Useful Vocabulary

Location, Location

Physical features

E.g beach, cliff, coast, forest, hill, mountain, sea, ocean, river, soil, valley, vegetation, season and weather, environment, habitat.

Human features

E.g city, town, village, factory, farm, house, office, port, harbour, transport and shop.

Useful Vocabulary Explained

Continents—The large areas of land that make the world

Oceans — A big area of water that joins the seas

Country— A nation with it's own government

Nation—A large group of people united by common history, culture, or language

Equator— A line through the earth equal distance from the North Pole and South Pole

North Pole– The northernmost point (at the top) on Earth

South Pole - The southernmost point (at the bottom) on Earth

Atlas- A book of maps and charts

capital city- The main city in a country. (The government works from here)

The United Kingdom is the union of;

England; Scotland; Wales;

Northern Ireland;



Great Britain includes England, Scotland and Wales.

Letter Writing Vocabulary

Address— The name or number and street/ place where someone lives

Postcode – A group of letters and numbers that are linked to a place

Stamp— A small 'sticker' which is paid for (this is needed to send a letter in the post)