



# Bright Lights, Big City Knowledge Organiser

## Key Vocabulary

country	A large area of land that has its own government.
capital city	A city that is home to the government and ruler of a country.
city	A large town, often with a cathedral.
village	A small group of houses and buildings that is usually in the countryside.
countryside	An area of land with fields, villages and farms.
rural	Used to describe an area that is located in the countryside.
urban	Used to describe an area of land or human settlement where lots of people live and work.
landmark	An important building or place.



## Sticky knowledge

- There are 4 countries in the United Kingdom.
- London is the capital city of the United Kingdom.
- There is a difference between villages, towns and cities.

## Topic Links

**Design Technology:** printing patterns of city skylines.

**English:** The Queen's Knickers story

## Key Information

- The United Kingdom is made up of cities, towns and villages. Life in a city can be very different from life in a village in the countryside.
- There are many geographical features in the United Kingdom. Some features are human and some are physical.
- A map is a picture that show an area of land or sea. They use symbols to show where features are located, such as stations, parking, roads and rivers.
- The United Kingdom is a union of four countries. They are England, Northern Ireland, Scotland and Wales.