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| **Yew Tree Primary Academy - Geography** | | | |
| **Theme: Come Fly with Me** | **Year Group : 1** | **Phase: Key Stage 1** | **Strand: Locational Knowledge/Human and Physical Geography** |

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| **What should I already know?** |
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| **Vocabulary** | |
| aerial view | a view from above |
| capital city | the city where the government sits. **London** is the **capital city** of **England** and the **UK**. |
| city | a large town. Liverpool is a city. |
| compass point | any of the main points of a compass: north, south, east and west |
| country | an area of land that is controlled by its own government. |
| England | a country in the **United Kingdom**. Great Cornard is a **village** in **England**. |
| flag | a piece of cloth which can be attached to a pole and which is used as symbol of a particular **country** |
| human geography | features of land that have been impacted by human activity |
| island | a piece of land that is completely **surrounded** by water |
| Great Britain | An **island** that is made up of **England**, Scotland and Wales. |
| London | **London** is the **capital city** of **England** and the **UK**. |
| physical geography | natural features of land |
| sea | a large area of salty water that is part of an ocean |
| surrounded | to be present all around |
| United Kingdom | The **UK**, is officially known as the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland. It includes **England**, Scotland, Wales and Northern Ireland. |
| **Literacy Tree Links:** | |
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| **What should I know by the end of this theme?** |
| |  | | --- | | * **Liverpool** is a cityin **England**. * **England** is a **country.** * There are four **countries** in the **United Kingdom (UK):** * England * Scotland * Wales * Northern Ireland * Each of these **countries** has a **capital city, flag** and national flower:      * The **UK**, is officially known as the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland * The **UK** includes the island of **Great Britain,** Northern Ireland and many smaller islands * **Great Britain** is an **island**—it is **surrounded** by **seas**: * Irish Sea * North Sea * English Channel * The Republic of Ireland is not a **country** of the **United Kingdom.** | |

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| **What Geographical skills will I have learnt by the end of this theme?** |
| * Find the four countries of the United Kingdom using map skills * Compare the human and physical geographical features of the four countries saying how they are similar and different. * To use locational and directional language [for example, near and far; left and right], to describe the location of features and routes on a map * use simple fieldwork and observational skills to study the geography of our local area * Observe aerial view photographs and know what they show * Use the compass points to describe the countries of the United Kingdom in relation to each other. * I can use and draw maps and plans to talk about a location. * Use Google Earth to start at school and zoom out. What do you notice? |







