



Year Group: Years 5 and 6 (KS2)    Date: Monday 20<sup>th</sup> April 2020

Subject: Geography - Russia

LO: I can name and locate some of Russia's main cities and compare them to the U.K



Prior learning: Can you name the seven world continents and five oceans?

### Key Facts:

- Russia is the world's largest country
- The capital city of Russia is Moscow.
- Russia spans across two continents : Asia and Europe
- There are more than 170 different ethnic groups in Russia.
- Russia consists of a variety of landscapes, including: the **tundra, taiga, steppe** and a landscape like a desert.

### Vocabulary Check:

*population* - all the inhabitants of a particular place.

*densely populated* - a larger than average number of people for a given unit of space.

*urban* - a human settlement with high population density and arrangement of built up environment.

### New learning:

The following link might be useful to help you learn some of the main countries of

Russia: <https://digimap.edina.ac.uk/>

### Activity 1:

Home Learning Platform: Sheet: Comparing Population - Russia V United Kingdom.

Record the activity on Purple Mash - Geography Lesson 1.