Key knowledge

Remember what the main features of the UK are

Know what a county is and the main ones in the UK

Know the names of the a number of cities in the UK

Know the difference between the UK, Great Britain and the British Isles

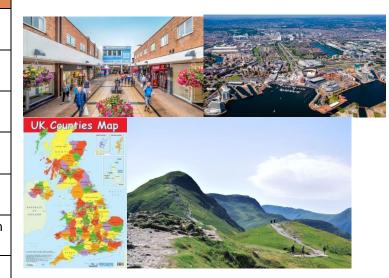
Know the difference between urban and rural locations in the UK

Compare the features surrounding Yate with Cardiff (links to Roald Dahl)

Know how to use a map to find hills, mountains on local maps

I know that Cardiff is a port and that it was one of the largest dock systems in the world

I know that many settlements in Wales have grown developed around natural resources



Programme of Study statements for the end of KS2:

Name and locate counties and cities of the United Kingdom, geographical regions and their identifying human and physical characteristics, key topographical features (including hills, mountains, coasts and rivers)

Use maps, atlases, globes and digital/computer mapping to locate countries and describe features studied

Future Knowledge:

Europe Y3 term 2 Rivers Y3 term 3 and Y4

Previous Knowledge:

Human and physical features of school grounds and local area from Y1 and Y2

Names, location and identify characteristics of the four countries and capital cities of the United Kingdom and its surrounding seas Y1/Y2

Key vocabulary		
coast	The land near or next to the sea	
island	Piece of land surrounded by sea	
port	A place where boats come and go to load and unload	
map	A birds-eye view picture showing an area	
sea	Large areas of salt water around land	
country	A nation, a body of land with one government	
United Kingdom	England, Scotland, wales and Northern Ireland	
Capital city	A city where the government for that country is based	
Mountainous	An area with mountains	
Valley	A long depression or ditch in the earth's surface. Often near mountains	

Cardinal points	Points that show direction on a compass – north, south, east, west
Human features	Things like roads, bridges and houses that have been built by people
Physical features	Things like seas, mountains and rivers that are natural
settlement	Places where people live and sometimes work
Topography	The shape, height or depth, and location of the surface features of a place, area or region.
urban	Urban areas are very populated and highly developed with many buildings, roads, railways etc.
rural	Rural areas usually have a low population and can be found outside big towns or cities
county	The principal subdivision of the country for political, administrative, judicial and cultural purposes. Each of the countries in the UK is divided into historic counties.
Natural resources	Something that can be found in nature that can be used by people

Cultural Capital



Thinking like a Geographer

Maps Use maps, digital maps to locate places and physical features such as hills, coast and mountains	Enquiry Ask questions 'What is this place like?' What makes this place	Communication Present findings in different ways linked to maths and English
Visits and visitors:	Experiences and events Visit to Cardiff	Key texts George's Marvellous Medicine
Community events and links:	Global issues	Famous people/ Roal Dahl Edward Jenner
Life Skills	Key places Cardiff	