Vocabulary

island – a piece of land surrounded by water

coast- part of the land that meets the sea

beach-The land at the edge of a lake, ocean, or other body of water.

ocean – a very large expanse of sea

town – a medium size place where people live and work, larger than a village, smaller than a city

city – a large and important place where many people live and work

Europe – a continent in the northern hemisphere

continent - a landmass usually made up of countries

sea – an expanse of salt water

mountain – a very large hill

hills - a raised area of land

weather - state of the atmosphere

climate—weather in an area over a long period of time

urban – town or city area or characteristics

rural - area or characteristics of the countryside

population – people who live in a place

landscape- Features of land that you can see e.g. desert, mountains, beach.

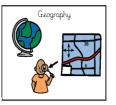
hurricane- A powerful storm with heavy rains and winds that blow in a circle at 73 miles per hour or more.

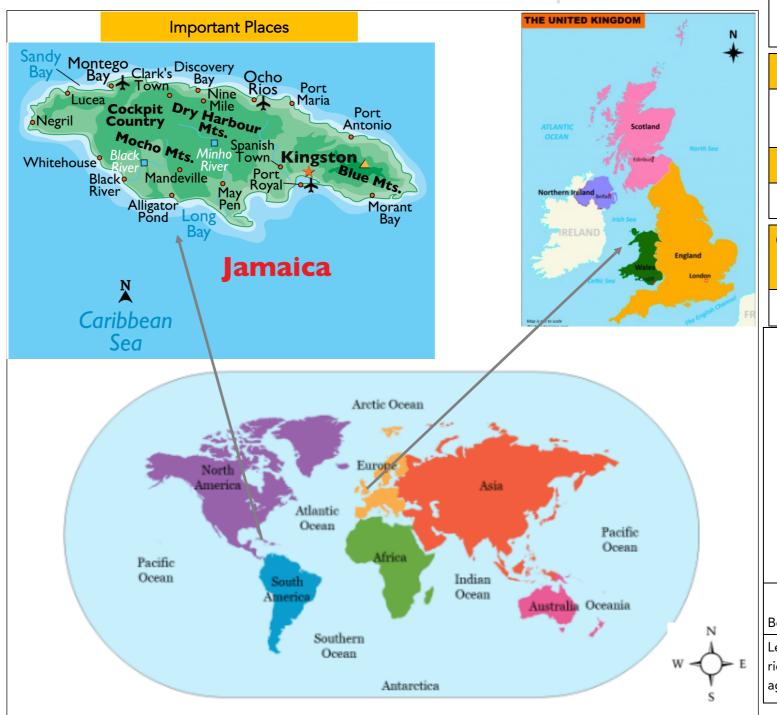
Forest- A large area covered by trees

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What came before?



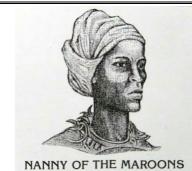
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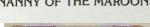
What comes next?

Year 4 – Migration

Oceans and seas surrounding Jamaica

Caribbean Sea







Nanny of the Maroons

Born: 1686 (Ghana) Died: 1733 (Jamaica)

Led a community of formerly enslaved Africans called the Windward Maroons against the British Empire.

Geography Learning Journey									
Nursery	Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6		
Describe their immediate environment	Explore the natural world around them, making observations and drawings	Local area study of Kentish Town High Street	United – A study of the United Kingdom	Going Underground – studying the impact of the underground	Migration of people- Windrush	Rivers study and Hampstead Heath and The Americas study	In depth local area study 'NW5 - My London'		







Jamaica and The UK comparative study











Physical Geography **United Kingdom Jamaica** An island country located in the North Atlantic and the North Sea Caribbean Sea

It has a mainly tropical climate, with high temperatures throughout the year.

Jamaica lies in the Atlantic hurricane belt so suffers from regular storm damage

Jamaica has many black sand beaches

The highest region of Jamaica is the Blue Mountains. The highest peak is Blue Mountain peak at





An island that lies between the

The UK has a temperate climate. The warmest part is in the south and the wettest part is in the west.

There are few natural hazards, although there can be strong winds and floods.

The UK is made up of over 6000 islands with the largest island called Great Britain.

Britain itself is the largest island in Europe and 9th largest in the world.

Comparing cities—Jamaica and UK

Jamaica- Kingston





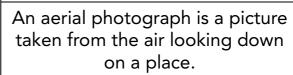


Human Geography	Jamaica	United Kingdom		
Population	2.9 million people	68.4 million people		
Cities	Kingston, Spanish Town, Portmore	London, Edinburgh, Cardiff, Belfast		
Landmarks	Fort Charles, Emancipation Park, Bob Marley Museum,	Stonehenge, Edinburgh Castle, The Tower of London		

Comparing physical features—Jamaica and the UK Jamaica- Montego Bay **UK** — Southend Beach **UK—Hampstead Heath** Jamaica – Blue Mountains

Climate Comparison									
Sunny hours		Wet days		Snow days		High and Low temp		Hurricanes	
Jamaica 3000 hours	UK 1400 hours	Jamaica 93 days	UK 150-200 days	Jamaica 0 days	UK 23 days	Jamaica High: 33 C Low 23 C	UK High: 43 C Low: –15 C	Jamaica 1-2 a year	UK 0 a year







An island is a piece of land completely surrounded by water.