Subject Specific Vocabulary

Atlas	A collection of maps and information that shows geographical features, topography, boundaries, climatic, social and economic statistics of an area.
Landmark	A landmark feature easily seen and recognised from a distance.
Capital	A town or city where the government of the country are based.
State	A part of a large country that has its own government.
Native American	A member of one of the groups who were living in America before the Europeans arrived.
Indigenous	Occurring naturally or originating in a particular place.









Y3 - Countries in Europe include the United Kingdom, France, Spain, Germany, Italy and Belgium. Russia is part of both Europe and Asia. Y5 - Major cities around the world include London in the UK, New York in the USA, Shanghai in China, Istanbul in Turkey, Moscow in Russia, Manila in the Philippines, Lagos in Nigeria, Nairobi in Kenya, Baghdad in Iraq, Damascus in Syria and Mecca in Saudi

Sticky Knowledge

The North American continent includes the countries of the USA, Canada and Mexico and the Central American countries of Guatemala, Honduras, Nicaragua, Costa Rica and Panama. South America continent includes the Brazil, Argentina, Chile, Colombia, Peru, Venezuela, Uruguay, Ecuador, Bolivia and Paraguay. The USA is a country made up of 50 states. 48 states are joined together on the mainland.

New York is in the North East of the USA. It borders with Canada. Its capital is Albany.

New York City was the former capital of the USA. It has a rich culture and famous landmarks.

Times Square, Central Park and The Statue of Liberty are in New York City.

The capital of the USA is Washington DC

Native Americans are the indigenous people of the USA.

The Native American population declined when European explorers discovered the USA.

Now the USA government help to protect the rights, culture and traditions of Native Americans.

The Iroquois are a tribe of Native American people who have inhabited parts of the north for more than 4000 years.