

From North to South – How are spaces in England different? – Knowledge Organiser Year 3 Spring 2

Vocabulary		Cumbria and Cornwall and Eight Points of the Compass	Counties, countries and continents
county	An area of land made up of towns and cities.		<p>Towns and cities are grouped into counties.</p> <p>Counties are grouped into countries.</p> <p>Countries are grouped into continents.</p>
National Park	An area of the countryside that is protected by law.		
peninsula	A piece of land that sticks out and is almost surrounded by water but is still connected to the land.		
Glacier	Glaciers are huge masses of ice that “flow” like very slow rivers. They form over hundreds of years where fallen snow compresses and turns into ice.		
Valley	A valley is a long or ditch, in the Earth’s surface. It usually lies between hills or mountains.		
Settlement	A place where people live and sometimes work.		

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<p>The Lake District is a national park within the county of Cumbria.</p> <p>The landscapes of the Lake District have been shaped over millions and millions of years.</p> <p>Due to the beauty of the physical geography attracting more and more visitors, as a result, the landscape has changed, and more human features are apparent to accommodate the growth in tourism.</p>	<p>Cornwall was given its geological shape many millions of years ago. Before the onset of the Ice Age, the Cornish coastline extended five miles further than it does today, the Isles of Scilly were part of the mainland and Britain was physically joined to Europe. The seas rose gradually until around 6000 years ago when the Channel was formed.</p>	