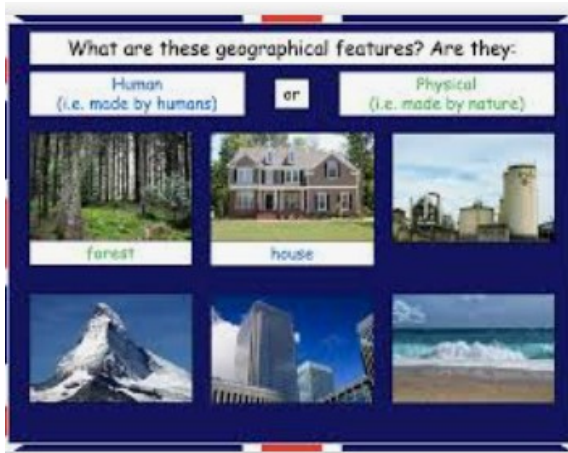


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Human and physical features

- Physical features were created naturally, such as mountains, hills, rivers, seas and some lakes.
- Human features are man made. They include bridges, houses, roads and shops.



Grid references And symbols

- A grid reference allows someone to mark a place on a map by referring to vertical and horizontal lines called eastings and northings.
- You can use either a four figure grid reference or a six figure grid reference when finding places on a map.
- A good way to remember which numbers come first when writing the grid reference numbers is to go along the corridor and then up the stairs.
- Grid reference numbers always come in between brackets with a comma separating the numbers
- Maps also come with a key so that you can



England

- Bedford**—Bedford is a town that is found in the county of Bedfordshire. The UK is made up of many different counties which is governed by different groups of people.
- Towns and villages** are smaller than counties, but they make up the counties. There are 48 counties in England, 33 in Scotland, 22 in Wales, 26 in the Republic of Ireland and 6 in Northern Ireland.
- The counties of England are areas of land, cities and towns that are used for different purposes. This makes it easier for the government to rule.
- A region is an area of land that has common features. The UK is classed as a region which comprises England, Scotland, Wales and Northern Ireland.

Key Vocabulary

Features	A geographic feature includes things that can be classified as locations, sites, areas or regions.
Physical	A natural geographic feature that was not created by humans, such as a mountain.
Developed	This is when an improvement has been made to
Human	A man-made geographic feature that was created by humans, such as bridges.

England

Germany

