**Geography Focus**

**The United Kingdom**

Use old newspapers and magazines to recreate a **collage** of a map of the United Kingdom.

Use an atlas to help you.

Understand the **terrain** and **physical features** of key areas and select colours and textures that reflect this e.g.

• greys for urban areas

• greens for rural areas

• blue for rivers and lakes

• graduated colours to white for mountains

• yellows for coastal areas/beaches.

Use small, thumbnail-sized pieces of paper and layer them together to create your own UK collage.

**VOCABULARY**

**Terrain – this is the landscape and what it looks like**

**Physical features – these are natural features on the land, like mountains, rivers or deserts for example**

**Collage – this is a picture using different materials with different textures**

**Urban – this means the towns and the cities**

**Rural – this means the countryside**

**Graduated – this means different shades of colour, darker to lighter for example. (You could make the colours darker at the bottom of the mountain, with lighter colours at the top.)**

**There is a map on the next page to help you get started.**

**Perhaps find out the capital cities of each of the countries that make up the United Kingdom.**

