

Athens and Nottingham - a comparison

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Key Vocabulary

country	A nation with its own government, occupying a particular territory.
Capital city	The city or town that functions as the seat of government and administrative centre of a country or region.
borders	A line separating two countries, administrative divisions or other areas.
Physical features	Things that are made naturally. For example; rivers, mountains.
Human features	Things that are made by humans and which humans have changed or influenced.
settlement	A place where communities have settled.
trade	The action of buying and selling goods and services.
climate	The weather conditions in an area in general or over a long period.
vegetation	Plants found in a particular area or habitat.



Prior Knowledge

1	Y1 My World and Me	Nottingham is a city in the county of Nottinghamshire.
2	Y1 My World and Me	The River Trent is the main river through Nottingham.
3	Y1 Bright lights, big city	Physical features of the Earth include; seas, mountains and rivers. Human features are those made by hand and include; houses, roads and bridges.
4	Y1 Coastlines	A coastline is the land around the edge of an island that touches the sea.
5	Y2 Poles Apart	The four points of a compass; North, South, East and West.
6	Y2 Safari Street Detectives	The physical features of Nottingham include;

Key Information

1	Greece is a country within Europe and it's capital city is Athens.
2	Attica is a region that is located on the south coast of Greece. Athens is a city located in the Attica region.
3	East Midlands is a region located in the centre of England. Nottingham is a city located in the Midlands and is landlocked.
4	Athens has a Mediterranean climate (hot, dry summers and mild, wet winters) and Nottingham has an oceanic climate (mild summers, cool winters with an abundance of rain).
5	Athens is a popular tourist attraction because of its climate and coastal location.
6	There are many physical and human features in Athens that attract tourists including; the mountains, the beaches, the seas, the Acropolis and the Parthenon.
7	Nottingham also has physical and human features including; the River Trent, Sherwood Forest and Nottingham Castle.
8	The 8 points of a compass are; North, South, East, West, North-East, South-East, North-West, South-West.
9	Greece is known for its olive oil and wine. It's made trade links are within Europe but especially Italy and Germany.
10	Greece is separated into 3 main areas; the mainland, the peninsula and the islands and geography heavily influenced settlement. The majority of people in the UK live in urban areas with London being the most populated city.