Autumn 2 Y1 The UK
Countries and Capital Cities

Happy Children, Happy School, Learning Together, Growing Together



Sticky Knowledge:

Know the four countries of the UK are: England, Northern Ireland, Scotland and Wales.

Know each country of the UK has a capital city: England is London, Northern Ireland is Belfast, Scotland is Edinburgh and Wales is Cardiff.

Locate countries and capital cities on a map of the UK.

Key Vocabulary

Word	Definition
England	Country in the United kingdom
Northern Ireland	Country in the United kingdom
Scotland	Country in the United kingdom
Wales	Country in the United kingdom
London	The capital city of England and where parliament sits
Belfast	The capital city of Northern Ireland and where parliament sits
Edinburgh	The capital city of Scotland and where parliament sits
Cardiff	The capital city of Wales and where parliament sits

How you can help at home:

Talk to your child/children about what they have learnt at school.

Look at a map of the UK and talk about capital cities of each country.

Talk about countries in the UK and if you have visited any on holiday.

Prior Learning ⇦ ⇨ Future Learning

EYFS

Children know they live in the city of Sheffield and it is part of the UK

Year 2

Children will expand their learning further to Continents and Oceans of the Word.