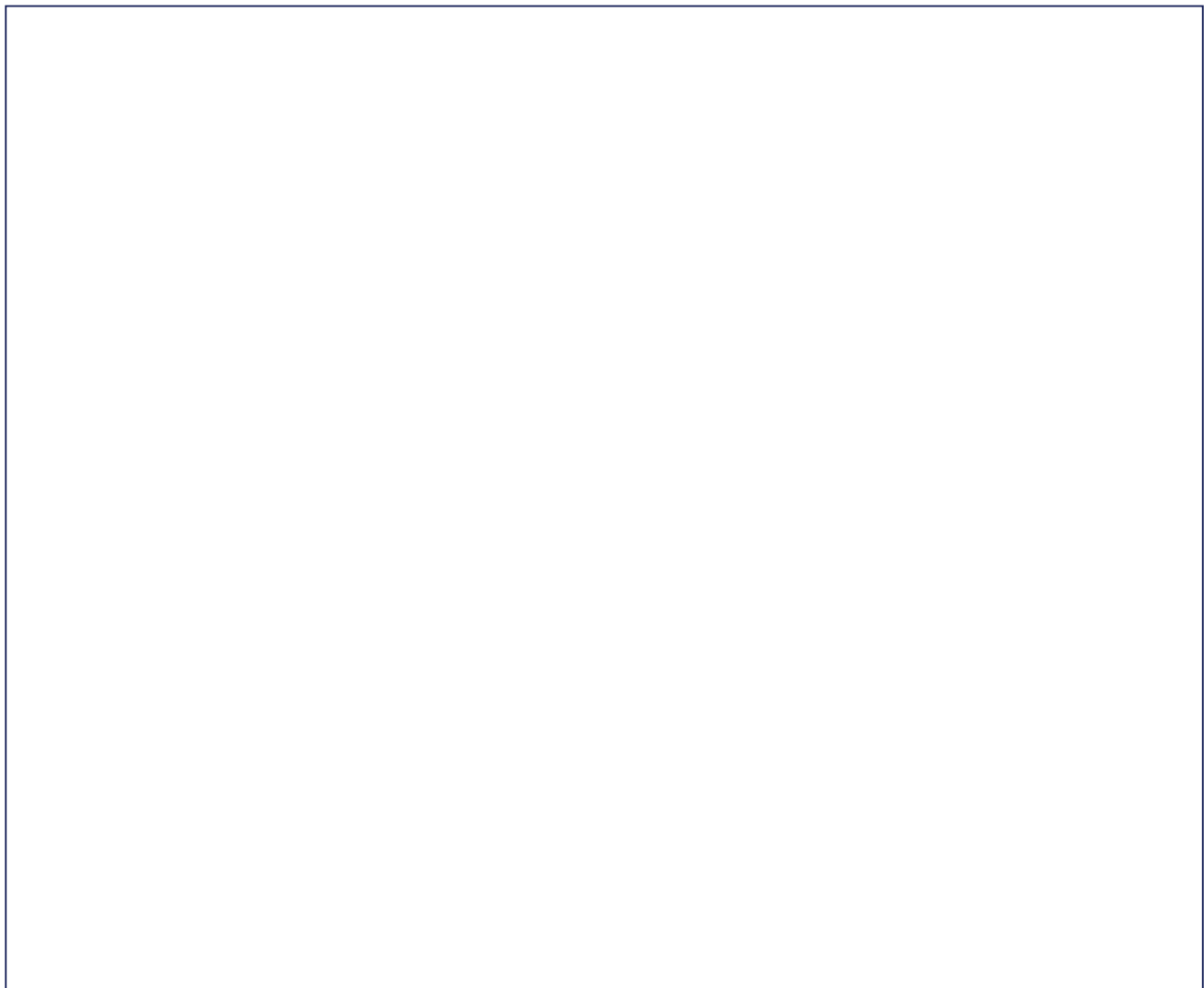


Mapping Our United Kingdom

Learning objective: To identify and illustrate the main regions of the United Kingdom and understand their geographical features.

Follow the drawing steps below to build your own map of the UK. Use your best geographical detail to label the regions correctly.

Draw: Draw a large outline of the United Kingdom in the center of your page. Use a fine-liner pen to divide the country into its official regions. Use a different color for each of the four nations (Scotland, Wales, Northern Ireland, and England). Add small sketches to represent each area, such as a mountain in Scotland, a coastline in Cornwall, or a bridge in London. Ensure your map is clear and neat.



Label words: Scotland · Wales · Northern Ireland · North East England · North West England · Yorkshire · West Midlands · East Midlands · East of England · South West England · South East England · London

Steps:

1. Identify the four countries that make up the United Kingdom and label them on your map.
2. Why do you think it is important for geographers to divide the UK into different regions? Write one reason.
3. Name the capital city of the United Kingdom and mark its location on your drawing.
4. Draw a small symbol in the South West region to represent a famous physical feature found there (e.g., a

hill or a coastline).

5. Finn the dolphin is starting his journey in the North East. Describe one geographical feature he might see there.