



NC OBJECTIVES	KEY KNOWLEDGE AND VOCABULARY
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Name, locate and identify characteristics of the four countries and capital cities of the United Kingdom and its surrounding seas. • Identify seasonal and daily weather patterns in the United Kingdom • Use basic geographical vocabulary • Use maps and atlases to identify the United Kingdom and its countries. • Use simple fieldwork and observation skills. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Use simple picture map and a globe to locate countries and cities of the UK. • Know that the United Kingdom (UK) is made up of England, Scotland, Wales and Northern Ireland. • Know the capital cities of the four countries of the UK. • Know the flag of the UK and the flags of each country in the UK. • Know that Scafell Pike is the highest mountain in England. The River Thames is the longest river in England and flows through London. • Know that Ben Nevis is the highest mountain in the UK. • Know that the highest mountain in Wales is Mount Snowden. • Know that the surrounding seas to the UK are the North Sea, the English Channel, the Irish Sea and the Atlantic Ocean • Know the difference between weather and climate. • Know that the UK has 4 seasons – Autumn (September to November), Winter (December to February), Spring (March to May) and Summer (June to August) and what these are generally like. • Know that the seasons are caused because of the earth tilting on its journey around the sun - when the earth is leaning towards the sun it is summer and 6 months later when it leans away it is winter. • Know that the temperature changes and is how hot or cold it is. • Observe daily weather around the school and comment on patterns identified.