

Our Place Revision

Create a key to show the names of each of the seven continents.

Name the world's oceans and label them onto the map.

Draw onto the map the equator, the tropics of cancer and Capricorn and the prime meridian.



	North America
	South America
	Europe
	Africa
	Asia
	Australasia/Oceania
	Antarctica

Define the terms:

a) **Human features**

Man made landmarks such as buildings, e.g., a lighthouse, roads, a hospital.

b) **Physical features**

Natural landforms created by natural processes such as erosion, e.g., an island, a stack, a beach.

Give examples of:

a) **Human features of the British Isles**

London (the capital city of England),
The London Eye,
The Liver building in Liverpool

b) **Physical features of the British Isles**

The Pennines (mountain range in England),
The Grampians (mountain range in Scotland),
The River Thames (goes through London),
The River Mersey (between Liverpool and The Wirral).

Name the countries that make up:

1. **The British Isles**

England, Scotland, Wales, Northern Ireland, Republic of Ireland

2. **The United Kingdom**

England, Scotland, Wales, Northern Ireland

3. **Great Britain**

England, Scotland, Wales

Which of the three groupings (United Kingdom, British Isles and Great Britain) are:

a) **Physical groups** (i.e. naturally grouped together)

The British Isles (a chain of islands) and Great Britain (the largest island).

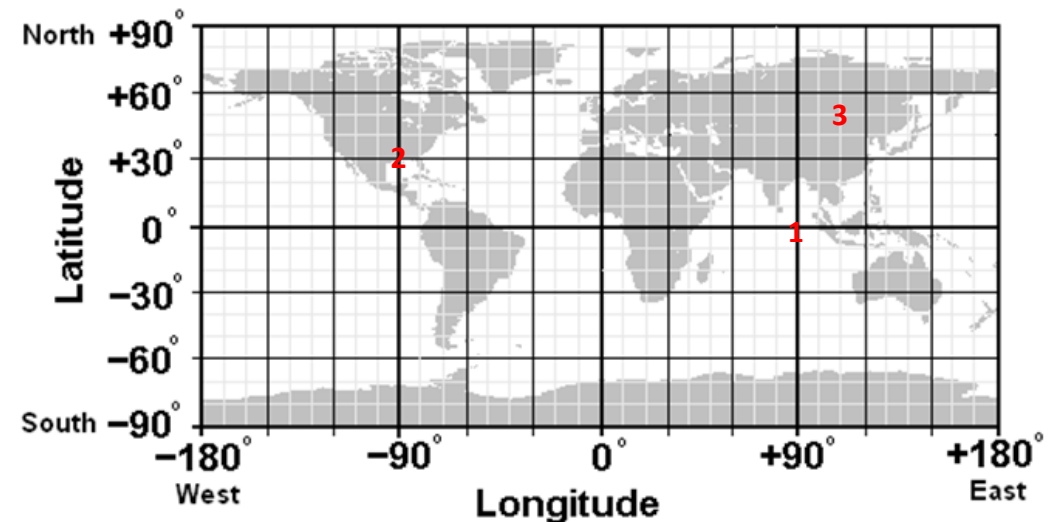
b) **Political groups** (i.e.. they share a government but might be physically separated by water)

The United Kingdom shares a government but is split across two islands.



Plotting locations on a world map

Mark some points onto the map (1, 2, 3, etc.) and practice working out the latitude and longitude of those points.



- 1: 0°N, 90°E
- 2: 30°N, 90°W
- 3: 50°N, 120°E

Fill in the points of the compass rose



Latitude and longitude

a) **What are lines of latitude?**

Lines of latitude go around the Earth from east to west, horizontally. They show how far north or south places are. The equator is at 0°N. The north pole is at 90°N.

b) **What are lines of longitude?**

Lines of longitude go down from the north pole to the south pole, vertically. They show how far east or west places are. The Greenwich Meridian is at 0°E, New Zealand is around 180°E.

Sketch Maps

Sketch maps need 5 important things. List them here:

1. Title (including the name of the place)
2. A key
3. A north line or compass
4. A scale (or it should say 'not to scale')
5. A border