Each country in the UK has a capital city: London (England), Edinburgh (Scotland), Cardiff (Wales) and Belfast (Northern Ireland).

The UK has many physical features, including mountain ranges, rivers and coastlines.

There are a number of ways power is generated in the UK. Energy can be generated at gas-fired power stations, by nuclear power and by burning coal.

There are also renewable power options that use the wind, sun or water to generate energy.

Place names	Geographical terms and processes	Locational terms
Great Britain Greater London London Array North Sea UK – the main cities, counties and regions	coastline development economy energy source industry landmark sustainable development	offshore onshore scale bar

### Glossary

**economy:** *the wealth and resources of a place*

**development:** *how places and communities change*

**industry:** *the production of goods (such as cars) or services (such as tourism or entertainment)*

**sustainable development:** *change that respects the natural environment and doesn't harm future generations*