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|  | **Vocabulary** |
| aerial view | a view from above |
| city | a city is a very large town. Manchester is a **city**. |
| factory | where goods are made in large quantities |
| farm | an area of land used to produce crops or to breed animals and livestock. |
| hill | a naturally raised area of land, which is not as high as a mountain. |
| house | a building designed for people to live in. |
| human geography | features of land that have been impacted by human activity |
| map | a drawing of a particular area such as a city, a country or a continent |
| market | a place where people gather to buy and sell goods |
| office | a building of rooms where business and work is carried out by **office** workers. |
| physical geography | natural features of land |
| river | a large, natural stream of fresh water that flows into the sea or a lake. |
| shop | a building in which goods are sold. For example, supermarkets, clothes shops and toy shops. |
| town | a large group of **houses**, **shops** and buildings where people live and work. **Towns** are larger than **villages** but smaller than cities. Alderley Edge is a **village**. |
| train station | a place on a railway line where trains stop for people to get on and off trains. |
| village | a small group of **houses**, perhaps with a few shops, that are often in the countryside. |

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|  | **What should I already know?** |
|  | The **village** I live in is called Alderley Edge. |
|  | Alderley Edge is in England. |
|  | Alderley Edge is near Manchester. |

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|  | **Information about Alderley Edge and Manchester** |
|  | Alderley Edge is a **town**. |
|  | It is near Manchester which is a **city**. |
|  | Manchester is larger than Alderley Edge and has more **shops**, **offices** and **houses**. |
|  | There are also **factories** in Manchester. |
|  | Alderley Edge has a site of special interest – The Edge. |
|  | There is a **train station** in Alderley Edge |
|  | There are many **farms** around Alderley Edge |

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| **Geographical Skills** |
| * Use aerial photographs to compare Alderley Edge, Manchester and London. What is the same? What is different? * Use a **map** to find Manchester, London and Alderley Edge. * Contact pupils in schools in London. What questions do you want to ask them? What can you tell them about Alderley Edge? |

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Manchester

Cheshire

London

**Where is Alderley Edge and London?**

Alderley Edge

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|  | **HUMAN FEATURES** | **PHYSICAL FEATURES** |
| **ALDERLEY EDGE** | C:\Users\headteacher\AppData\Local\Microsoft\Windows\INetCache\Content.MSO\B1D17F5C.tmpSome shops and offices    Some houses  Some farms  A train station | The Edge at Alderley Edge  **Tourists** visit the Edge    Woodland |
| **LONDON** | Many **houses**, **shops, offices,** apartments and roads    Many **skyscrapers**          Five **airports**  Over 200 **train stations**  Famous buildings such as Big Ben, the London  Eye, the Houses of Parliament, Buckingham Palace, Tower Bridge. This means that there are lots of **tourists.**  Some **ports** | **River** Thames    Some **hills** and **vegetation** |

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| **Physical Geographical Features** |
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| **Human Geographical Features** |
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