

GEOGRAPHY SUBJECT OVERVIEW

Progression of Skills

Geography One Page Summary

Geography Coverage

	AUTUMN 1	AUTUMN 2	SPRING 1	SPRING 2	SUMMER 1	SUMMER 2
NURSERY	Weather and seasons	Weather and seasons Autumn	Weather and seasons	Weather and seasons Spring	Weather and seasons	Weather and seasons Know that there are different countries in the world and talk about the differences they have experienced or seen in photos.
RECEPTION	The Little Red Hen – looking at a simple map	Signs of Autumn	The Three Little Pigs – our houses and houses around the world Signs of winter	We're Going on a Bear Hunt– creating simple maps	Signs of Spring	The Very Hungry Caterpillar – mini-beasts from other countries Signs of Summer
YEAR 1	Weather patterns Geography of school & grounds, physical and human features of surroundings Ariel map work classroom, bedroom, items. Year 1 Geography Knowledge.docx		UK – 4 countries and capitals Continents Maps + simple symbols found in a key Year 1 Geography Knowledge.docx		Weather patterns Our world 7 continents 5 oceans Year 1 Geography Knowledge.docx	
YEAR 2	Aerial photos, compass points, Devise a simple map Fieldwork Ongoing: Seasonal and daily weather patterns Ongoing: Adding mentioned locations to class world map	Human and Physical features on maps Directional and locational language to describe features and routes Seasonal and daily weather patterns Adding mentioned locations to class world map Ongoing: Seasonal and daily weather patterns Ongoing: Adding mentioned locations to class world map.	Hot and cold areas of the world – different climates Seasonal and daily weather patterns 7 continents Human and Physical features Ongoing: Seasonal and daily weather patterns Ongoing: Adding mentioned locations to class world map.	Adding mentioned locations to class world map 7 continents Human and Physical features (linked to significant places in the lives of Florence Nightingale and Mary Seacole)	Understand geographical sims and diffs through studying human and physical features of a small area of UK and other (rainforest to SwinleyForest) FOCUS ON RAINFOREST vs SWINLEY FOREST Ongoing: Seasonal and daily weather patterns Ongoing: Adding mentioned locations to class world map	Field work Seasonal and daily weather patterns Adding mentioned locations to class world map
YEAR 3	- Locate the world's countries using maps to focus on Europe concentrating on environmental regions, key physical and human characteristics, countries & major cities - Use maps, atlases, globes and digital computer mapping to locate countries and describe features studied		- Identify positions of equator, Northern/southern hemisphere, Arctic and Antarctic Circle, - Describe and understand key aspects of human geography, types of settlement, land use, economic activity, trade etc		- Use, four figure grid references, symbols and key (including the use of Ordnance Survey maps) to build their knowledge of the United Kingdom and the wider world - Name and locate counties & cities of the UK, geographical regions and their identifying human & physical characteristics, key	

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YEAR 4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Understand geographical similarities and differences through the study of human and physical geography of a region of the UK and a region of a European country (Italy) Locate countries, focus on Europe, including Russia. 	Physical geography – including climate zones, biomes, time zones, longitude and latitude	Physical geography - mountains, volcanoes, rivers, water cycle Longitude, latitude, hemispheres and time zones
YEAR 5	Use maps, atlases, globes and digital computer mapping to locate countries and describe features studied	Understand geographical similarities and differences through the study of human and physical geography of a region of the United Kingdom, a region in a European country, and a region within North or South America	Compass points, latitude, longitude, equator, tropics, hemispheres, human geography 8 points of a compass Renewable energy sources are better for the environment than non-renewable resources as their impact on the planet is lesser Describe and understand key aspects of human geography, including: types of settlement and land use, economic activity including trade links, and the distribution of natural resources including energy, food, minerals and water
YEAR 6	Describe and understand key aspects of human geography, including: economic activity including trade links and the distribution of natural resources including energy, food, minerals and water.	Key aspects of human geography (land use & settlements), name & locate geographical regions	The impacts of climate change including rising temperatures, melting ice caps and increases in other weather phenomena such as fires and droughts.