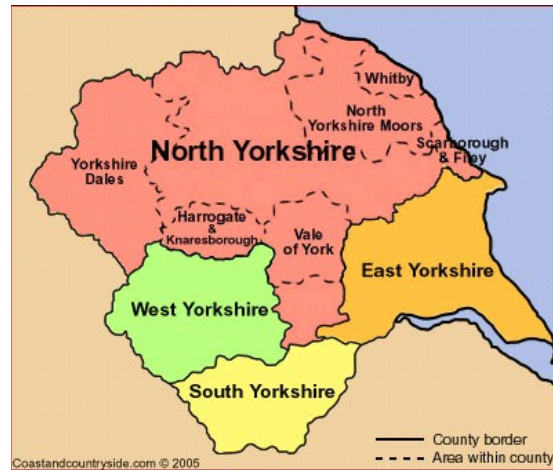


The Yorkshire region

Yorkshire is the largest region of Great Britain. It is situated in the north of England. Because of its great size, it is divided into 5 counties: North Yorkshire, West Yorkshire, South Yorkshire and East Yorkshire.



The Yorkshire region is known for its large industrial areas (around the cities of Sheffield and Leeds) and rural areas (the North Yorkshire moors, the spectacular coastline) and its historical heritage (York, Lincoln). Our school is in Doncaster, in South Yorkshire. It is a large town near Sheffield. It has a strong industrial heritage as it used to produce large quantities of coal used in the steel industry in Sheffield or in the textile industry in Leeds.

There is a long tradition of popular music in Yorkshire. Every village used to have its brass band and some are still popular today. However, young people generally prefer pop or rock music and many influential bands have come from our region. In this project we will introduce you to some of the best bands from the last 25 years.