

Year 6 Geography
Tuesday 1 July 2020

Lesson 3: An in-depth study: The UK

LO: To understand the relationship between country, region and county.

Activity 1:

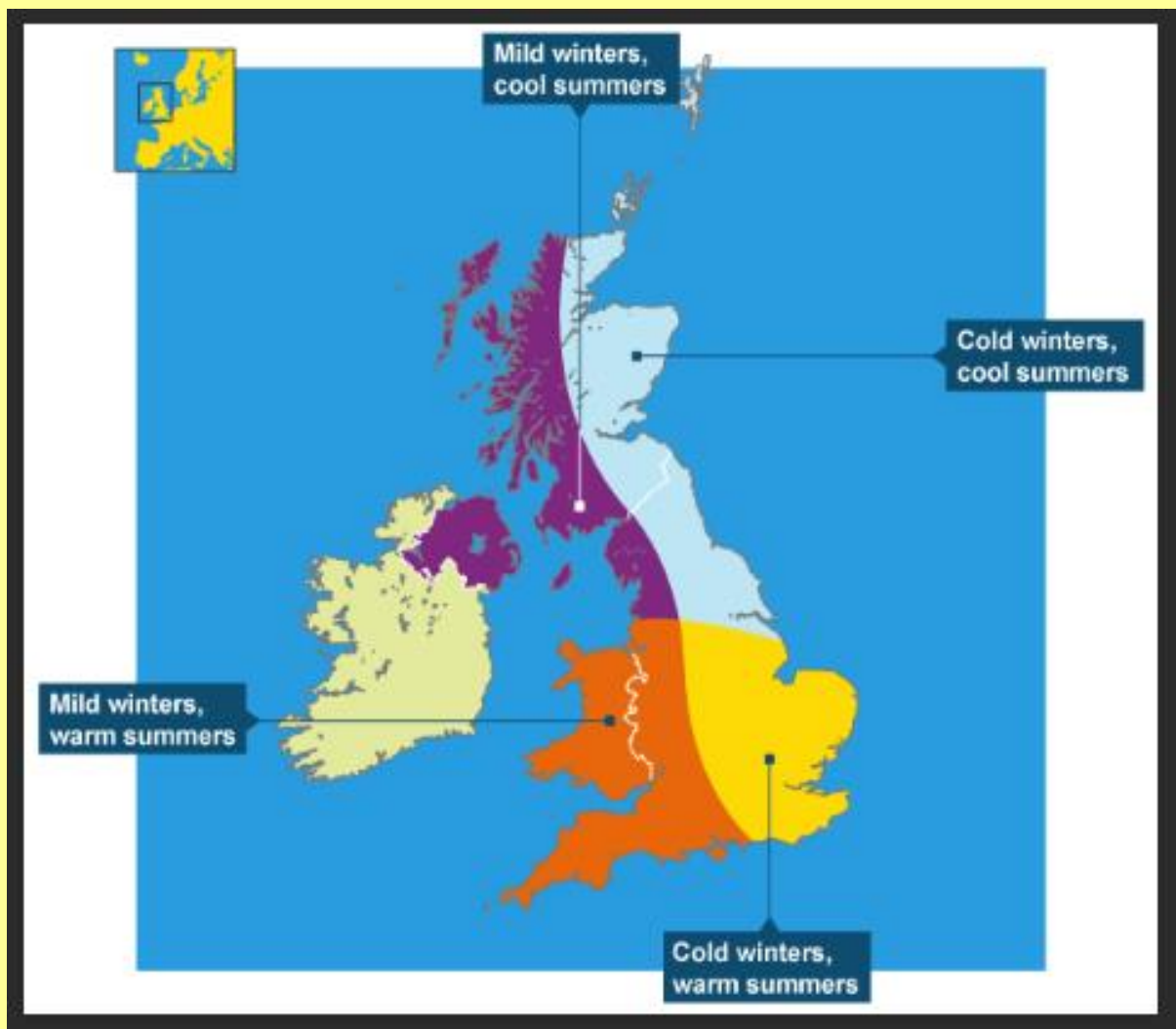
Review last lesson: What did we discuss?

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Let's look at the weather and in particular, the temperatures of the U.K.

The regions of the U.K. can experience quite different temperatures and amounts of rainfall. The region that you live in affects how you experience weather.

The map of England shows the general patterns of weather through the year. Make some general statements about the information such as 'more people go on holiday in the south as it is warmer'.



Activity 2: Read the information below:

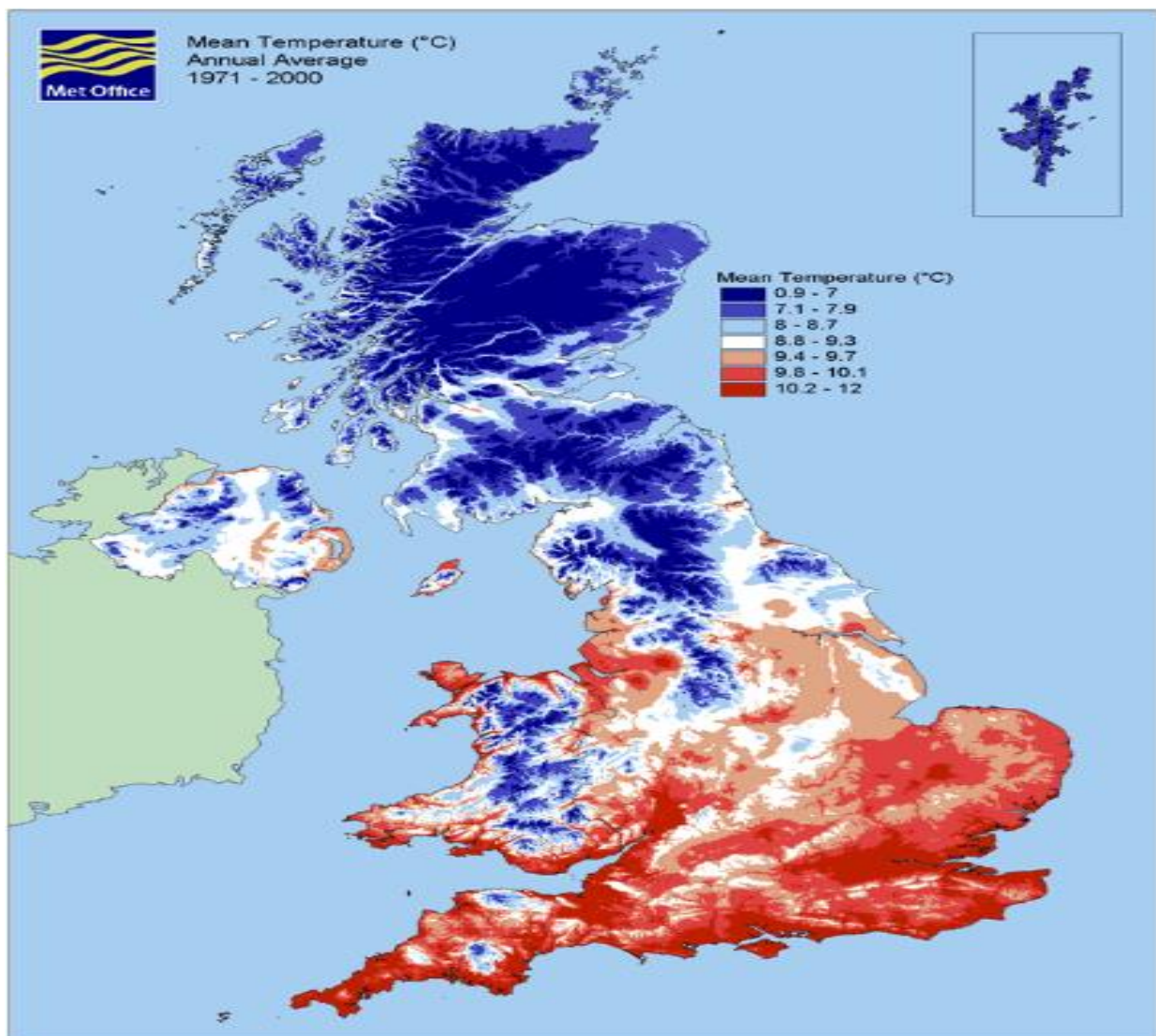
What can you see about the general patterns of weather across the UK?.

The climate of the UK

The UK has a **temperate climate**. In general, this means that Britain gets cool, wet winters and warm, wet summers. It rarely features the extremes of heat or cold, drought or wind that are common in other climates. The **weather** conditions are also very changeable.

Not all parts of the UK have the same climate. London, in the south-east of the UK, is a region characterised by a warm and dry climate in the summer and a cold and dry climate in the winter.

Cumbria, in the mountainous north-west of England, has generally cooler temperatures and more rainfall throughout the year.



Use the map and label the capital cities. Add a brief description of weather e.g. cold and rainy or warmer and drier.

