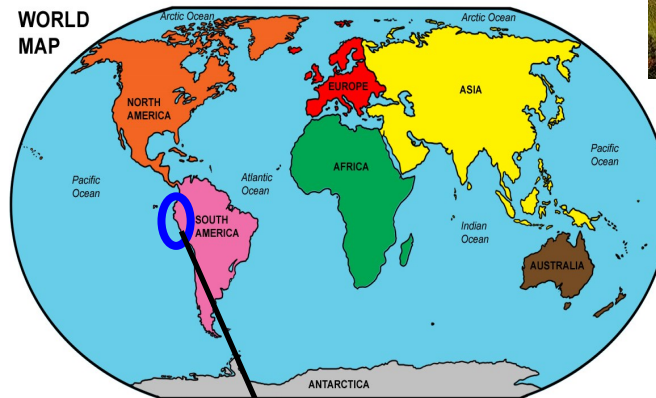


Geography Knowledge Organiser Under the Microscope Year 2

Our learning

In our geography lessons this term we are learning to **compare** two **places** (Cusco in Peru and Eastbourne in England). We will learn about the differences and similarities of the two places (**environment**) by describing their physical (natural) and human (created by people) features.



Coast

Mountains
(Andes Range)



Rainforest
(The Amazon)

Information

Peru is in South America. Cusco is a city in Peru.

Peru has mountains, coasts and rainforest. Cusco is a mountainous area.

Peru is near the equator which makes the climate tropical (hot and wet).

Cusco is famous for its ancient buildings.

The United Kingdom is in Europe. England is one of four countries that make up the United Kingdom.

The United Kingdom has coasts, woodland and hillsides.

Eastbourne is a coastal town in England and is famous for being a popular seaside resort.

The United Kingdom's climate is temperate which means it has four clear seasons.

Vocabulary

Forest - A large area of land that is covered in trees

Rainforest - A forest in a hot climate which has lots of rain.

Vegetation - The plant life of an area

Mountain - A raised area of ground

Coast - Where the land meets the sea

Globe - Shows Earth as it looks when seen from outer space

Atlas - A book that shows different maps

Global - The whole world

National - About a country