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| **Year Group: 4** | **Subject Focus: Geography** | **Term: Summer 2** |
| **Key facts**   * England is a country in the United Kingdom, in the continent of Europe. * Yorkshire is a county in North East England. * The city of Leeds is Yorkshire’s largest city and is now the leading centre of trade and commerce in the region. * Traditional industries included sheep, farming, textile manufacturing, coal mining and the steel industry. * There is much evidence of canals, mines, wool mills and heavy industry throughout Yorkshire. | | * There are 109 counties of the UK. * There are 48 counties in England. * Yorkshire is made up of 4 counties: North Yorkshire, West Yorkshire, South Yorkshire and East Yorkshire. * The main cities of Yorkshire are Leeds, York, Sheffield, Bradford, Middlesbrough and Hull. * The main towns in Yorkshire are York, Ripon, Leeds, Bradford, Kingston upon Hull, Scarborough, Harrogate, Skipton, Whitby and Hebden Bridge. * The main rivers in Yorkshire are the River Swale, Ure and Nidd. * The main mountains and hills in Yorkshire are Whernside, Ingleborough and Pen-y-ghent | **Key words:**   |  |  | | --- | --- | | **atlas** | a book of maps | | **capital city** | the city where the government sits. London is the capital city of England and the UK | | **cartography** | the making of maps | | **County** | A small area of the UK containing lots of towns and villages. | | **human geography** | the type of geography dealing with how human activity affects or is influenced by the earth's surface. | | **Great Britain** | England, Scotland and Wales | | **key** | gives you the information needed for the map to make sense. | | **landmark** | A feature of the landscape or area that is easily recognised | | **land use** | how humans have managed land for different activities | | **physical geography** | the type of geography dealing with natural features | | |
| **Did you know?**   * Tourism is significant in the region. * North Yorkshire has an establish tourist industry. * Previous industrial use of land has changed over time to nature reserves, shopping centres, bio mass and solar and wind power. | | Image result for books united kingdom ks2 coming to england**Exciting books/ web links:**  Image result for books united kingdom ks2 coming to england  [Sites to Visit in Yorkshire | English Heritage (english-heritage.org.uk)](https://www.english-heritage.org.uk/learn/school-visits/yorkshire-sites/) | **Parents as partners:**   * Encourage your child to create some amazing fact cards about Yorkshire. * Use Google Earth and locate where you are on the map. * Together, make a poster comparing Leeds and London. * Create a word search or crossword about Yorkshire landmarks * If you could visit somewhere in Yorkshire, where would it be? Look online and create an itinerary for a weekend visit. How many different activities could you include? | |