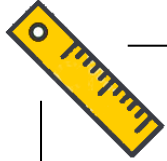


There are lots of ways you can enhance your child's learning at home!



Watching

... relevant television programmes such as 'The Great British Railway Journeys' and 'Coast'

Doing

- ... cooking and baking recipes from around the UK
- ... making fact posters of places you have visited in the UK
- ... bringing in postcards from around Great Britain to our class displays
- ... travel for days out with maps on laps to follow routes.
- ... using books and ICT to research safely and independently

Reading

- ... regular reading books weekly
- ... reading classic stories by great British children's authors together
- ... reading stories from other cultures to extend your child's multi-cultural awareness
- ... factual texts about Great Britain

We will also be using our creative art skills to draw and make artefacts, and hopefully holding a Great British Bake Off.



Our Learning Journey

What Makes Britain Great?

KING INA



CHURCH OF ENGLAND ACADEMY



King Ina
Church of England Academy
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Some of the questions that we hope to answer this term.

How are the British Isles divided into countries?

How is the UK divided into counties?

What and where are all the islands of the British Isles?

How do we use maps to locate places?

What is our market town like? What are the iconic and geographical features of Somerton?

What is Somerset like? Where are our towns, cities, rivers and hills? What are the key landmarks?

What are the major hills, rivers, towns and cities of the UK?

What and where are our national parks?

What are the national customs of the countries of the UK?

What makes Britain a diverse and multi-cultural place to live?



Our Learning Journey

Our topic has begun with a focus on the geographical position of Great Britain on a globe and world maps. The children have begun to focus on the features of UK, the countries which make up our nation and their capital cities. Below is a more detailed breakdown of what we intend to teach over the term relating to our topic.

GEOGRAPHY

Exploring England, Wales, Scotland and Northern Ireland. Using maps to find hills, rivers, towns and cities.

ART and CRAFT relating to the topic, flags and banners, posters and models.

MUSIC

Traditional songs and music from around the United Kingdom.

ENGLISH

Writing and reading facts, stories and poetry which celebrate our country.

PSHE

Exploring the diversity within the UK and promoting tolerance, harmony and celebrating the different cultures which make our country great.

R.E.

The patron saints for each country making up the UK.

Our topic will end with a topic outcome day celebrating and enhancing the learning which has occurred during the term. We are hoping this will include a baking feature with the opportunity for the children to enter into a King Ina version of the very popular 'Great British Bake Off' television programme.