



Bird in Bush Primary School is an example of a human feature



The River Thames is an example of a physical feature

# Year 1 Autumn Unit: Where we live: Peckham and London

## Enquiry Question: What is it like near our school?



**Geographical Concepts:** boundaries, interdependence, physical features, resources, settlements

### Primary Focus - Geographical Skills and Fieldwork

In this unit, Year 1 will learn how to

- use simple fieldwork and observational skills to study the geography of their school and its grounds and the key human and physical features of its surrounding environment.

### Secondary Focus - Locational Knowledge

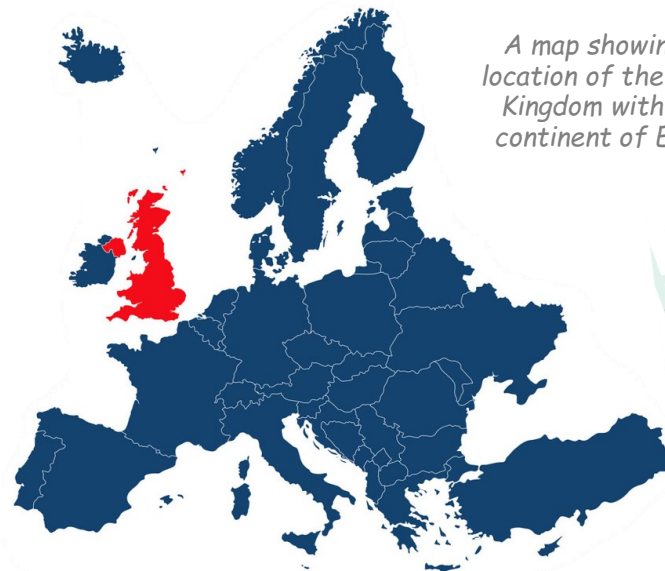
In this unit, Year 1 will learn how to

- name, locate and identify characteristics of the four countries and capital cities of the United Kingdom and its surrounding seas (see map to the right).

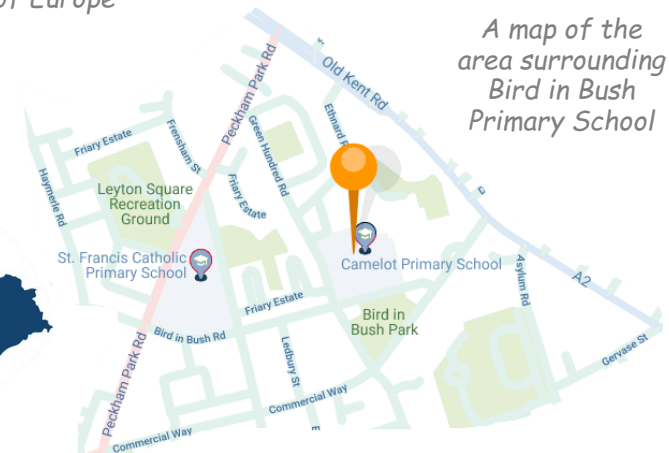
The United Kingdom is made up of Northern Ireland, England, Scotland and Wales.



A map showing the location of the United Kingdom within the continent of Europe



A map of the area surrounding Bird in Bush Primary School



## New Unit Vocabulary

- Continent** - a large continuous mass of land
- Country** - a nation with its own government
- Globe** - the Earth
- Human feature** - something made by humans
- Island** - an area of land surrounded by water
- Local** - the area around a specific place
- Map** - a drawing of a particular area
- Physical feature** - something made by nature
- Ocean** - a large area of sea
- Population** - how many people live in an area
- Sea** - an area of water nearer to land
- Vegetation** - plants in a particular area or habitat