My country at a glance

Britain is more than London

Task 1 (1)

situated — расположенный

north — север

west — запад

northwest — ?

as — как

to call — называть

a state — государство

to divide — делить(ся), разделять(ся)

to make up — составлять

a population [ˌpɒpjuˈleɪʃn] — население

such ... as — такие как

a language [ˈlæŋgwɪʤ] — язык

Look at the three maps

1) Look at the three maps. Which is the map of the United Kingdom? Which is the map of Great Britain? Which is the map of the British Isles? Read through the text and label each map.

Look at the three maps

Task 1 (2)

2) What is the difference between the United Kingdom, Great Britain and the British Isles? Answer the questions.

- What are the British Isles? Where are they situated? What states are situated in the British Isles?
- What is the UK? What countries is the UK made up of?
- What is Great Britain? What countries is Great Britain divided into?
- What is the make up of the population of the UK?
- What languages are spoken in the UK?

Task 2

2. Look at the map of England on p. 8. What is England like? Use the information on the map and the words from the box in the correct form.

> be called   south   be divided   population   be known
>   east   be situated   make up   be washed

England is the largest of the countries that ... the UK.

England ... to the ... of Wales and to the ... of Scotland.

England ... by the North Sea, ..., ... and the Strait of Dover.

About 50 million people out of the ... of the UK live in England.

England ... into areas. These areas ... counties.

The counties around London ... as the Home Counties.
They are ... and ...

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W E
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ORKNEY

WESTERN ISLES

SHETLAND
ATLANTIC OCEAN
NORTH SEA
ORKNEY

GRAMPIAN
HIGHLAND
SCOTLAND
TAYSIDE
FIFE
CENTRAL
LOTHIAN
STRATHCLYDE
BORDERS
DUMFRIES AND GALLOWAY
NORTHUMBERLAND
TYNE AND WEAR
DURHAM
CLEVELAND
CUMBRIA
NORTH YORKSHIRE

NORTH SEA

ATLANTIC OCEAN

NORTHERN IRELAND

IRISH SEA

ISLE OF MAN

LANCASHIRE
WEST YORKSHIRE
HUMBERSIDE
MERSEYSIDE
1
SOUTH YORKSHIRE
CHESHIRE
DERBY-SHIRE
2
LINCOLNSHIRE
CLWYD
GWYNEDD
ENGLAND
STAFFORD-SHIRE
SHROP-SHIRE
3
LEICESTER SHIRE
NORFOLK
WALES
POWYS
HEREFORD AND WORCESTER
WARWICK-SHIRE
4
CAMBRIDGE-SHIRE
SUFFOLK
5
DYFED
GLOUCESTER-SHIRE
6
HERTFORD-SHIRE
ESSEX
7
8
GWENT
OXFORD-SHIRE
LONDON
9
AVON
WILT-SHIRE
10
11
KENT
SOMERSET
HAMP-SHIRE
SURREY
WEST SUSSEX
EAST SUSSEX
DEVON
DORSET
ISLE OF WIGHT
Strait of Dover
CORNWALL

English Channel

1 GREATER MANCHESTER
2 NOTTINGHAMSHIRE
3 WEST MIDLANDS
4 NORTHAMPTONSHIRE
5 BEDFORDSHIRE
6 BUCKINGHAMSHIRE
7 WEST GLAMORGAN
8 MID GLAMORGAN
9 SOUTH GLAMORGAN
10 BERKSHIRE
11 GREATER LONDON

Answers:

- **Makes up**

- **Is situated … East … South**

- **Is washed … Irish Sea ….English Channel**

- **Population**

- **Is divided Are called**

- **Are known Essex, Kent, Surrey, Berkshire, Buckinghamshire, Hertfordshire, Greater London**