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Maybe It's Because I'm a Londoner!

Home Learning Project-Reading



Look at a tube map (either pick one up from a tube station or look on the internet) to help you answer these questions. Use your use of coordinates and grid reference to find help you find the stations.

The London Underground was first opened in 1863. Can you work out how old it is?

How many tube lines are there?

Can you name a tube station for every letter of the alphabet?

How many tube lines stop at Euston Square?

What lines can you see that cross over/under the River Thames?

How many times would you have to change trains to get from Liverpool Street to Knightsbridge?

How many stops are there between Baker Street and Westminster and what line are they on?

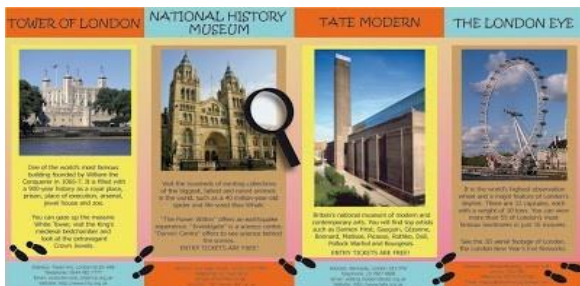
Describe the journey you need to take to get from Regents Park to Covent Garden.

Who is Harry Beck and what did he create?

Home Learning Project-English

Choose a London attraction (eg a museum , a park, the London Eye, Kew Gardens). Design a brochure that advertises this attraction. Think about how you could persuade people to visit the attraction. You could do this by:

- ☐ Making the brochure bold and colourful
- ☐ Using pictures
- ☐ Including facts about the attraction and fun things you can do there
- ☐ Including all the important information that people would need if they wanted to visit (where it is, when it opens, how much it costs)



Home Learning Project- Maths

The UK experiences different weather in different places. Watch the weather forecast every day for a week and record the weather in London each day. You can record it on a table like this:

	Weather	Temperature	Wind speed
Monday	Sunny	15°C	17mph
Tuesday	Cloudy	16°C	11mph
(and so on, up to Sunday)			

Then look at the weather in Edinburgh, Scotland and complete another table like the one above.

What do you notice?

How is the weather different?

Why do you think there are differences?



Home Learning Project- Geography

Using the blank map of the United Kingdom found in this pack please mark on the following:

- The names of each country
- The capital city of each country
- The seas surrounding the UK
- Five of the major rivers
- The Pennines, The Lake District and Mount Snowdon

Can you find and label some of the smaller islands of the UK including Isle of Wight, Anglesey, the Orkney Islands, the Hebrides, Guernsey and Jersey?

Challenge: Can you find out the difference between the United Kingdom and Great Britain?



Home Learning Project- History

The Great Fire of London in 1666 was significant in shaping the way London streets work today.

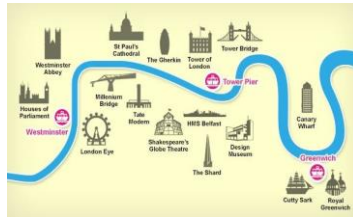
Try to find out as much as possible about The Great Fire of London and how the people lived before and after the fire.

You could make a book about it.



Home Learning Project-DT

The River Thames is London's river.



Can you make a list of all the things that the River Thames is used for?

How many bridges are there that cross the Thames?

What makes a good bridge?

What types of bridges are there? Can you name any?

Task: To build a bridge that can carry the weight of a toy car from one side to the other. You can use newspaper/ any other paper you have, glue sticks, paper clips, selotape. Think about the design of your bridge.

Do flat pieces of paper work or is it better to fold them or roll them in some way? Look at these pictures to give you ideas. There is a model of tower bridge included in the resources should you wish to build that.





Useful websites



London

<http://www.projectbritain.com/london/b.html>

London Attractions

<https://www.visitlondon.com/things-to-do/sightseeing/london-attraction/top-ten-attractions>

London Tube Map

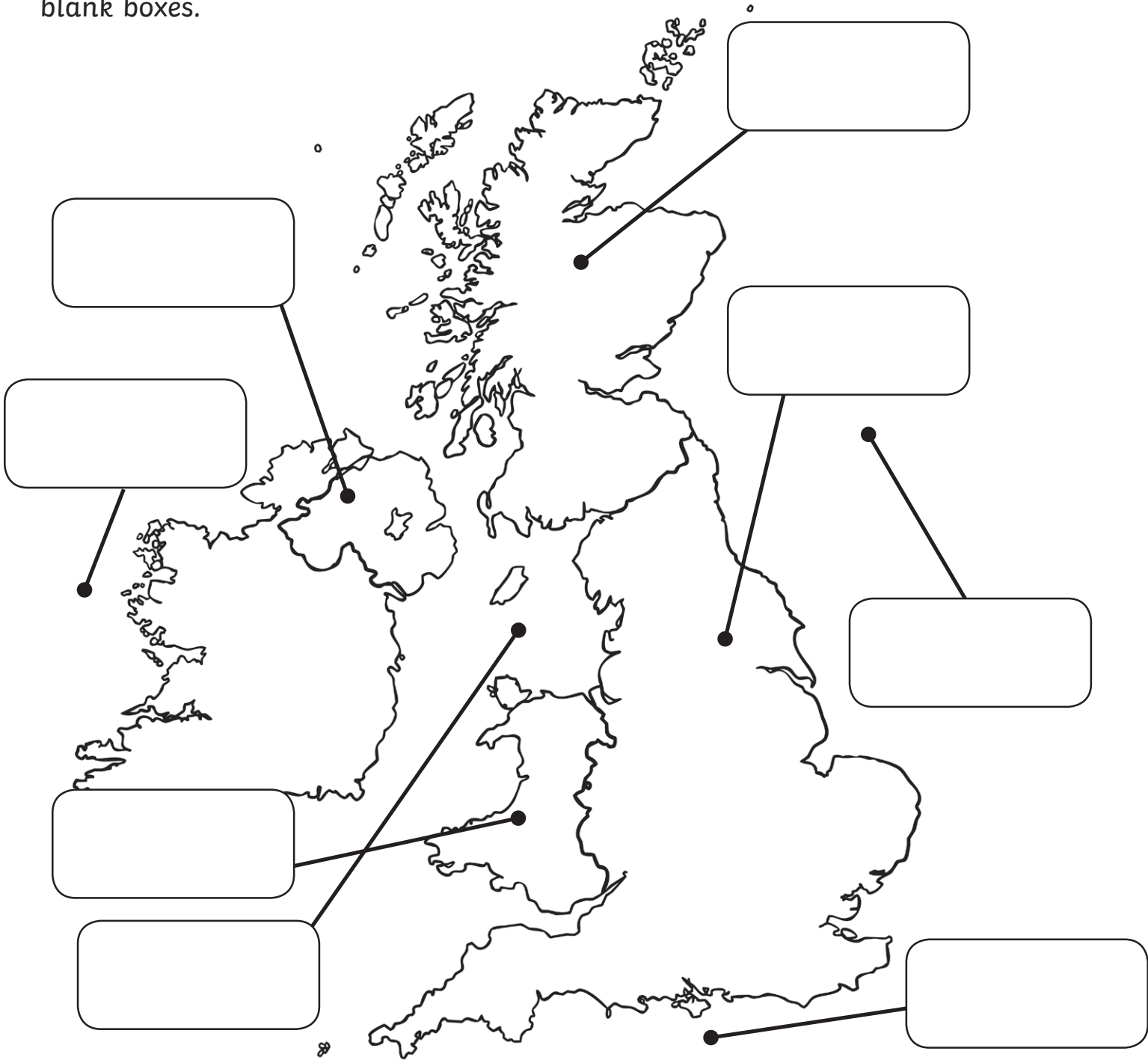
http://www.bbc.co.uk/london/pdf/tube_map2010.pdf

The Great Fire of London

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/school-radio/history-ks2-the-great-fire-of-london/z4bft39>

United Kingdom

Look at the map of the United Kingdom below. Label the different countries and bodies of water in the blank boxes.



Use the names of the countries and bodies of water below to help you.

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| England | Scotland | Wales | Northern Ireland | Irish Sea |
| North Sea | Atlantic Ocean | English Channel | | |