

LESSON ONE: GEOGRAPHY OF THE BRITISH ISLES

A. Read the text and do the activities

The British Isles are situated in the north west of Europe. Although there are lots of little islands, we can say there are two main islands: Great Britain and Ireland.

The British Isles are surrounded by 3 seas and one ocean: the Channel in the south, the North Sea in the north, the Irish sea between the two islands and the Atlantic Ocean in the West.

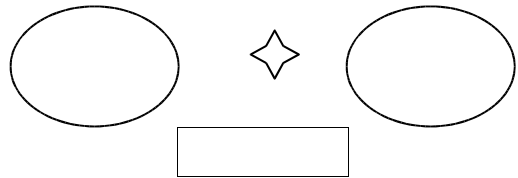
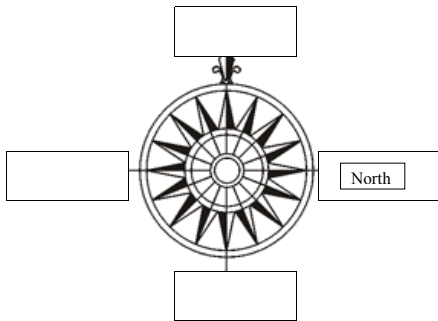
Great Britain is divided into three regions: Scotland in the North, England, the largest area and Wales, the smallest area.

Ireland is divided into two parts: The Republic of Ireland, an independent country and Northern Ireland, in the North. In Irish, The Republic of Ireland is called: Eire and Northern Ireland is called Ulster.

The United Kingdom (UK) is the country composed of England, Scotland, Wales and Northern Ireland.

The capital city of Eire is Dublin and the capital city of the UK is London. Edinburgh, Cardiff and Belfast are regional capital cities.

How to locate?



- Where is Russia?
- Where is Africa?
- Where are the USA?
- Where is Denmark?

2. Geography :

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| a. une île : | d. une capitale : |
| b. un océan : | e. un pays : |
| c. une mer : | |