The United Kingdom consists of four countries:

England, Wales, Scotland and Northern Ireland.



The capitals of these parts are London, Cardiff, Edinburgh and Belfast.



The official name of the country is The United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.



So usually, people call it UK or the United Kingdom.



The United Kingdom consists of more than 5000 islands of different sizes.



Islands North Atlantic Ocean Edinburgh North Sea Northern **Great Britain** Ireland Manchester Dublin O Nottingham England Oxford France

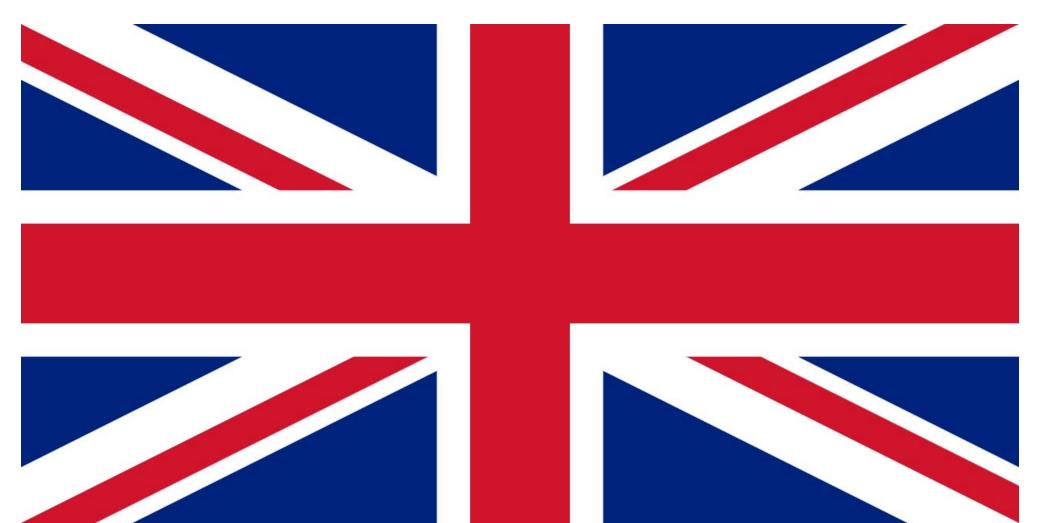
Great Britain is the largest island.

Great Britain includes England, Scotland and Wales.



It doesn't include Northern Ireland.

The national flag is called the Union Jack.



English is the official language of the country.





People living in the UK are called British.