



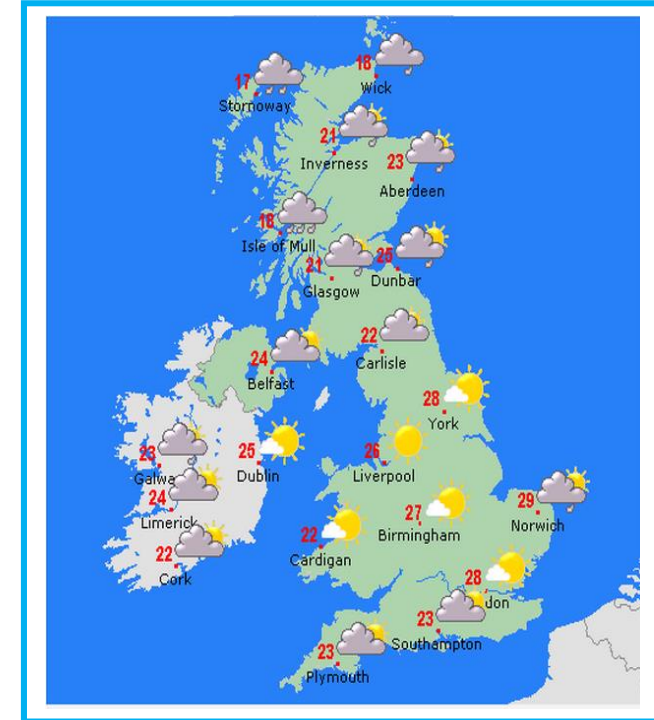
Year 2 - Geography Knowledge Organiser

Weather and The UK

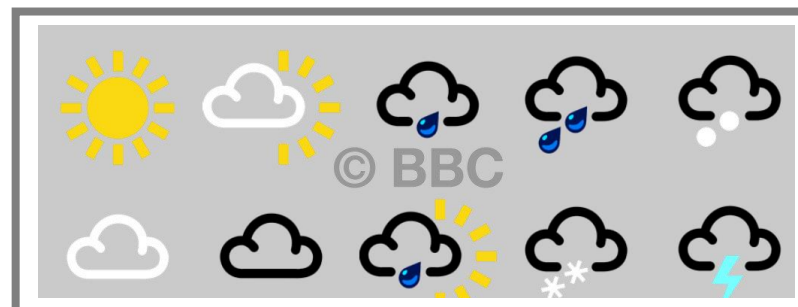
Map of the UK



Country	Flag	Capital City
England		London
Scotland		Edinburgh
Wales		Cardiff
Northern Ireland		Belfast



Climate is what you expect in a place and **weather** is what you get.



Seasonal Changes



There are changes in weather in each **season**. In spring, it is often rainy and the **temperature** begins to get warmer.



In summer, the sun is much stronger. The **temperature** is warmer than in any other **season**.



In the autumn, the weather turns chillier, windier and there is often rain.

In the winter, it is often cold and frosty. It has to be freezing cold to snow.



Key Vocabulary	Definition
Seasons	The year is divided into four seasons: Spring, Summer, Autumn and Winter.
Climate	Climate is the expected pattern of weather in a particular area.
Weather	Weather is a specific event – like a rainstorm or hot day – that happens over a few hours, days or weeks.
United Kingdom	Made up of England, Northern Ireland, Scotland and Wales.
Map key	A list of symbols on a map.
Symbols	Symbols are small pictures that stand for different features on a map.
Rainfall	A measurement of how much rain has fallen in a certain period of time.
Temperature	A measure of how hot or cold something is.
Thermometer	A device to measure the temperature.
Compass	A tool for finding direction – North, East, South and West.

Seasons and Months

Spring



Summer



Autumn



Winter



By the end of this topic I will be able to:

- Know the 4 countries and capitals of the UK.
- Know the surrounding seas of the UK.
- Be able to name, sequence and describe each season.
- Describe some effects weather has on everyday lives.
- Use and construct weather symbols on a map key.
- Know how to measure and record weather.

