## The UK - Counties and Cities

 England, 33 in Scotland, 13 in Wales and 6 in Northern Ireland.


| Key Knowledge |  |
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| UK Landmarks <br> Big Ben <br> The Tower of London <br> The London Eye <br> Blackpool Pleasure <br> Beach <br> The Lake District <br> Buckingham Palace | UK Counties with the longest coastlines <br> Cornwall: 1086 km. <br> Essex: 905 km . <br> Devon: 819 km |
| Major Mountain Ranges of the British Isles  <br> Cairngorms Pennines <br> Mourne Mountains Grampians <br> Black Mountains Berwyn range <br> MacGillycuddy's Reeks Snowdonia <br> The highest mountain in the British Isles is Ben  <br> Nevis.  | UK Rivers <br> 1. River Severn 220 miles long <br> 2. River Thames 215 miles long <br> 3. River Trent 185 miles long <br> 4. River Great Ouse 143 miles long |


| Key Vocabulary |  |
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| border | A line separating two countries. |
| Brecon Beacons | A National Park in Wales. |
| city | A large town. |
| county | The UK is divided into regions to help organise the <br> government. |
| The Highlands | An area of Scotland which is sparsely populated, with lochs <br> and mountains. |
| landmark | A feature of a landscape or town that is easily seen and <br> recognized from a distance. |
| moor | Open uncultivated upland, typically covered with heather. |
| The Pennines | A system of hills in Britain that extend from the Scottish <br> border in the north to the Trent River in the south. |



