Geography Knowledge Organiser We'll Meet Again

Year 5

Our learning

In our geography lessons this term we will learn why geographical features were important in World War II.

We will discover the location of the main countries in the war and think about the distance between them.

We will learn how the environment of Britain and Germany affected the war.



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Physical map of Switzerland

Europe in World War II

Information

Europe was a very important continent in World War II and is where Britain and Germany are found.

Britain is an island which means it is surrounded by water.

Germany is a part of mainland Europe and is surrounded by other countries.

Switzerland is in a very mountainous area and has a mountain range called The Alps.

The **English Channel** is in between England and France.

Other countries in the war included Japan and the United States of America.



Vocabulary

Europe - A continent in the **Northern hemisphere** that includes Britain and Germany

Topography - Topography is the **physical features** on an area of land e.g. a mountain

Landlocked - A country or region almost completely surrounded by land.





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