

Year 1 – Spring Term Geography - What's it like in London?

Vocabulary and Glossary		What is a city?
City	A city is a large urban settlement where lots of people live and work.	A city is a large urban settlement where lots of people live and work. It usually has a cathedral and is larger than a town or village.
Capital city	A city that is home to the government and the ruler of a country	
Landmark	An important building or place	
Rural	A rural area or the countryside is an area that is found outside of towns and cities	
Urban	An area of land or settlement where lots of people live and work	
Village	A small group of houses and buildings that is usually in the countryside	
Human feature	Things that are man made	
Physical feature	Things that are there naturally and have not been made by people	
Town	A large place where people live that usually has a market	
Settlement	A place where people have decided to live	
Pollution	Something that is harmful or dangerous to the environment	
		Which cities can be found in the United Kingdom?
		<p>The United Kingdom is made up of Northern Ireland, England, Scotland and Wales.</p>  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> London is the capital city of England. Cardiff is the capital city of Wales. Belfast is the capital city of Northern Ireland. Edinburgh is the capital city of Scotland.

What's it like in London?

What are the human and physical features of London?

Human Features



Physical Features



As London is a city, there are more human features than physical

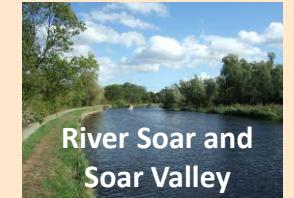
How is London different to Nottingham and Sutton Bonington?



Fields and farms



One main road



River Soar and Soar Valley

Sutton Bonington is in the countryside so there are more physical features. It is more rural than London. Nottingham and Leicester are much smaller cities than London.

What are the problems of living in a city?



Lots of traffic and pollution



Not many green spaces to enjoy



Lots of people mean it is very busy



People can ride bikes instead of using cars



People can use public transport instead of their car