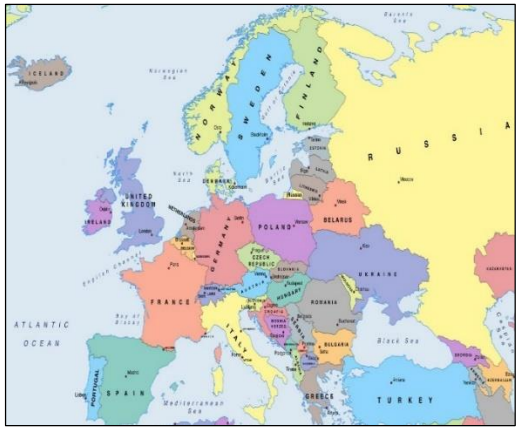



Marvellous Maps

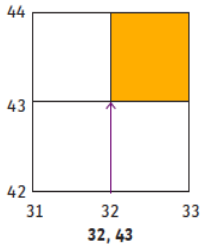



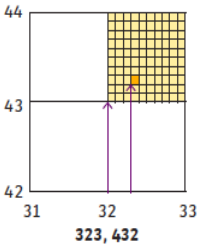
Map Symbols (Human)

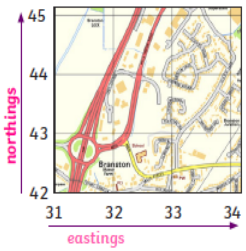
church	with tower	with spire	Sch school	PO post office	TH town hall
castle	telephone	viewpoint	youth hostel	bus or coach station	railway station
parking	campsite	picnic site	motorway	main road	bridge
museum	golf course	historic building	footpath	bridleway	cycle lane

Map Symbols (Physical)

contour lines		mud	
coniferous trees		sand	
water		river	

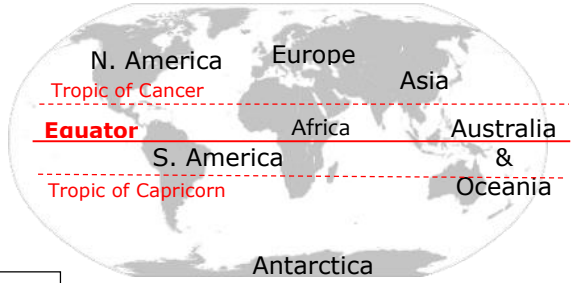






Key Vocabulary

atlas	A book containing a collection of maps.
continent	The Earth is made up of these 7 areas of land.
country	A nation separated from others by a political or physical border.
county	The different, organised areas within a country.
direction	Tells us which way to travel.
English Channel	A 560km stretch of sea that separates England from France - important for trade.
Europe	One of the 7 continents on Earth and where the U.K. is located.
human features	Things built by humans which can be seen from a satellite or are placed on a map.
location	Tells us where something is.
physical features	Things established from nature that can be seen from a satellite or are placed on a map.
scale	Tells us the size of something.
symbols	Simple pictures which represent something.



Capital Cities

Portugal - *Lisbon*
Germany – Berlin
France – Paris
Spain - Madrid
Austria – Vienna
Italy - Rome