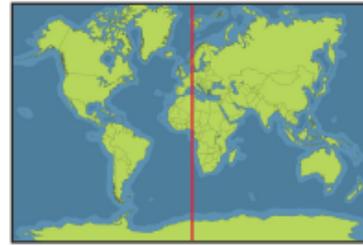


# Geography: United Kingdom

Key Vocabulary	
County	A small area of the UK containing lots of towns and villages.
Prime meridian	An imaginary line which divides the Earth into the eastern and western hemisphere.
UK	The United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.
Great Britain	England, Scotland and Wales.
Landmark	A feature of the landscape or area that is easily recognised.
Urban	Towns and cities.
Rural	Countryside or farmland.



**Prime Meridian**  
This imaginary line runs through the Royal Observatory in Greenwich. It is also used as the basis for the world's time zones.

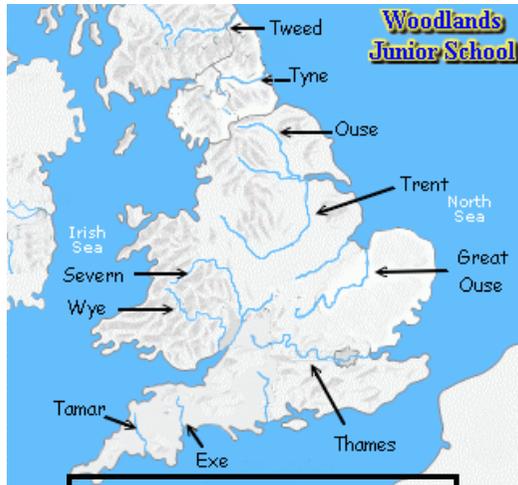
Counties that border Leicestershire



	<b>County</b>	
	Local Governments control the local areas of <b>counties</b> and their services. These services include: Education, Transport, Policing, Public Safety, Social Care	
	<b>Counties</b> include: Cornwall, Swansea, Londonderry, Aberdeenshire	

The UK					
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

Major Cities in the United Kingdom



Rivers in England

How is Land Used?	
90% of land in the UK is <b>rural</b> .	10% of the UK is <b>urban</b> .
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