

# The Home Nations

## Mr Sisson's Class Autumn Term

### Geography

Where have we travelled to

*What is it like in Stroud / England?*

What is it like to take a holiday in the UK?

*What is the Geography of England, Wales, Scotland,  
Northern Ireland and the Republic of Ireland?*

How are they the same? How are they different?

*How would we get to Wales, Scotland, Northern Ireland  
and the Republic of Ireland?*

Why should we visit Wales, Scotland, Northern Ireland  
or the Republic of Ireland?

### Science

**Light & Shadow**

*Finding out about light sources, the Sun,  
reflections, darkness, transparency &  
shadows.*

**Sound**

*Finding out about vibrations & how sound  
travels. Investigating how different musical  
instruments work & how the sound can be  
changed.*

### DT

**Musical Instruments** - linked to Science & Geography

### Art

*Investigating colours & mixing shades.  
Researching & creating "Op Art," using optical  
illusions & highly contrasting colours.*

### ICT

*Programming - Algorithms, Nested Loops, While Loops,  
Conditionals and Events  
Controlling a screen turtle*

### PSHCE

**New Beginnings** - Making good impressions  
& valuing others for their abilities  
**Anti-Bullying & Equality**  
**Counting Sleep**

### French

*An introduction to the French language:  
Asking and answering basic questions*

### PE

*Invasion Games & Yoga*

### Music

**Let Your Spirit Fly - Context of Musical Styles**  
**Learning The Language of Music - Glockenspiel**

### RE

*What kind of world did Jesus want?  
How do festivals and worship show what  
matters to Muslims?*

**Reading Homework in Monday & Thursday**  
**Literacy in Tuesday, Numeracy in Wednesday**

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**Great Britain Homework Project coming up after half-term**