



# Year 1 and 2 Knowledge Organiser - All around me

<b>Key vocab</b>		England and Wales united in 1284. Scotland became part of the union in 1707 and Northern Ireland in 1921. England, Wales and Scotland are known as Great Britain. Northern Ireland is part of the island of Ireland.	
united:	joined together	<b>Sticky Knowledge</b>	
union:	the joining together of different groups		
archipelago:	a group of islands	The United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland (UK) is made up of four countries: England, Wales, Scotland and Northern Ireland.	England has a population of around 55.5 million.
population:	all the people who live in a place	England, Wales and Scotland are known as Great Britain.	Scotland is one of the four countries of the United Kingdom (UK). It is also part of Great Britain, which includes Wales and England. It has a population of around 5.5 million.
peak:	the pointed top of a mountain	The flag of the United Kingdom is called the Union Flag and is red, white and blue. When flown at sea, the flag is known as the Union Jack.	Scotland has only seven cities, the largest of which is Edinburgh, followed by Glasgow.
rural:	relating to the countryside	The UK is part of the continent of Europe. Seas that surround the UK are: the Irish Sea and the Atlantic Ocean to the west, the North Sea to the east and, separating the UK and France to the south, the English Channel	Wales is one of the four countries of the United Kingdom (UK). It is also part of Great Britain, which includes Scotland and England. It has a population of around 3 million.
remote:	far away and hard to get to		
causeway:	a pathway	The UK is part of the British Isles - an archipelago in the North Atlantic Ocean made up of Great Britain and over six thousand smaller islands	Wales has only six cities, the largest of which is Cardiff, followed by Swansea.
			Wales is known for its mountains and valleys. The highest mountain is Snowdon.
hexagonal columns	long, six-sided shapes	England is the largest of the four countries of the United Kingdom (UK).	Northern Ireland is one of the four countries of the United Kingdom (UK). It has a population of just under 2 million.
resembles:	looks like	It is also part of Great Britain, which includes Wales and Scotland.	Northern Ireland has a number of notable physical features: Lough (lake) Neagh is the largest freshwater lake in the UK.

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