



# Geography

## United Kingdom Study

North

West. W

E East

South

Year \_\_\_\_ Term \_\_\_\_

### Map of the United Kingdom



**country**

England, Scotland, Wales, Northern Ireland

**region**

the name of a large area in the U.K, such as the NORTH EAST

**county**

an area that has a local government - Suffolk or Norfolk



**capital city** - the city that the government makes decisions from



**city** larger than a town - has airports, railways, shopping centres and banks. The largest size of place



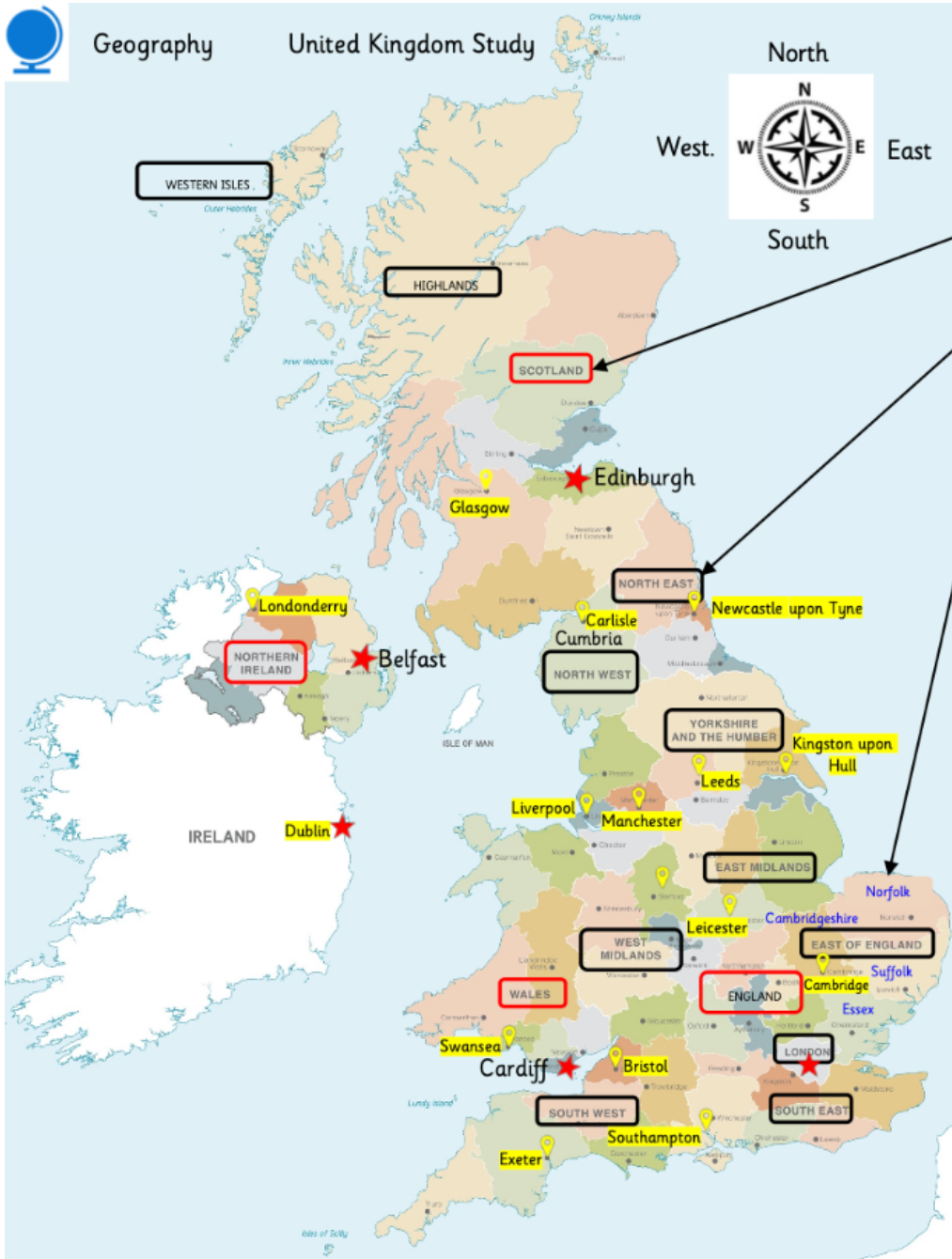
**settlement**: where people live - city, town or village

### Topography

topo = place + graphy = describe  
topography = describe a place

**human** (built) — features of the land

**physical** (natural) —



**mountain**

steeper than a hill and higher than 610m or 2,000ft

Scotland - Highlands

Ben Nevis  
Cairngorm

England - Cumbria

Scafell Pike

Wales - Eryri (Snowdonia)

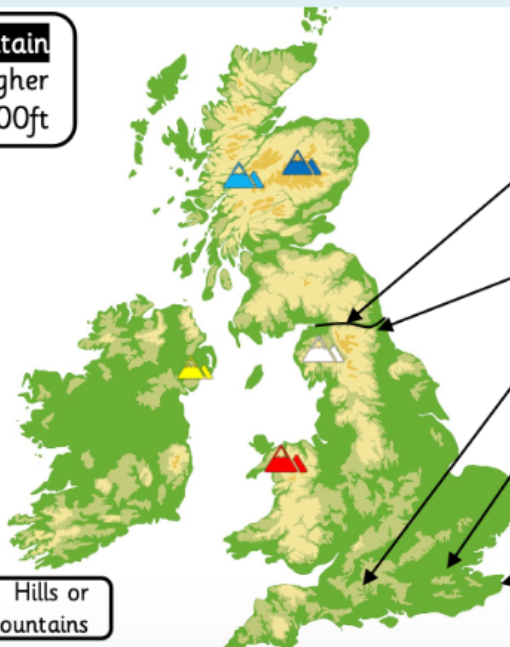
Yr Wyddfa (Snowdon)

Northern Ireland

Slieve Donard

Lower land

Hills or mountains



### Human landmarks



Hadrian's Wall



Angel of the North



Stonehenge



Tower Bridge

White cliffs of Dover



**Physical landmarks**