Our Geography Curriculum - A journey across land and sea

At St John's we follow a 'knowledge-engaged' curriculum; that means that we teach knowledge and skills together. Our Geography curriculum covers the full entitlement of the National Curriculum and is enriched with field trips and activities enabling children to experience the joy of practical geography. We aim for a 50:50 split of skills: knowledge in Geography and assess children accordingly with tasks that check the knowledge they have learnt, skills they are able to apply and geographical processes they understand and can explain. Our Geography curriculum is relevant to our children; it is rooted in our curriculum cornerstones. Our City Living cornerstone is addressed through our thorough study of local areas (town and city) alongside our 'pledges' to take all children to the woodland, coast and countryside in their time at St John's. We teach Geography thematically in text-led units that enable children to apply language across subjects and make meaningful links to build cultural capital, addressing our Communication, Language & Literacy cornerstone.

We are in the process of mapping out our Geography curriculum, using the KLIPS documents to ensure progression of skills across key stages. Geography will not always be studied each half term. Once this document is complete, it will clearly show which national curriculum objectives are covered in each thematic topic and how the learning links with other subjects. We will share the completed intention/mapping document again here.

National Curriculum Purpose of study

A high-quality geography education should inspire in pupils a curiosity and fascination about the world and its people that will remain with them for the rest of their lives. Teaching should equip pupils with knowledge about diverse places, people, resources and natural and human environments, together with a deep understanding of the Earth's key physical and human processes. As pupils progress, their growing knowledge about the world should help them to deepen their understanding of the interaction between physical and human processes, and of the formation and use of landscapes and environments. Geographical knowledge, understanding and skills provide the frameworks and approaches that explain how the Earth's features at different scales are shaped, interconnected and change over time.

Aims

The national curriculum for geography aims to ensure that all pupils:

- develop contextual knowledge of the location of globally significant places both terrestrial and marine including their defining physical and human characteristics and how these provide a geographical context for understanding the actions of processes
- understand the processes that give rise to key physical and human geographical features of the world, how these are interdependent and how they bring about spatial variation and change over time
- are competent in the geographical skills needed to:
 - collect, analyse and communicate with a range of data gathered through experiences of fieldwork that deepen their understanding of geographical processes
 - interpret a range of sources of geographical information, including maps, diagrams, globes, aerial photographs and Geographical Information Systems (GIS)
 - communicate geographical information in a variety of ways, including through maps, numerical and quantitative skills and writing at length.

Attainment targets

By the end of each key stage, pupils are expected to know, apply and understand the matters, skills and processes specified in the relevant program of study.

Subject content Key stage 1

Pupils should develop knowledge about the world, the United Kingdom and their locality. They should understand basic subject-specific vocabulary relating to human and physical geography and begin to use geographical skills, including first-hand observation, to enhance their locational awareness.

Pupils should be taught to:

Locational knowledge

- name and locate the world's seven continents and five oceans
- name, locate and identify characteristics of the four countries and capital cities of the United Kingdom and its surrounding seas

Place knowledge

 understand geographical similarities and differences through studying the human and physical geography of a small area of the United Kingdom, and of a small area in a contrasting non-European country

Human and physical geography

- identify seasonal and daily weather patterns in the United Kingdom and the location of hot and cold areas of the world in relation to the Equator and the North and South Poles
- use basic geographical vocabulary to refer to:
 - key physical features, including: beach, cliff, coast, forest, hill, mountain, sea, ocean, river, soil, valley, vegetation, season and weather
 - key human features, including: city, town, village, factory, farm, house, office, port, harbour and shop

Geographical skills and fieldwork

- use world maps, atlases and globes to identify the United Kingdom and its countries, as well as the countries, continents and oceans studied at this key stage
- use simple compass directions (North, South, East and West) and locational and directional language [for example, near and far; left and right], to describe the location of features and routes on a map
- use aerial photographs and plan perspectives to recognise landmarks and basic human and physical features; devise a simple map; and use and construct basic symbols in a key
- use simple fieldwork and observational skills to study the geography of their school and its grounds and the key human and physical features of its surrounding environment.

YEAR 1: Geography

AUTUMN 1	NC: Locational Knowledge	NC: Place Knowledge	NC: Human & Physical Geography	NC: Geographical Skills & Fieldwork
Lost & Found Lost and Found	Name and locate: - 7 continents	Study human and physical geography of small area of UK. Study human and physical geography of a small area of a contrasting non-European country. Understand similarities and differences between places.	Identify seasonal and daily weather patterns in UK. Locate hot and cold areas in world in relation to Equator and Poles. Physical features: - Beach, cliff, coast, sea, ocean Forest, hill, mountain, soil, river, valley, vegetation Season, weather. Human features: city, town, village, factory, farm, house, office, port, harbour, shop.	Use maps, atlases and globes. Use simple compass directions and locational and directional language. Use photos and aerial perspectives to recognise landmarks, human features and physical features. Devise a simple map with basic symbols and a key. Use fieldwork and observational skills to study the school and its grounds. Use fieldwork and observational skills to study human and physical features of the environment surrounding
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	Know that maps give information about places in the world (where/what?). VOCABULARY		 Recognise differences between their own and others' lives. Use simple compass directions 			
AUTUMN 2	snow journey co NC: Locational Knowledge	NC: Place Knowledge	NC: Human & Physical Geography	NC: Geographical Skills & Fieldwork		
The Great Fire of London GREAT FIRE LONDON	Name, locate and identify features of: - 4 countries and capital cities of UK	Study human and physical geography of small area of UK. Understand similarities and differences between places.	N/A	Use maps, atlases and globes. Use photos and aerial perspectives to recognise landmarks, human features and physical features.		
	on England and the landmarks in Londo	dren will learn about the four countries in the UK, with a particular focus and and the capital city of London. They will learn the names of key rks in London, thinking about their features and size. These buildings will tified on aerial maps.				
	 KNOWLEDGE Know the four countries and capital cities of the UK. Know landmarks within London. Know the size and shape of different landmarks. 		SKILLS Use vocabulary such as bigger/taller, near/far. Investigate through observation and description. Recognise landmarks and basic human features on aerial photos. Use simple electronic globes/maps.			
	VOCABULARY building narrow landmark		utumn London Bungalow capital city			
SPRING 1	Locational Knowledge	Place Knowledge	Human & Physical Geography	Geographical Skills & Fieldwork		
Toys in Space Toys Nove in Space Mini Grey	N/A	N/A	Identify seasonal and daily weather patterns in UK Physical features: - beach, cliff, coast, sea, ocean - forest, hill, mountain, soil, river, valley, vegetation - season, weather Human features: city, town, village, factory, farm, house, office, port, harbour, shop	Use simple compass directions and locational and directional language. Use photos and aerial perspectives to recognise landmarks, human features and physical features.		

Let's imagine we are going on a space adventure! As our spaceship rises above the school grounds what would we be able to see? Look at maps of the local environment and use large scale maps and aerial photos of the local environment. The children will learn the difference between human and physical features. Identify the physical and human features in the local environment.

We will explore Winter and imagine some major landmarks in the area are covered in snow. We will record videos of the school in winter and compare to the videos we took in Autumn.

KNOWLEDGE

- Know what the physical features are for example, know what a mountain is,
- Know what the human features are for example, know what a city
- Know that maps give information about places in the world (where/what?).
- Know which direction is South on an OS map.
- Know the differences between winter and autumn.

SKILLS

- Use simple fieldwork techniques such as observation and identification to study the geography of the school and its grounds as well as the key human and physical features of its surrounding environment.
- Recognise landmarks and basic human features on aerial photos.
- Use large scale maps and aerial photos of the school and local area.
- Use the zoom facility of digital maps and understand that zooming in/out means more/less detail can be seen.
- Use cameras and audio equipment to record geographical features, changes, differences e.g. weather, seasons, vegetation, buildings etc.

VOCABULARY

transport Seasons-Winter near far junction aerial view above

SPRING 2	Locational Knowledge	Place Knowledge	Human & Physical Geography	Geographical Skills & Fieldwork
Meerkat Mail Alexis Deacon BEEGU	Name and locate: - 7 continents	Understand similarities and differences between places.	Identify seasonal and daily weather patterns in UK. Locate hot and cold areas in world in relation to Equator and Poles.	Use maps, atlases and globes. Use simple compass directions and locational and directional language. Use fieldwork and observational skills to study the school and its
				grounds.
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We will follow our Meerkat friend Sunny on his travels to visit his relatives. We will recap learning about the seven continents from Autumn 1, with a particular focus on Africa. We will compare Africa to Antarctica. We will also discuss the weather as Sunny experiences the different weather conditions in the different locations.

We will look at the map that Sunny uses to plan his journey to his relative's homes. Sunny will invite us to follow him on a journey to visit some of his animal friends! We will follow a map of the school and visit Sunny's friends on the way,

creating labels and symbols for a range of places both in and outside the classroom.

KNOWLEDGE

- Know when to use the different locational and directional language.
- Know the seven continents.
- Know the differences between Africa and Antarctica.
- Know different weather conditions.

SKILLS

- Recognise simple features on maps e.g. buildings, roads and fields.
- Follow a route on a map starting with a picture map of the school.
- Recognise that maps need titles.
- Interpret and create meaningful labels and symbols for a range of places both in and outside the classroom.
- Use locational and directional language to describe feature and routes e.g. left/right, forwards and backwards.

VOCABULARY

Seasons - Spring fog rain wet dry label symbol marsh

SUMMER 1	NC: Locational Knowledge	NC: Place Knowledge	NC: Human & Physical Geography	NC: Geographical Skills & Fieldwork
The Tiny Seed	Name and locate: - 7 continents - 5 oceans	Understand similarities and differences between places.	Physical features: - beach, cliff, coast, sea, ocean - forest, hill, mountain, soil, river, valley, vegetation - season, weather Human features: city, town, village, factory, farm, house, office, port, harbour, shop.	Use photos and aerial perspectives to recognise landmarks, human features and physical features. Use fieldwork and observational skills to study human and physical features of the environment surrounding school.

The children will follow the journey of a tiny seed as it travels across a range of terrains. The children will discuss what they can see as they follow the seed and think about the human and physical features the seed might pass and think about the differences between these human and physical features in different areas. Children will use geographical vocabulary to describe what geographical features the seed might travel over if it travelled through Manchester.

KNOWLEDGE

Know different physical and human features that the seed visited in Manchester.

SKILLS

- Speak and write about, draw, observe and describe simple geographical concepts such as what they can see where.
- Notice and describe patterns.
- Use a postcode to find a place on a digital map.

VOCABULARY

village town farm travel wind long short

SUMMER 2 NC: Locational NC: Place NC: Human & NC: Geographical **Skills & Fieldwork** Knowledge Knowledge Physical Geography

Just the one Bear Goldlock AND JUST THE ONE BRARS HOLEIGHEN HOLEIGHEN HOLEIGHEN	N/A	Understand similarities and differences between places.	Identify seasonal and daily weather patterns in UK.	Use maps, atlases and globes. Use simple compass directions and locational and directional language. Devise a simple map with basic symbols and a key. Use fieldwork and observational skills to study human and physical features of the environment surrounding school.
	way home from the woods and the city. The children will extended the school environs differences. The charactering how the advice on how the KNOWLEDGE	olore the signs of Summent over the course ildren will receive lettey can keep safe in the characters can keep	plore the differences mer in the UK. We we of year and companiers from fairy tale change sun. Children can posafe in the sun. SKILLS	ill watch videos of re similarities and aracters who are write back with
	 Identify seasons weather patter Know that symbols something on notes and the 	ns in UK. cols mean naps. ences between the	differences e.g vegetation, bui Draw a simple r garden, route r story. Use and constru a map key. Use programme	ecord eatures, changes, . weather/seasons, ildings etc. map e.g. of a map, place in a uct basic symbols in able toys or sprites d a course/screen
	VOCABULARY		instructions	

VOCABULARY

Seasons - Summer left right

AUTUMN 1	NC: Locational Knowledge	NC: Place Knowledge	NC: Human & Physical Geography	NC:Geographical Skills & Fieldwork
Troll Swap	N/A	N/A	Identify seasonal and daily weather patterns in UK.	Use maps, atlases and globes.
Li.i.h			Physical features: - beach, cliff, coast, sea, ocean - forest, hill, mountain, soil, river, valley, vegetation - season, weather Human features: city, town, village, factory, farm, house, office,	
	thinking about who recap the physical	at it would be like to /human features and	port, harbour, shop ne troll compared to live in these places. Tid begin to notice paraysical features appe	he children will tterns as to which
	KNOWLEDGEKnow different	habitats ent human and	• Ask simple of 'where?', 'v questions a their enviror it like to live	geographical, what?', and 'who?' bout the world and nment e.g. 'What is in this place?' describe patterns.
	VOCABULARY semi-detached ter	raced ocean coast	mountain valley river	
AUTUMN 2	NC: Locational Knowledge	NC: Place Knowledge	NC:Human & Physical Geography	NC:Geographical Skills & Fieldwork
The Owl Who Was Afraid The Owl Who was Afraid Of the Junt Juli Tornieson Per modes	Name, locate and identify features of: -4 countries and capital cities of UK -Seas surrounding UK	Understand similarities and differences between places.	N/A	Use simple compass directions and locational and directional language. Use fieldwork and observational skills to study the school and its grounds.
				Use fieldwork and observational skills to study human and physical features of the

environment

	The children will think about maps and lot the children will think about their journey directional language and produce their the school KNOWLEDGE Know how to use the directional language. Know how to draw a map. Know the countries in the UK.		skills Skills Give and follow to get from one using positional language such and right. Use maps and about everyday live, journey to see language to de l	ren will recap o a location within v simple instructions e place to another and directional as near, far, left other images to talk by life e.g. where we school etc.
	VOCABULARY England N .lreland	Scotland Wales Eire		
SPRING 1	Locational Knowledge	Place Knowledge	Human & Physical Geography	Geographical Skills & Fieldwork
Dragon Machine Dragon Machine		•	Physical features: - beach, cliff, coast, sea, ocean - forest, hill, mountain, soil, river, valley, vegetation - season, weather Human features: city, town, village, factory, farm, house, office, port, harbour, shop that George searche n the book shows us	•
	 and then where they travelled. A map in the found. Children are to use this to loc KNOWLEDGE Know how to use north, east, south and west to direct George. Know what different features are e.g. the fields, the town, the wilderness. 		SKILLS Use aerial photo perspectives to landmarks and physical feature Use basic geog vocabulary from as well as to de	os and plan recognise basic human and es. raphical m the PoS (above)
	VOCABULARY aerial view landsc	ape route North Ec	ast South West	
SPRING 2	NC: Locational Knowledge	NC:Place Knowledge	NC: Human & Physical Geography	NC: Geographical Skills & Fieldwork

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		ng oceans on a map	edge about the seve	en confinents by
	KNOWLEDGEKnow the differenceworld. VOCABULARY	ent oceans of the	geographic sof	thes within specific tware. maps and globes re maps) at
	Equator North Pole	e South Pole Loca	l distant	
SUMMER 1	NC: Locational Knowledge	NC:Place Knowledge	NC:Human & Physical Geography	NC: Geographical Skills & Fieldwork
The Last Wolf The Last Wolf MINI GREY	Name and locate: - 5 oceans	Understand similarities and differences between places.	Physical features: - beach, cliff, coast, sea, ocean - forest, hill, mountain, soil, river, valley, vegetation - season, weather Human features: city, town, village, factory, farm, house, office, port, harbour, shop	Use maps, atlases and globes. Devise a simple map with basic symbols and a key.
	 KNOWLEDGE Know the names of the 5 main oceans (Atlantic, Pacific, Indian, Arctic, Southern) Understand what a beach, cliff, coast, sea, ocean, forest, hill, mountain, soil, river and valley is Know the difference between human and physical features 		to find place • Create a me	atlases and globes es in the world ap and use e symbols for a key
		est soil river vege	1	
SUMMER 2	NC: Locational Knowledge	NC: Place Knowledge	NC:Human & Physical Geography	NC:Geographical Skills & Fieldwork

Major Glad, Major Dizzy Major Glad, Major Dizzy	Name, locate and identify features of: - 4 countries and capital cities of UK - Seas surrounding UK	Study human and physical geography of small area of UK.	N/A	N/A	
	Children to recap the four countries and capital cities in the UK. They will also learn to name the seas that surround the UK. Children will look at a range of maps in detail and recap what a key is. They will be exposed to some OS symbols and practice finding some of these symbols on a map with support.				
	KNOWLEDGE	that surround the	with supportBegin to realise key.	symbol on a map why maps need a objects and make ne classroom or	
	VOCABULARY London Edinburgh	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·			

Subject content Key stage 2

Pupils should extend their knowledge and understanding beyond the local area to include the United Kingdom and Europe, North and South America. This will include the location and characteristics of a range of the world's most significant human and physical features. They should develop their use of geographical knowledge, understanding and skills to enhance their locational and place knowledge.

Pupils should be taught to:

Locational knowledge

- locate the world's countries, using maps to focus on Europe (including the location of Russia) and North and South America, concentrating on their environmental regions, key physical and human characteristics, countries, and major cities
- name and locate counties and cities of the United Kingdom, geographical regions and their
 identifying human and physical characteristics, key topographical features (including hills, mountains,
 coasts and rivers), and land-use patterns; and understand how some of these aspects have changed
 over time
- identify the position and significance of latitude, longitude, Equator, Northern Hemisphere, Southern Hemisphere, the Tropics of Cancer and Capricorn, Arctic and Antarctic Circle, the Prime/Greenwich Meridian and time zones (including day and night)

Place knowledge

 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

Human and physical geography

- describe and understand key aspects of:
 - physical geography, including: climate zones, biomes and vegetation belts, rivers, mountains, volcanoes and earthquakes, and the water cycle
 - 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

Geographical skills and fieldwork

- use maps, atlases, globes and digital/computer mapping to locate countries and describe features studied
- use the eight points of a compass, four and six-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
- use fieldwork to observe, measure, record and present the human and physical features in the local area using a range of methods, including sketch maps, plans and graphs, and digital technologies.

YEAR 3: Geography AUTUMN 1	NC: Locational Knowledge	NC:Place Knowledge	NC: Human & Physical Geography	NC: Geographical Skills & Fieldwork
Seal Surfer Seal Surfer Seal Surfer	Name and locate counties and cities of the UK, geographical regions and their identifying human and physical characteristics, key topographical features and land-use patterns. Understand how some of these have changed over time.	Study the human and physical geography of a region of the United Kingdom.	Describe and understand key aspects of physical geography, including: climate zones, biomes and vegetation belts, rivers, mountains, volcanoes and earthquakes, and the water cycle.	N/A
	human features. Th begin to look at a r	ey will understand th ange of different mo	al areas of the UK and the journey of a river to aps and diagrams an	o the sea. They will
	 comparisons between different areas. KNOWLEDGE Know the names of the main UK cities and main counties local to the NW area. Know the human and physical features of a NW coastal area (eg Southport, Formby). Know the similarities and differences between coastal and urban regions in the NW of England. 		 SKILLS Use maps and diagrams from a range of publications e.g. holiday brochures, leaflets, town plans. Use maps at more than one scale. Ask more searching questions including, 'how?' and, 'why? as well as, 'where?' and 'what?' when investigating places and processes Make comparisons with their own lives and their own situation. Show increasing empathy and describe similarities as well as differences. 	
	VOCABULARY coastal inland o	cean cliff landsc	ape port harbour	
AUTUMN 2	NC: Locational Knowledge	NC:Place Knowledge	NC: Human & Physical Geography	NC: Geographical Skills & Fieldwork
Winter's Child WINTER'S CHILD	N/A	N/A	N/A	Use maps, atlases, globes and digital/computer mapping to locate countries and describe features studied.
www. Frehami Bahar Smith	They will learn how will use Google ear	to use atlases and li	ge of maps to locate nk maps in different o the world of maps int rld.	orientations. They

	 Know and use a range of resources that can be used to locate places. Know how to use an atlas correctly, for a variety of purposes. Know how to use digital technology to locate and create routes. 		 Use a wider range of maps (including digital), atlases and globes to locate countries and features studied. Link features on maps to photos and aerial views. Use the index and contents page of atlases Use the zoom facility on digital maps to locate places at different scales. Add a range of text and annotations to digital maps to explain features and places. View a range of satellite images Draw and follow routes on digital maps. 	
	VOCABULARY Arctic Antarctic package (maps) cont		errain grid referenc	е
SPRING 1	NC: Locational Knowledge	NC:Place Knowledge	NC: Human & Physical Geography	NC: Geographical Skills & Fieldwork
Stone Age Boy STONE AGE BOY SATASHI KITAMURA	N/A	N/A	Describe and understand key aspects of physical geography, including: climate zones, biomes and vegetation belts, rivers, mountains, volcanoes and earthquakes, and the water cycle.	N/A
	particular. The chilo will begin to look at			
	 KNOWLEDGE Know how and why volcanoes erupt. Describe and understand the after effects of a volcanic eruption Know the changes in rock types 		features on map Identify and des	e. ordinates to locate os scribe eatures, processes
	VOCABULARY climate zone biome vegetation belt river mountain volcano earthquake			
SPRING 2	NC: Locational Knowledge	NC:Place Knowledge	NC: Human & Physical Geography	NC: Geographical Skills & Fieldwork

The Silence Seeker The SILENCE SEEKER Ben Morley Illustrated by Carl Theory Oarl Theory O	use digital technolor routes refugees mig KNOWLEDGE • Know the name the major cities • Understand how refugees travel UK. • Know how to maps of routes Europe)	pagy and create their ght take from Europe es and locations of of Europe. It was and why from Europe to the ake and use simple (eg through	 SKILLS Add photos to an add photos and add photos and plants are an add photos and purpose Recognise som symbols. Label maps with purpose Recognise that cover less area Relate measure scale maps to an outside. Make use of get 	digital maps. simple route maps. f small areas with correct place. e standard OS h titles to show their larger scale maps ement on large measurements
SUMMER 1	NC: Locational Knowledge	NC:Place Knowledge	NC: Human & Physical Geography	NC:Geographical Skills & Fieldwork
Journey F JOURNEY *a masterwork* Now Took Trees	N/A	N/A	Describe and understand key aspects of physical geography, including: rivers and the water cycle.	N/A
Aaron Becker	geographical lang		ter cycle in more det e process. They will lo mbols.	
	 and its journey fr Know, understar parts of the water appropriate voc 	nd and explain the er cycle, using cabulary. aw and label maps	processes detai tributary and so about rivers.	shysical and human led in the PoS e.g. urce when learning small areas with

			Recognise some symbols.	e standard OS
	VOCABULARY river tributary delt	ta ox-bowlake floo	od plain meander	mouth source
SUMMER 2	NC: Locational Knowledge	NC:Place Knowledge	NC: Human & Physical Geography	NC: Geographical Skills & Fieldwork
Zeraffa Giraffe Zeraffa Giraffa Giraffa	N/A	Understand geographical similarities and differences between the places studied.	N/A	Use maps, atlases, globes and digital/computer mapping to locate countries and describe features studied.
Dame Bracey v star (by	OVERVIEW The children will learn to use further resources to locate countries of North Africa. They will focus on Egypt and the river Nile. They will make compari between the lives of the people living on the Nile flood plain and their ow			
	Africa and be a on a map. • Understand and differences between and the UK.	countries of North able to locate them december explain the ween life in Egypt	 features studied Ask more search including, 'how well as, 'where's when investigate processes 	al), atlases and e countries and d. hing questions ?' and, 'why? as ?' and 'what?' ting places and sons with their own own situation. g empathy and
	VOCABULARY ancient civilisation	population contir	nent sub-continent	landscape

YEAR 4: Geography		T	T.,	I
AUTUMN 1	NC: Locational Knowledge	NC:Place Knowledge	NC: Human & Physical Geography	NC:Geographical Skills & Fieldwork
Gorilla C ANTHONY BROWNE GORILLA ANTHONY BROWNE GORILLA	Identify the position and significance of latitude, longitude, Equator, Northern Hemisphere, Southern Hemisphere, the Tropics of Cancer and Capricorn, Arctic and Antarctic Circle, the Prime/Greenwich Meridian and time zones.	N/A	N/A	Use maps, atlases, globes and digital/computer mapping to locate countries and describe features studied.
			eatures of a world mo cate countries of the	•
	 KNOWLEDGE Know and understand the main features on a world map (eg hemispheres) and what they mean Understand what 4-figure coordinates mean and how they are used to locate features on maps. 		 SKILLS Use a wider range of maps (including digital), atlases and globes to locate countries and features studied. Use 4 figure coordinates to locat features on maps. 	
	VOCABULARY equator latitude	longitude tropical	polar hemisphere	
AUTUMN 2	NC: Locational Knowledge	NC:Place Knowledge	NC: Human & Physical Geography	NC:Geographical Skills & Fieldwork
Leon & the Place Between	N/A	N/A	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.	Use fieldwork to observe, measure, record and present the human and physical features in the local area using a range of methods, including sketch maps, plans and graphs, and digital technologies.
			 about the local area < at and use a variety	•

	help them draw up	sketches and maps	of the area as it was	then and as it is
	now.	1		
	 KNOWLEDGE Know the 8 points of the compass. Know the human and physical features of the local area. 		including sketch m other digital devic •Make links betwee	and record the cal features in the range of methods naps, cameras and es. en features exironment to those al photos. ographical the arange of the sketch maps, presentations. ent on large scale
	VOCABULARY settlement patterns	urban/rural field	work sketch indus	strial products
SPRING 1	NC: Locational Knowledge	NC:Place Knowledge	NC: Human & Physical Geography	NC:Geographical Skills & Fieldwork
Escape from Pompeii ESCAPE FROM POMPEII CHILITHA AMIT	Use maps to locate the countries, environmental regions, key physical and human characteristics and major cities of Europe	Study the human and physical geography of a region in a European country.	Describe and understand key aspects of physical geography, including: climate zones, biomes and vegetation belts, rivers, mountains, volcanoes and earthquakes, and the water cycle.	N/A
	OVERVIEW The children will locate and find out about (Italy). They will learn more about the phenomenia and the characteristics of volcot They will build on their knowledge from Standard to the will build on their knowledge from Standard to the wind the standard to the standard the standar		out the countries of so hysical features of the anoes, lava flow and	area around
			Identify and design geographical for (changes), and Use geographic relating to the phuman process.	eatures, processes patterns. cal language obysical and es detailed in the y and source when rivers. ge of maps all), atlases and e countries and
	vocabulary settlement comm volcano earthque	, , ,	ography climate zo	one mountain
SPRING 2	NC: Locational Knowledge	NC:Place Knowledge	NC: Human & Physical Geography	NC:Geographical Skills & Fieldwork

Wisp Wisp	N/A	N/A	N/A	Use maps, atlases, globes and digital/computer mapping to locate countries and describe features studied.
Zuer Freillen und Orchaum Blaze Smith		ether. They will look c	ap skills looking in mo It patterns on maps (
	KNOWLEDGE • Know the contours show height and slope.		SKILLS Use a wider range of maps (including digital), atlases and globes to locate countries and features studied. Use the index and contents page of atlases Recognise patterns on maps are begin to explain what they show	
	VOCABULARY map atlas globe	e satellite earth lo	ocation terrain surf	ace
SUMMER 1	NC: Locational Knowledge	NC:Place Knowledge	NC: Human & Physical Geography	NC:Geographical Skills & Fieldwork
When the Giant Stirred When the Giant Stirred LEGEND OF A VOLCANIC ISLAND Celas Godkin	N/A	Understand geographical similarities and differences between the places studied.	Describe and understand key aspects of physical geography, including: climate zones, biomes and vegetation belts, rivers, mountains, volcanoes and earthquakes, and the water cycle.	N/A
			he Pacific Ocean ar	
	 KNOWLEDGE Know where the Pacific Ocean is. Know the islands within the Pacific Ocean. Know about the impact of the activity beneath the earth's surface. 		detailed in the Pos	s (changes), and language relating d human processes S e.g. tributary and
	VOCABULARY		source when learn	
SUMMER 2	volcano natural di	saster height conto	our mountain valley NC: Human &	
SUMMER 2	Knowledge	Knowledge	Physical Geography	NC:Geographical Skills & Fieldwork

Where the Forest Meets	Identify the	N/A	Describe and	N/A
the Sea	position and	14/74	understand key	14/73
	significance of		aspects of	
WHERE THE FOREST	latitude,		physical	
by Jeannie Baker	longitude,		geography,	
	Equator, Northern		including: climate	
	Hemisphere,		zones, biomes	
	Southern		and vegetation	
	Hemisphere, the		belts, and the	
	Tropics of Cancer		water cycle.	
A L	and Capricorn,			
	Arctic and Antarctic Circle,			
	the			
	Prime/Greenwich			
	Meridian and			
	time zones.			
	OVERVIEW		1	
	The children will find	d out about rainfores	sts across the world (fo	ocus on Australia).
	They will learn abou	ut the physical featur	res, including the nan	nes of the canopy
	levels.			
	KNOWLEDGE		SKILLS	
	Know what a ro		 Identify and descr 	.
		es of the rainforest	features, processe	s (changes), and
	levels.		patterns.	
			•Use geographical	
				d human processes
			source when learn	Se.g. tributary and
			• Express opinions a	· ·
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			about what they li	ke and don't like
			about what they li	
			about specific ged	ographical features
				ographical features
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		on environment hu	about specific ged and situations e.g. wind farm.	ographical features
	weather vegetation	on environment hu pitation condensat	about specific ged and situations e.g. wind farm.	ographical features

YEAR 5: Geography				
AUTUMN 1	NC: Locational Knowledge	NC:Place Knowledge	NC: Human & Physical Geography	NC:Geographical Skills & Fieldwork
Queen of the Falls QUEEN FALLS CHRIS VAN-ALLSBURG	Use maps to locate the countries, environmental regions, key physical and human characteristics and major cities of Europe and North/South America.	Study the human and physical geography a region within North or South America.	N/A	Use the eight points of a compass, four and six-figure grid references, symbols and key (including the use of OS maps) to build their knowledge of the United Kingdom and the wider world.
	able to identify Nia	arn about waterfalls o gara Falls (focus on I graphical language.	USA) on a map and	
	 KNOWLEDGE Know what a waterfall is and how it is formed. Know the different features of a waterfall. Know the eight cardinal points. 		 SKILLS Identify, describe and interpret relief features on OS maps. Use eight cardinal points to give directions and instructions. Use more precise geographical language relating to the physical and human processes detailed in the PoS 	
	VOCABULARY		1110100	
	waterfall relief	north-east lake	rapids canyon	1100
AUTUMN 2	NC: Locational Knowledge	NC:Place Knowledge	NC: Human & Physical Geography	NC:Geographical Skills & Fieldwork
Lost Happy Endings The Lost tlappy Endings Carol Ann. Paffy & Janz Ray	Identify the position and significance of latitude, longitude, Equator, Northern Hemisphere, Southern Hemisphere, the Tropics of Cancer and Capricorn, Arctic and Antarctic Circle, the	N/A	N/A	Use fieldwork to observe, measure, record and present the human and physical features in the local area using a range of methods, including sketch maps, plans and graphs, and digital technologies.
	Prime/Greenwich Meridian and time zones. Overview			
	Meridian and time zones. Overview The children will visi	t a local forest to co a collected to create		. They will draw mud- urate maps back in

	 Know the human and physical features within a forest. Know how to draw a mud-map. Know what a biome is. VOCABULARY biome environment flora fauna		 Observe, measure and record human and physical features using a range of methods including sketch maps, cameras and other digital technologies. Draw measured plans. Communicate geographical information in a variety of ways including through maps Collect and present data electronically e.g. through the use of electronic questionnaires/surveys. 	
SPRING 1	NC: Locational Knowledge	NC:Place Knowledge	NC: Human & Physical Geography	NC:Geographical Skills & Fieldwork
Arthur and the Golden Rope Arthur and the Golden Acre by the Todd-Stanton	Use maps to locate the countries, environmental regions, key physical and human characteristics and major cities of Europe and North/South America.	Study the human and physical geography of a region in a European country.	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.	N/A
	use of old maps and		time to ancient Gree investigate ancient (ing still the same?	_
	 KNOWLEDGE Know the difference between the ancient Greece and the city in the modern day – know how the settlement and land use is different. Know how to use a variety of different maps and research to compare the modern city to the ancient city. Know where Greece is on the map and the key features of this place. VOCABULARY ancient Olympics Mediterranean 		Recognise difference projections	a specific purpose. rent map ns and test simple out people and
SPRING 2	NC: Locational Knowledge	NC:Place Knowledge	NC: Human & Physical Geography	NC:Geographical Skills & Fieldwork

Malala's Magic Pencil MALALA YOUSAFZAI Magic Dencil Mayor Dencil	compare both its p KNOWLEDGE Know the difference	chysical and human of ences between the eman geography of	SKILLS Ask and answe more causal e. happening in the happen here? the past to causikely change in the post to critically evaluation.	r questions that are g. Why is that nat place? Could it What happened in ise that? How is it in the future? iews and attitudes luate responses to nical issues or events . for/against ting to the
SUMMER 1	women/woman NC: Locational Knowledge	NC:Place Knowledge	inous contrast Ta NC:Human & Physical Geography	NC:Geographical Skills & Fieldwork
The Darkest Dark Darkest Dark Astronaut Chris Hadfield Busted by The Festivates	Use maps to locate the countries, environmental regions, key physical and human characteristics and major cities of Europe and North/South	N/A	N/A	Use maps, atlases, globes and digital/computer mapping to locate countries and describe features studied.
	space. They will loc Focusing on Canad KNOWLEDGE	cate various North An	erial photos and satel nerican countries and SKILLS Relate different	d cities on maps.
	Know what a so	cale bar is. of different North	other and to a	erial photos. satellite imagery

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YEAR 6: Geography				
AUTUMN 1	NC: Locational Knowledge	NC:Place Knowledge	NC: Human & Physical Geography	NC:Geographical Skills & Fieldwork
Star of Fear, Star of Hope Star of Fear, Star of Hope The BRITTON OF THE STATE AND TH		•	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.	
		•	what life was like in th lay a part in sparking	•
	 KNOWLEDGE Understand caudid different every war. Know the different across Europe. 	use and effect: how ents impact on the	SKILLS Follow routes or what can be se Understand tha symbols and sty Ask and answer more causal e.g happening in the happen here?	n maps describing ten. t purpose, scale, tle are related. questions that are g. Why is that hat place? Could it What happened in se that? How is it
	VOCABULARY evacuation symb	ool import soldie	r urban rural	
AUTUMN 2	NC: Locational Knowledge	NC:Place Knowledge	NC: Human & Physical Geography	NC:Geographical Skills & Fieldwork

Can we Save the tiger? the tiger:

Name and locate counties and cities of the UK, aeographical regions and their identifying human and physical characteristics, key topographical features and land-use patterns. **Understand** how some of these have changed over time.

Identify the position and significance of latitude, longitude, Equator, Northern Hemisphere, Southern Hemisphere, the **Tropics of Cancer** and Capricorn, Arctic and Antarctic Circle, the Prime/Greenwich Meridian and time zones.

Understand geographical similarities and differences between the places studied.

Describe and understand key aspects of physical geography, including: climate zones, biomes and vegetation belts, rivers, mountains, volcanoes and earthquakes, and the water cycle.

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.

Use maps, atlases, globes and digital/computer mapping to locate countries and describe features studied.

Use fieldwork to observe, measure, record and present the human and physical features in the local area using a range of methods, including sketch maps, plans and graphs, and digital technologies.

Overview

The children will compare different habitats and biomes across the world and discuss why they are located in certain regions. They will look at the distribution of natural resources on thematic maps. They will explore the forests of the world and compare the effects deforestation is having using maps and gerial photos. They will present their finding electronically.

KNOWLEDGE

- Know why different habits and biomes are located in certain reaions.
- Know what a thematic map is.
- Know the impact of deforestation.

SKILLS

- Interpret and use thematic maps.
- Interpret data collected and present the information in a variety of ways including charts and graphs.
- Use appropriate search facilities when locating places on digital/online maps and websites.

VOCABULA	RY
natural reso	ııra

SPRING 1	natural resource NC: Locational Knowledge	pollution canopy NC:Place Knowledge	tropical equator NC: Human & Physical Geography	NC:Geographical Skills & Fieldwork
Jeremy Button The Island	Identify the position and significance of latitude, longitude, Equator, Northern Hemisphere,	Study the human and physical geography a region within North or South America.	Describe and understand key aspects of physical geography, including: climate zones, biomes	N/A

ISLAND A Story of the Galdpages JASON CHIN	Southern Hemisphere, the Tropics of Cancer and Capricorn, Arctic and Antarctic Circle, the Prime/Greenwich Meridian and time zones.	Understand geographical similarities and differences between the places studied.	and vegetation belts, rivers, mountains, volcanoes and earthquakes, and the water cycle. 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.		
	Overview The children will be able explain new land masses using geographical language. They will be able to locate the hemispheres and tropics of Cancer and Capricorn. They will follow Charles Darwin's course from the UK to the Galapagos.				
	 KNOWLEDGE Know that different scale OS maps use some different symbols. Know where the hemispheres and tropics of Cancer and Capricorn are located. Know how new land masses are formed. 		 SKILLS Identify and explain increasing complex geographical features Create sketch maps using symbols and a key. Identify, describe and interpret relief features on OS maps. Use latitude/longitude in a globe or atlas 		
	VOCABULARY indigenous equator tectonics northern hemisphere southern				
SPRING 2	hemisphere tropics of cancer and capricorn NC: Locational NC:Place NC: Human & NC:Geographic				
Si kiito 2	Knowledge	Knowledge	Physical Geography	Skills & Fieldwork	
The Day War Came	Use maps to locate the countries, environmental regions, key physical and human characteristics and major cities of Europe and	Understand geographical similarities and differences between the places studied.	N/A	N/A	
	North/South America.				

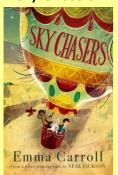
The children will learn about why people migrate including war and natural disasters. They will compare maps of countries before/after wars and also maps before/after natural disasters.

SKILLS

KNOWLEDGE

	 Know the different natural disasters. Know the impact of war. Know the impact of natural disasters on areas and inhabitants. 		 Ask and answer questions that are more causal e.g. Why is that happening in that place? Could it happen here? What happened in the past to cause that? How is it likely change in the future? Understand that purpose, scale, symbols and style are related. Interpret and use thematic maps. 		
	VOCABULARY		Use and interpret live data e.g. weather patterns, location and timing of earthquakes/volcanoes.		
SUMMER 1	migrate immigra NC: Locational Knowledge	nt disperse dista NC:Place Knowledge	nce foreign pop NC: Human & Physical Geography	NC:Geographical Skills & Fieldwork	
Manfish MANFISH May Jacquis Coudeau Language	Identify the position and significance of latitude, longitude, Equator, Northern Hemisphere, Southern Hemisphere, the Tropics of Cancer and Capricorn, Arctic and Antarctic Circle, the Prime/Greenwich Meridian and time zones.	Understand geographical similarities and differences between the places studied.	Describe and understand key aspects of physical geography, including: climate zones, biomes and vegetation belts, rivers, mountains, volcanoes and earthquakes, and the water cycle.	Use maps, atlases, globes and digital/computer mapping to locate countries and describe features studied.	
	Overview The children will plunge into the ocean and discover that it is broken down into specific layers with different characteristics and life. They will follow Jacques Cousteau as he tried to conserve our oceans. They will investigate how people are polluting and exploiting our oceans. They will also discover how the gulf stream warms our country and how it does so.				
	 KNOWLEDGE Know the different layers of the ocean. Know the different characteristics of the layers of the ocean. Know the impact of Jacques Cousteau. Know the impact of human actions on the oceans. VOCABULARY sunlight abyss twilight trenches 		SKILLS Use models and maps to discuss land shape i.e. contours and slopes. Follow routes on maps describing what can be seen. Make predictions and test simple hypotheses about people and places.		
SUMMER 2	NC: Locational Knowledge	NC:Place Knowledge	NC: Human & Physical Geography	NC:Geographical Skills & Fieldwork	

Sky Chasers



Identify the position and significance of latitude, longitude, Equator, Northern Hemisphere, Southern Hemisphere, the **Tropics of Cancer** and Capricorn, Arctic and Antarctic Circle. the Prime/Greenwich Meridian and time zones.

N/A

N/A

Use maps, atlases, globes and digital/computer mapping to locate countries and describe features studied.

Use the eight points of a compass, four and six-figure grid references, symbols and key (including the use of OS maps) to build their knowledge of the United Kingdom and the wider world.

Overview

The children will explore major French cities. They will compare maps of Paris to Manchester and discuss similarities and differences. They will locate places on maps using longitude and latitude using six figure coordinates. They will track Emilia Earhart's final journey and locate predict where she disappeared.

KNOWLEDGE

- Know the similarities and difference between Manchester and Paris.
- Know what longitude and latitude is
- Know what the six-figure coordinate are.
- Know the impact of Emilia Earhart's journey.

SKILLS

- Begin to understand the differences between maps e.g. Google maps vs. Google Earth, and OS maps.
- Use latitude/longitude in a globe or atlas.
- Use six figure coordinates.
- Investigate electronic links with schools/children in other places e.g. email/video communication.

VOCABULARY

latitude longitude coordinates air current altitude

YEAR 6 END POINTS

All pupils develop contextual knowledge of the location of globally significant places – both terrestrial and marine – including their defining physical and human characteristics and how these provide a geographical context for understanding the actions of processes.

All pupils understand the processes that give rise to key physical and human geographical features of the world, how these are interdependent and how they bring about spatial variation and change over time.

All pupils are competent in the geographical skills needed to collect, analyse and communicate with a range of data gathered through experiences of fieldwork that deepen their understanding of geographical processes.

All pupils are competent in the geographical skills needed to interpret a range of sources of geographical information, including maps, diagrams, globes, aerial photographs and Geographical Information Systems (GIS).

All pupils are competent in the geographical skills needed to communicate geographical information in a variety of ways, including through maps, numerical and quantitative skills and writing at length.