


Year 2 - What are the similarities and differences between Liverpool/Grasmere and Nairobi/Meru County in Kenya?

## Key Vocabulary

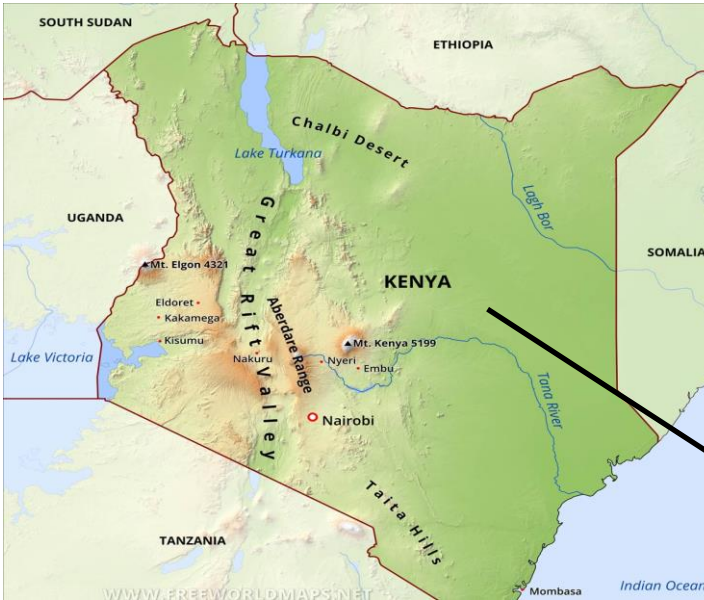
Soil	The surface of the area that helps plants to grow.
Forest	A place covered by trees at least 5 metres high.
Valley	A valley is a long depression, or ditch, in Earth's surface. It usually lies between ranges of hills or mountains.
Vegetation	Plants growing in the land.
Coast	The area where the sea and land meet.
Savannah	Flat grasslands with scattered trees and shrubs, usually found near to the equator.
Mountain	Land made from rocks and earth that rises high above the ground. A mountain is higher than 600 metres.
Grasslands	Wide open spaces covered by grasses.
Agriculture	The growing of crops or raising of animals on a farm.
Trade	The buying and selling of things.
Beach	A gently sloping strip of land at the edge of an ocean, lake, or river. It can be made from sand, pebbles or rocks.
Farmland	A piece of land used to grow crops and/or raise animals.
hills	Land that rises above the ground but less than 600 metres.

Lots of the food we buy in shops like ASDA comes from Kenya.

Lots of our food is grown on farms in Kenya.



The images show a Kenyan Medical Centre logo, a field of green bananas, and a bag of fresh green beans, all representing food products from Kenya.



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