

# St Luke's Knowledge Organiser



## Year 2 - Where are we in the world?

### What I should already know

- ◆ We live in the United Kingdom, our local area is Prescot.
- ◆ We live in Prescot which is near the city of Liverpool. Identify where Liverpool is on the map of the United Kingdom.
- ◆ Every street in our country has a name and a postcode. The name is usually on a wall or a sign at the beginning of the street.
- ◆ Your address has the name of the street you live in, the number or name of your house; the village, town or city you live in and your postcode.
- ◆ Children should be aware of Ariel pictures and notice the difference.



### Sticky Knowledge

- ◆ A city is bigger and more developed than country areas, villages or towns. Each country has a capital city.
- ◆ England's capital city is London, Wales' capital city is Cardiff, Scotland's capital city is Liverpool and Northern Ireland's capital city is Belfast.
- ◆ Cities have human and physical features.
- ◆ A human feature is anything that has been built by humans e.g. houses and bridges.
- ◆ A compass is a piece of equipment that tells you what direction you are travelling in. The main compass points are north, south, east and west.
- ◆ A physical feature is anything that is naturally there e.g. beaches and hills.

### Vocabulary

continent	One of seven of the world's main continuous expanses of land.
country	A country is land that is controlled by a single government.
aerial	Seen from above, also known as birds-eye view.
population	The number of people that live in a particular place.
human features	Features of land that have been impacted by human activity.
physical features	Natural features of land.
landmark	A well-known building or place.

### Geographical skills and fieldwork

- ◆ Use maps/atlasses and photographs to compare features of different cities. What features are similar? What features are different?
- ◆ Use maps/atlasses and photographs to define and learn what a country is.
- ◆ Use atlases, digital world maps to name, locate and identify the United Kingdom and its countries.
- ◆ Research and locate St Lucia, compare and explore the physical and human features of Liverpool and St Lucia.