



The Kelpies:

Falkirk, Scotland



Geography:



The United Kingdom

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Knowledge Organiser



Caernarfon Castle:

Gwynedd, North Wales

The UK is made up of Great Britain (England, Scotland and Wales) and Northern Ireland.

So, there are 4 countries which make up the UK:

ENGLAND, **WALES**,
SCOTLAND and
NORTHERN IRELAND



Capital Cities:

England - **London**

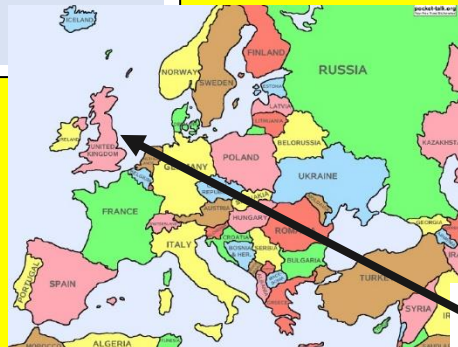
Scotland - **Edinburgh**

Wales - **Cardiff**

Northern Ireland - **Belfast**

Do you know which continent the UK is in?

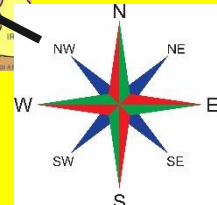
It is in north-western Europe, in the northern hemisphere.



The Giants Causeway:
County Antrim,
Northern Ireland



The Angel of the North:
Gateshead, the North-East
of England



Country	Flag	Capital City	Key Landmark	Key Rivers	High Ground
England		London	Stonehenge	Thames	Pennines
Scotland		Edinburgh	Ben Nevis	Tay	Grampian Mountains
Wales		Cardiff	Snowdon	Severn (also flows through England)	Cambrian Mountains
Northern Ireland		Belfast	Giant's Causeway	Bann	Sperrin Mountains

National Flower Symbols of the UK

The **shamrock** is the national symbol of Ireland and the traditional symbol of St Patrick's Day each 17 March.



The **red rose** is a national emblem of England and the symbol of peace.



The **daffodil** is the national flower of Wales and is worn on St David's Day each 1 March.



The **thistle** is the national flower of Scotland and is a symbol of defence.