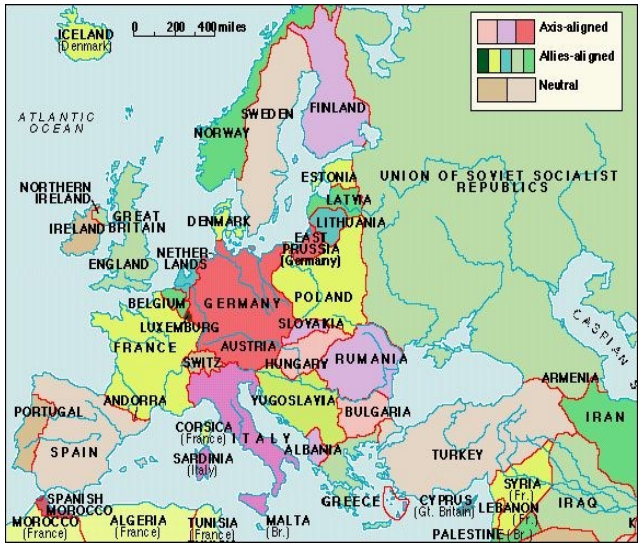
Geography Knowledge Organiser — We'll Meet Again — Year 5

Our learning

In our geography lessons this term we will be learning about geographical features that influenced World War II. We will discover the **location** of key countries involved in the war. We will think about the **distance** between countries and their position in the World. We will discover how Britain being an island affected the war and how the **environment** of a country affected their role in the War.



Physical map of Switzerland



Europe in World War 2

Information

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

Britain is an island whereas 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 separates France from England

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

The D-Day landings took place in Normandy, France.



Vocabulary

Europe - A continent in the Northern hemisphere that includes Britain, Germany, France and Italy,

Topography - Topography is a detailed map of the surface features of land. It can include natural and man made features.

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

Border- A border is a real or artificial line that separates geographic areas .They can separate countries, regions , towns