



Geography Knowledge Organiser

Year 6: Spring Term

Global Citizen

Key Knowledge and Skills

Key Vocabulary



WHY DO PEOPLE MIGRATE



Avoiding **plastic waste** in everyday life and in trade benefits the world and cuts pollution. We all have our part to play in avoiding this type of pollution as a global citizen. **Trade** is the buying and selling of goods (and services) between different countries around the world. Goods that are brought into a country are called **imports** and those that are sold to another country are called **exports**.

Approximate time taken for items to decompose.

Teabag	1 Month
Banana Peel	6 weeks
Apple core	2 months
Woollen sock	1 year
Plastic bag	20 years
Magazines	50 years
Plastic bottle	450 years
Mobile phone	1000 years

Key Vocabulary

trade	Buying and selling goods and services.
import	Goods or services purchased from one country and brought into the UK.
export	Goods or services made in the UK and sold to another country.
goods	Items that can be bought and sold. Sometimes they are called products.
global	Around the world.
fair trade	A way of buying goods designed to make sure that the producers of these goods in developing countries are paid a fair and stable price for the goods that we buy from them.
globalisation	The spread of trade and ideas worldwide.
global supply chain	The different places a product and its parts come from, and travel to, on its way to the consumer (the person who is buying the product).
multinational	Something that operates in more than one country. A multinational business is based in more than one country.
economy	The word used to explain how money is made and spent in a particular area. This could be within a country or across the world.

What Does the UK Trade?

The UK **trades** a lot of **goods** and services.

Some of the **goods** the UK **exports** are:

scrap iron, whisky, tartan kilts, medicines, aircraft parts, cars, computers, oil and gas.

Some of the **goods** the UK **imports** are:

coffee beans, bananas, medicines, aircraft parts, cars, computers, oil and gas.