KS1 Medium-Term Plan - The United Kingdom



This six-week medium-term plan provides you with a framework for progression, including: learning objectives, suggested Oddizzi resources, and clear links to the National Curriculum to help with your topic planning. More online and offline resources, including a lesson-by-lesson PowerPoint, are available on The United Kingdom Topic Planning pages.

Direct links to online content, films, quizzes and downloadable activities can be found in Teachers → Topic Planning → The United Kingdom

Learning Objectives	Resources within Oddizzi	Curriculum Links
Check my understanding of the United	Map Resource: Continents and Countries	- name, locate and identify characteristics of the four countries and capital
Kingdom.	Quiz: United Kingdom	cities of the United Kingdom and its surrounding seas
Suggested activity: Locate the UK on a world	Online Page: Key Facts	
map. Create a mind map using prior	Guided Reading: 1. The United Kingdom (Year 1) 2. United	
knowledge about the UK. Use 'Key Facts'	Kingdom (Year 2)	
page to add to it.	Online Map: Interactive OddPod map	
Locate on a map the four countries of the	Films : Bird's-eye tour of the countries of the UK: 1. England 2.	- name, locate and identify characteristics of the four countries and capital
United Kingdom.	Scotland 3. Wales 4. Northern Ireland and Belfast	cities of the United Kingdom and its surrounding seas
	Online Map: Interactive OddPod map	- use world maps, atlases and globes to identify the United Kingdom and its
	Map Resource: UK Countries and Capitals	countries, as well as the countries, continents and oceans studied at this key
		stage
Identify the four capital cities and	Films : Fly over the UK's capital cities: 1. London 2. Edinburgh 3.	- name, locate and identify characteristics of the four countries and capital
surrounding seas of the United Kingdom.	Cardiff 4. Northern Ireland and Belfast 5. Fly over England's	cities of the United Kingdom and its surrounding seas
	coastline	- use world maps, atlases and globes to identify the United Kingdom and its
	Map Resource: UK Countries and Capitals	countries, as well as the countries, continents and oceans studied at this key
	KS1 Activity: The United Kingdom	stage
	Guided Reading: 1. London (Year 1) 2. London (Year 2)	
Explain the differences between human and	Word Mats: 1. Human Features 2. Physical Features	- use basic geographical vocabulary to refer to:
physical features.	KS1 Activities: Name and sort the physical and human features	- key physical features, including: beach, cliff, coast, forest, hill, mountain,
	of countries within the UK for: England, Scotland, Wales or	sea, ocean, river, soil, valley, vegetation, season and weather
	Northern Ireland	- key human features, including: city, town, village, factory, farm, house,
		office, port, harbour and shop
Describe the human and physical features of	Word Mats: 1. Human Features 2. Physical Features	- use basic geographical vocabulary to refer to:
one of the UK's capital cities.	Films : Fly over the UK's capital cities for: 1. London 2. Edinburgh	- key physical features, including: beach, cliff, coast, forest, hill, mountain,
Extended writing opportunity: Write an	3. Cardiff 4. Northern Ireland and Belfast	sea, ocean, river, soil, valley, vegetation, season and weather
imaginary postcard from one of the UK's	KS1 Activities: 1. Oddizzi Postcard 2. UK Capitals -Recognising	- key human features, including: city, town, village, factory, farm, house,
capital cities.	Landmarks: 1. Belfast 2. Cardiff 3. Edinburgh 4. London	office, port, harbour and shop
Share my understanding of the UK.	KS1 Activity: Make your own app template for: England,	- name, locate and identify characteristics of the four countries and capital
Extended writing opportunity: Create an	Scotland, Wales or Northern Ireland	cities of the United Kingdom and its surrounding seas
information sheet about a UK country.	Quiz: United Kingdom	- use basic geographical vocabulary to refer to:
	Show What You Know: The United Kingdom assessment paper	- key physical features, including: beach, cliff, coast, forest, hill, mountain,
		sea, ocean, river, soil, valley, vegetation, season and weather
		- key human features, including: city, town, village, factory, farm, house,
		office, port, harbour and shop