

Monday 11th January 2021.

LO: I understand where the UK fits in with Food production.



So last week we took a trip down memory lane and checked if we knew where the UK was within the world we live in, within Europe and within the UK.

We also looked at where we actually lived in the UK and identified a number of places on the map.

I asked you what was important about these places?

I was looking for you to make the connection between where these places were and what the importance of them was in respect of trade.

What were they?



Did you make the connection to the water?

They are all ports in the UK which deal with many of our imports and exports.

WHAT IS TRADE?



Task.

Can you write down a definition of trade and then write two more definitions. One for the process of exports (what are they?) and imports?

What is the difference between the two?

So we now know what is meant by the terms trade, exports and imports.

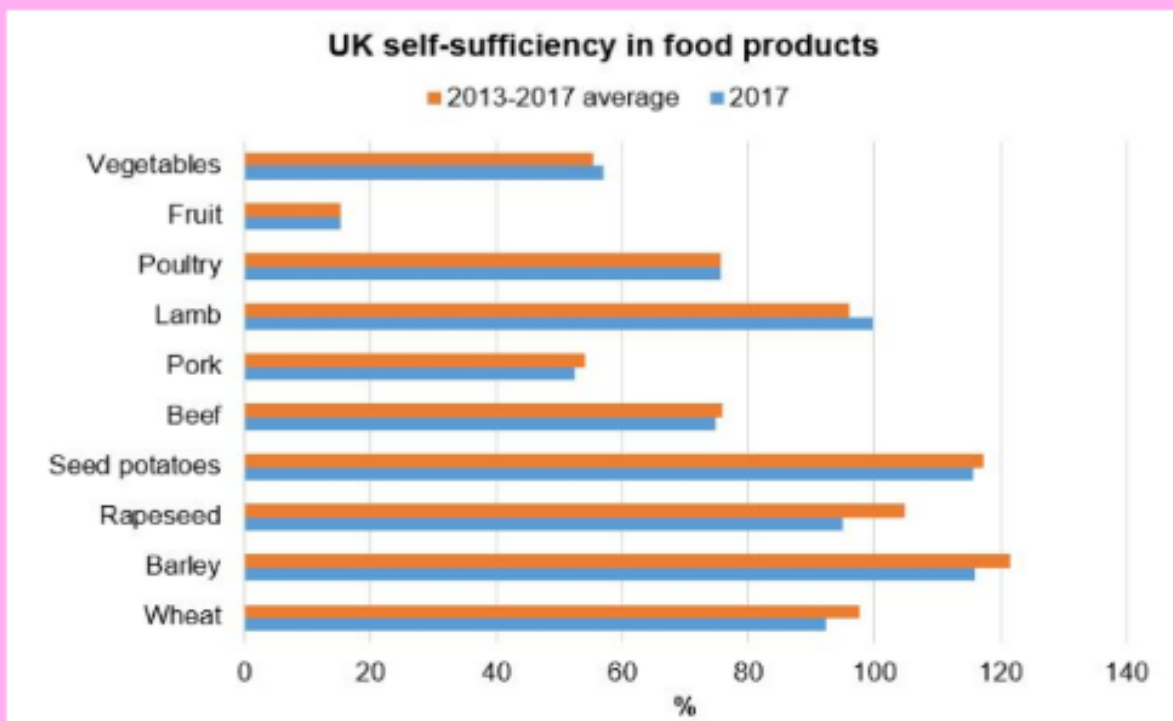
Can you tell me what sort of things we import into the country and what we export?

EXPORTS

IMPORTS

We are going to focus on food today and where it comes from or goes.

So what are we self sufficient in, in the UK?



So, where do we get most of our food from in the UK?

Investigate the following website,



nb: I know that the food production site is GCSE but the map for spread of farming is good as is the definitions of the types of farming but don't go into such great detail as found here.

TASK

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- 1. Using the map opposite, can you annotate, with a key, where most of a specific type of farming occurs ie; where are most of the sheep farms found (in general).*
- 2. Write a brief description of each type of farming.*
- 3. If a particular farming method can be found in a particular place, thinking about the makeup of the UK, why are these farms situated there. Think weather, land type, ect.*

Example - All of the Fruit farms are situated in North Scotland because the soil type is ideal and the weather, with all of the sun allows the fruit to ripen quickly.

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