

# LO: make map of England including key human and physical features and add interesting facts.

- Recognise that England is a nation in the United Kingdom.
- Find England on a map and talk about what nations it borders.
- Talk about and describe natural and physical features in England.
- Draw a simple map including human and physical features.
- Use a key with symbols to identify features on your map.
- Find interesting facts to add to the other side of your map.

# England

England is the largest nation in the United Kingdom.



# The capital city of England is London

A **capital city** is where the **government** is (the people that are in charge of a country). That means this is the main city.

**London** is the capital city of the **United Kingdom (UK)**. **London is also the capital city of England.**



# Physical features are natural

Physical features are things you see that have not been made by humans. They are **natural**.

*A physical feature at school would be a tree for example.*

In **England**, one of the most important physical features we can see is the **Jurassic Coastline** in the South West of the country.

Another example is the **Lake District**. England's largest mountain is **Scafell Pike**.



# Human features are made by people. Landmarks are human features

**Human features** are things we see that have been **made by people**, such as our school or even the climbing frame in the playground.

In **England**, there are lots of important human features including cities, town, villages, roads, buildings, railway lines and bridges. The **famous landmarks** you see across England are mostly **human features**.

One of the oldest human features in England is **Stonehenge**. Cities such as **Oxford**, **Brighton** (with Brighton Pier), **York** (with York Minster) and **Cambridge** are all human features. As are **Richmond**, **Kew** and **Kew Gardens**.



# Aerial and landmark tour of England

**Aerial** means from the air (from above looking down) <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hbQbaUeOkDQ>

**What landmarks can you spot in this aerial tour of England? What facts can you find out about these places?**

To be clear in the video – Bath is in South West England, Cambridge is in the East!



# Your task

**Use the map template of England to draw symbols for key physical and human features.**

You will need to:

- Use a map or the internet to find out where these features are in England.
- Choose a symbol to show them on your map.
- Make a key to show what the symbols stand for.
- Look up interesting facts to write on the other side.

Use the map on the next slide!

# Map of England

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