What Do You Know About Scotland?

Scotland's Landscape

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Understand where Scotland is on a map.

Learn the names of some key human and physical landmarks in Scotland

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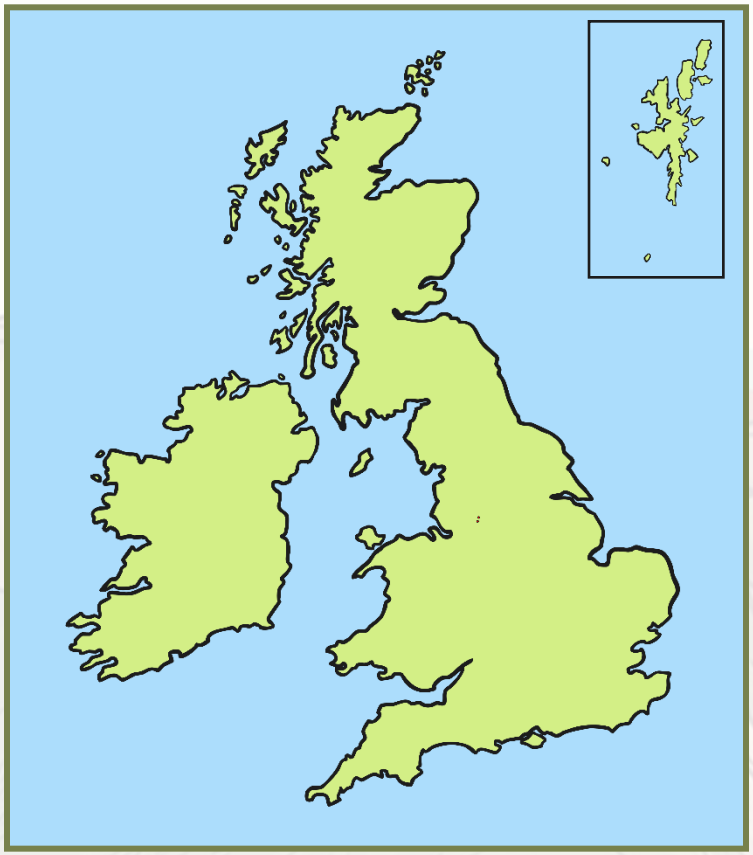
Where on the Map Is Scotland?



Can you mark Scotland on this map?

Were you correct?
Can you name the other countries in the UK?

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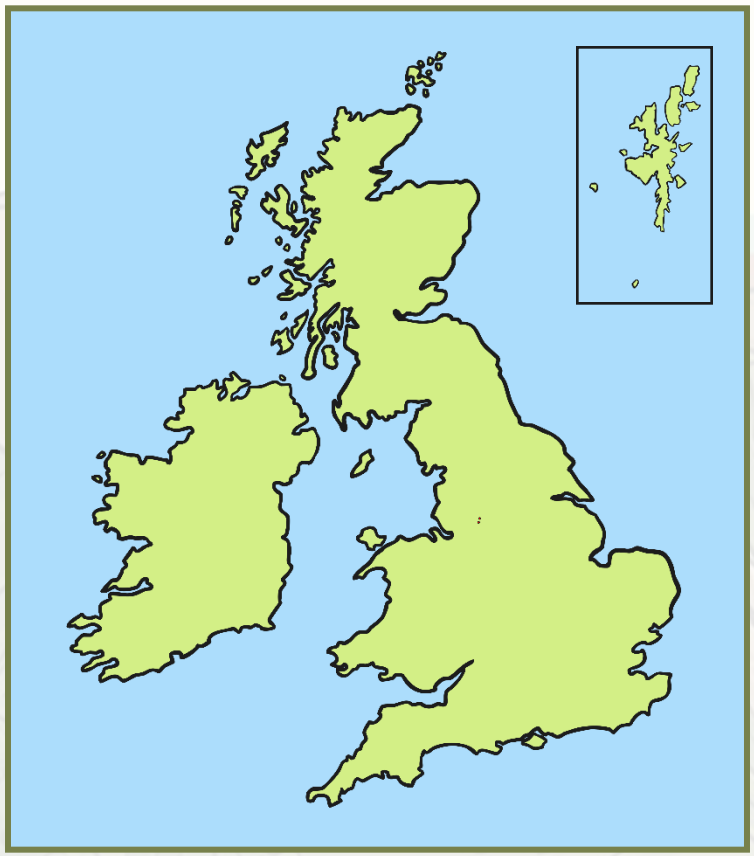
Scotland

Look at the compass; using the compass directions, can you say where in the UK Scotland is located?



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Scotland's Landscape

Scotland has highlands, lowlands, coastline, islands, rivers, mountains and lochs.

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Total Area	78,772 sq km (30,414 sq mi)
Highest mountain	Ben Nevis 1344m
Largest loch	Loch Lomond 56 sq km
Longest river	River Tay 193km
Islands	800 (130 inhabited)
Coastline	Approximately 10,000km with 3,900km mainland coast

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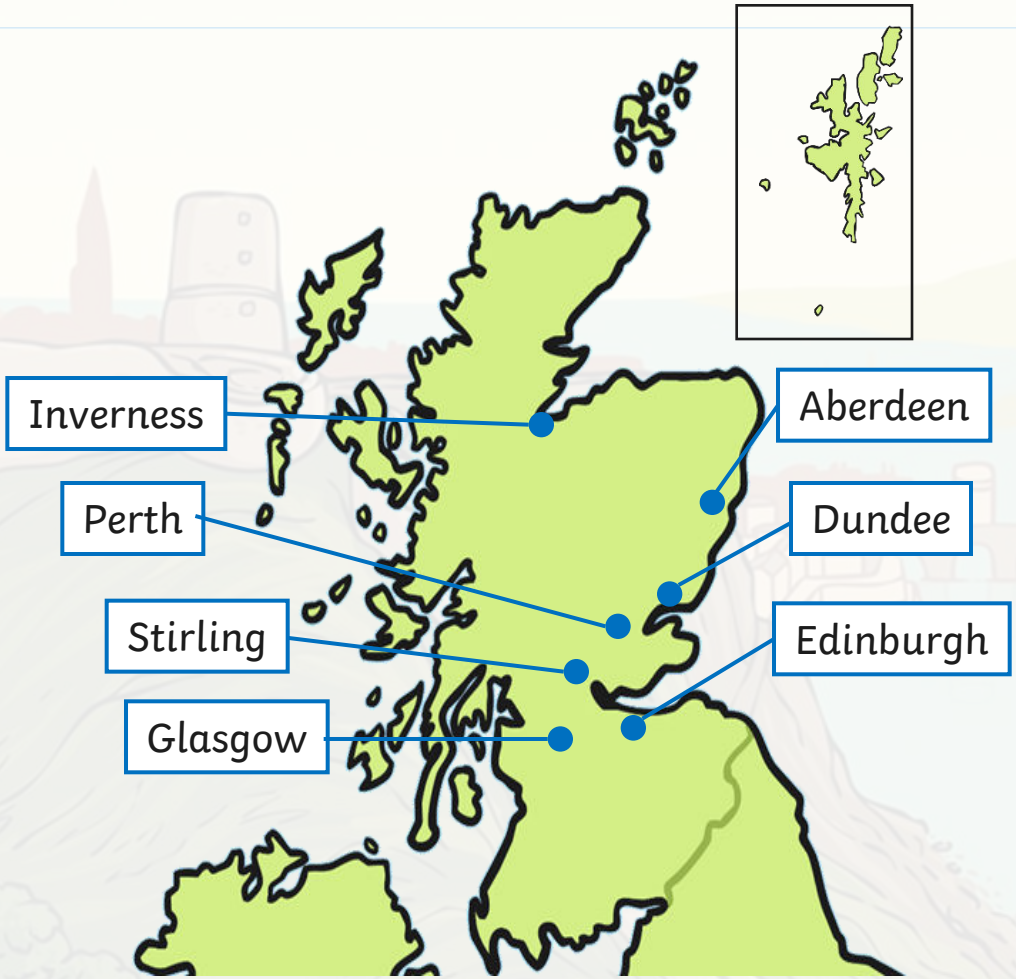
Scotland's Cities

These are Scotland's main cities.



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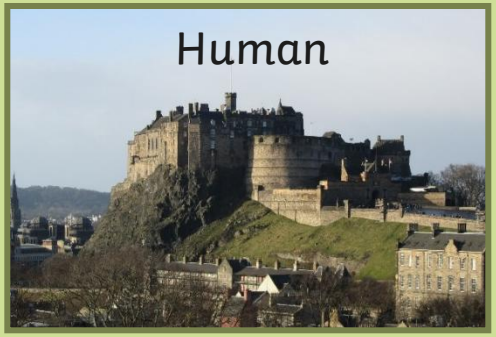
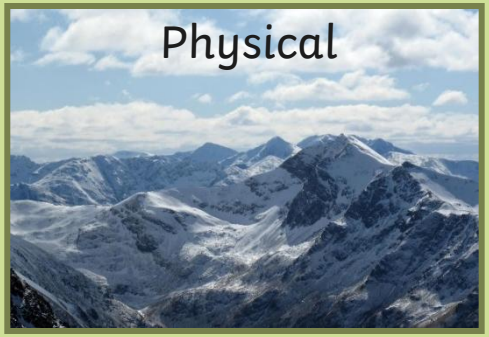
Scotland's Landmarks

These are all famous landmarks in Scotland. Are they human or physical?

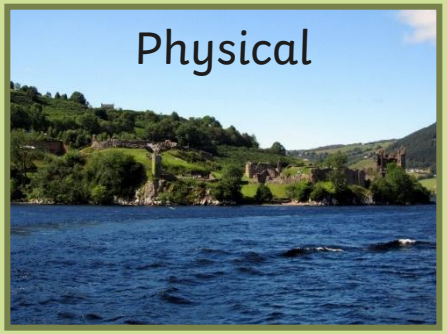


Edinburgh Castle
Historic fortress situated on Castle Rock.



Ben Nevis
Located within the Grampian Mountains. The tallest mountain in the British Isles.

Holyrood Palace
Official residence of the British monarch in Scotland.



Loch Ness
Huge, deep, freshwater loch in the Highlands.

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Scotland's Landmarks

Do you know any interesting facts about these landmarks?

River Tay
The longest river in Scotland.

Physical

Arthur's Seat
Main peak in a group of hills situated in the centre of Edinburgh.

National Wallace Monument
A tower in Stirling to commemorate Sir William Wallace, a 13th century Scottish hero.

Human

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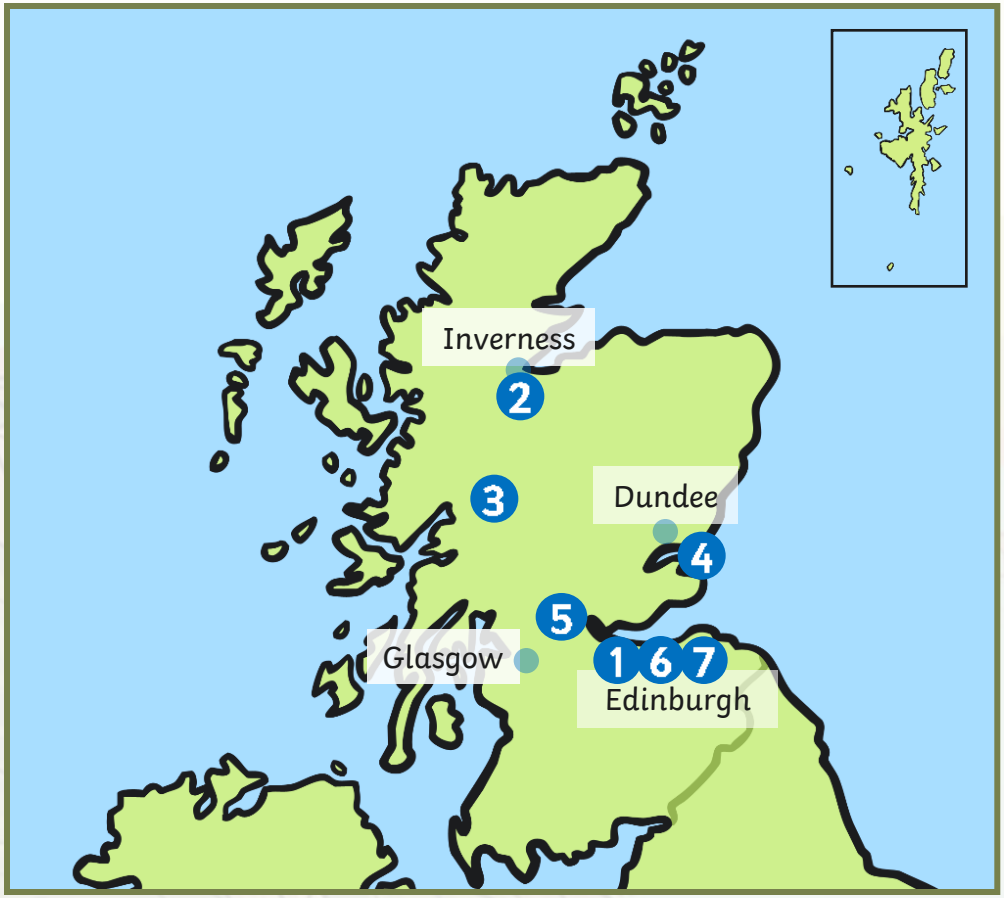
Scotland's Landmarks

Where on the map would you find these landmarks?

1. Edinburgh Castle
2. Loch Ness
3. Ben Nevis
4. River Tay
5. National Wallace Monument
6. Holyrood Palace
7. Arthur's Seat



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Activities

1. Choose a human feature to find out about and write some information about it.
2. Choose a physical feature to find out about and write some information about it.
3. How many Scottish cities can you mark on a map?

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