

Year 3 - UK and Me

CRUCIAL KNOWLEDGE

R: We live in the country of England, which is part of the UK

R: The UK is made up of England, Wales, Scotland and Northern Ireland

R: London is the capital city of the UK

R: We are located in the Midlands

R: Urban areas are where many people live and work close together

R: Rural areas are places that have lots of fields and not many buildings

The UK is divided into counties: Staffordshire, Cheshire

EXTENDED KNOWLEDGE

R: Capital cities of UK: England = London, Scotland = Edinburgh, Wales = Cardiff and Northern Ireland = Belfast

England is also part of Great Britain, along with Scotland and Wales

Ireland is part of the British Isles along with England, Scotland, Wales and Northern Ireland

R: A county is an area made up of a group of towns and/or cities

R: A scale drawing is an exact copy of a real object but it will be smaller or larger than the real object – a map uses scale