

Tall Tales: A Giant Study of the UK

Vocabulary Guide

	Word	Definition
	attraction	A place which draws visitors by providing something of interest or pleasure.
	city	An area in which a large number of people live close together.
	compass	A device having a magnetic needle that shows direction on the earth's surface by pointing to the north.
	country	An area of land that has its own government.
	county	A division of a country.
	fairy tale	A children's story about magical and imaginary beings and lands.
	grid reference	A series of vertical and horizontal lines, identified by numbers or letters, showing a location.
	hill	A naturally raised area of land, not as high or craggy as a mountain.

	<p>human features</p>	<p>A man-made landmark or anything that is built by humans.</p>																																				
	<p>legend</p>	<p>Stories, not always true, that people tell about a famous event or person.</p>																																				
	<p>leisure</p>	<p>Use of free time for enjoyment.</p>																																				
	<p>mountain</p>	<p>A raised part of the earth's surface, much larger than a hill, which might have snow at the top.</p>																																				
	<p>myth</p>	<p>A story often describing the adventures of beings with more than human powers that attempts to explain mysterious events or religious belief.</p>																																				
	<p>physical features</p>	<p>A natural feature on the surface, such as water, mountains, and deserts.</p>																																				
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	<p>tourism</p>	<p>People travelling for fun.</p>																																				
	<p>United Kingdom</p>	<p>The United Kingdom (commonly abbreviated UK) is a country that includes England, Scotland, Wales and Northern Ireland.</p>																																				