

Year 4 Knowledge Organiser Geography: London

Features of London

PHYSICAL

The River Thames

The Royal Parks

Hampstead Heath

Epping Forest

HUMAN

Westminster Abbey

Nelson's column

Houses of Parliament

London Bridge



Key Vocabulary

Physical features

Things that are natural such as sea, beach, coast

Human features

things that are man-made such as bridges and roads

Beach

an area of sand sloping down to the water of a sea or lake

Coastline

a line that forms the edge between the land and the ocean or a lake

River Thames

The River Thames, is a river that flows through southern England including London. At 215 miles, it is the longest river entirely in England.

Town

A thickly settled area that is usually larger than a village but smaller than a city

Aerial photograph

A photograph taken from the air.

Landmark

an object or feature of a landscape or town that is easily seen and recognised from a distance



Facts about London

London is the largest urban area and capital city in the United Kingdom.

London covers an area of 610 square miles.

London has a population of approx. 8.9 million people (2021)

Approx. 12% of Britain's entire population live in London.

London is the seat of Central Government in Britain.

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