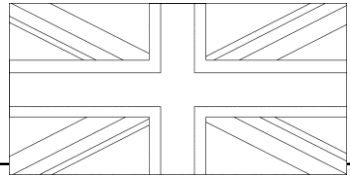


Year 7 Geography Project

Second half term: Britain



Task:

Over the next half term you are going to be creating a booklet of information on the British Isles that would help a student in another country.

Each week you will have tasks to complete that will result in a finished booklet to hand in to your teacher.

Your project will be marked by using the marking grid at the back of the booklet – use this to help you!

Name _____

Class _____

Teacher _____

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_____. Thank you!







Week 1 – Where is British Isles?

Date due in _____

1. On the map of the British Isles label England, Scotland, Wales, Northern Ireland and Republic of Ireland. Then give your map a title!
2. Label the map with the capital cities, major rivers and mountain ranges
3. Where are the British Isles located (e.g. which continent)?

4. Research task: Find three facts about the culture of Britain....

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Help Zone!

Use an atlas to help you label your map or go online

www.visitbritain.com

Week 2 – The Jurassic Coast



Date due in _____

1. Where is the Jurassic coastline? *Add a label to your map (from last week) to show its location*

Research task... (include pictures)

2. What is Durdledoor? How did it form?

3. What is Old Harry? How did he form?

4. What other activities can tourists do on the south coast? Famous beaches / attractions?

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Useful website!

<http://jurassiccoast.org/>

Week 3 – Lake District



Date due in _____

1. Where is the Lake District? *Add a label to your map (from week 1) to show its location*

Research task... (include pictures)

2. What is Scafel Pike? How did it form?

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3. What glacial features are found here?

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4. What problems does the Lake District face due to the number of tourists visiting each year?

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Useful website!

<http://www.lakedistrict.gov.uk/>

Week 4 – Sheffield



Date due in _____

1. Where is Sheffield? *Add a label to your map (from week 1) to show its location*

Research tasks...

2. Why is Sheffield known as “The Steel City”?

3. What is the Sheffield Supertram? Why could it benefit the environment?

The Supertram is _____

It could benefit the environment because _____

4. Sheffield’s population is growing, suggest what problems this may cause in the future?

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Useful websites!

Sheffield Tourist Website

<http://www.welcometosheffield.co.uk>

Transport

<https://www.stagecoachbus.com/supertram/>

Week 5 – Edinburgh



Date due in _____

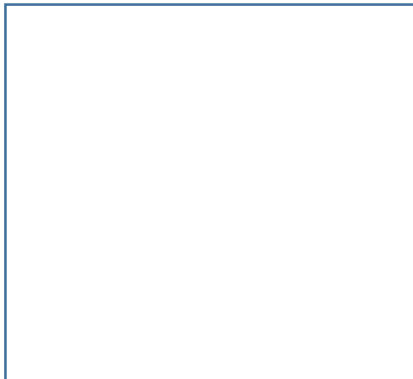
1. Use your map (from week 1) to describe the location of Edinburgh.

Edinburgh is located....

Research questions....

2. Who was Greyfriar's Bobby?

3. What is Arthur's Seat? How did it form?



4. Give two reasons why Edinburgh is such a popular destination for tourists to visit

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Help Zone!

Edinburgh tourist information

<http://edinburgh.org/>

Week 6 – Your place



Date due in _____

Your task this week is to include information about the village/town where you live.

1. Where is your village/town? *Add a label to your map (from week 1) to show its location*
2. Create a sketch map of your local area and label on key features like places of interest, shops or services, rivers etc.
3. Add a brief description of the location of your village/town. What county is it in?
4. What do you think the quality of life is like of the people who live in your local area?

My village/town is a nice place to live because ...

Useful websites!

<http://www.visitessex.com/>

<http://www.visitsuffolk.com/>

Sketch map of my village/town

My village/town is located in

How is my project marked?

| Question | 1 mark | 2 marks | 3 marks | 4 marks | 5 marks Extra effort in research and presentation |
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| Where is the British Isles? | Labelled countries | Labelled countries and cities | Labelled countries, cities, rivers and mountains | Labelled map showing countries, cities, rivers and mountains with short description of location | Detailed labelled map with description of location and evidence of research |
| Jurassic Coastline | Label on map | A labelled map with limited research | A labelled map with pictures and some research | A detailed map with pictures and detailed research | Explains in detail what the place/places are like using a range of sources |
| Lake District | Label on map | A labelled map with limited research | A labelled map with pictures and some research | A detailed map with pictures and detailed research | Explains in detail what the place/places are like using a range of sources |
| Sheffield | Label on map | A labelled map with limited research | A labelled map with pictures and some research | A detailed map with pictures and detailed research | Explains in detail what the place/places are like using a range of sources |
| Edinburgh | Label on map | A labelled map with limited research | A labelled map with pictures and some research | A detailed map with pictures and detailed research | Explains in detail what the place/places are like using a range of sources |
| Your place | Label on map | A labelled map with pictures | A labelled map with pictures and a short description of place | A detailed map with pictures and detailed description of place | Explains in detail what the place/places are like |