



Geography Curriculum Overview

	Autumn A	Autumn B	Spring A	Spring B	Summer A	Summer B
Year 1	Spatial Sense 1. Aerial Views 2. Maps 3. Location 4. Compass Points 5. Drawing maps		The UK 1. The four countries in the United Kingdom 2. Scotland 3. Wales 4. Northern Ireland 5. England		Seven Continents 1. Europe 2. Antarctica 3. Africa 4. Asia 5. North and South America 6. Australia	
Year 2	Spatial Sense 1. My School Site 2. Drawing a map of my school 3. Maps of the local area 4. Using maps to plan a route 5. Identifying locations on a globe or world map, the equator		The British Isles 1. The British Isles 2. Scotland 3. Wales 4. Ireland 5. England		Northern Europe 1. Countries in Northern Europe. 2. Human and physical features of Northern Europe. 3. Climate in Northern Europe. 4. Animals found in Northern Europe. 5. Roald Amundsen	
Year 3	Spatial Sense 1. Maps, compasses and symbols 2. Four and Six Figure Grid References 3. Fieldwork- The Local Area 4. A contrasting locality- San Francisco (Human Geography) 5. A contrasting locality- San Francisco (Physical Geography)	Settlements 1. Settlements 2. Types of Settlements 3. Urban, Rural and Suburban areas 4. Population Density 5. Sites and Situations of Local Settlements	Rivers 1. What is a river? 2. Rivers of Europe 3. Rivers of Africa 4. Rivers of Asia 5. Rivers of Australia, South America and North America	UK Geography: The South West 1. Introduction to the South West 2. Coastal areas and erosion 3. Landmarks and tourism 4. Agriculture and climate 5. Change over time	Western Europe 1. Countries and Settlements in Western Europe 2. Climate of Western Europe 3. Trade in Western Europe 4. France 5. A comparison of London and Paris	Asia- China and India 1. Locating India and China 2. Human and Physical Geography of India 3. Rivers of India 4. Human and Physical Geography of China 5. The Great Wall of China

<p>Year 4</p>	<p>Spatial Sense</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Globes and the Tropics 2. Scale 3. Grid References 4. Our Local Area 5. Our Local Area- Changes over Time 	<p>Mediterranean Europe</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Key Places in Europe 2. Climate of Mediterranean Europe 3. Food and Farming 4. Landscape 5. Settlements 	<p>Eastern Europe</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Key Places in Eastern Europe 2. Climate of Eastern Europe 3. Russia 4. Compare and contrast physical features (with UK Moscow/London) 5. Compare and contrast human features (with UK Moscow/London) 	<p>UK Geography: Northern Ireland</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. An Introduction to Northern Ireland 2. Visiting Northern Ireland 3. Northern Ireland, the Republic of Ireland and the partition 4. Finn MacCool and the Giant's Causeway 5. The Marble Arch Caves 	<p>UK Geography: London and the South East</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Introduction to the South East 2. London 3. The River Thames and the Thames Barrier 4. Canterbury 5. White Cliffs of Dover – Coastal Erosion and Weathering 	<p>Asia - Japan</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Location of Japan 2. Weather and Climate in Japan 3. Physical features of Japan 4. Architecture in Japan (Human Features) 5. Feudal Japan
<p>Year 5</p>	<p>Spatial Sense</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Maps: dividing the world into sections. 2. Eastern and Western hemispheres 3. Maps: using co-ordinates to locate places. 4. Maps: drawn to different scales. 5. Relief maps 	<p>Mountains</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Mountains 2. The Alps 3. The High Peaks of the Himalayas 4. American Mountains 5. African Mountains 	<p>UK Geography: East Anglia, The Midlands, Yorkshire and Humberside</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. East Anglia – Physical Geography 2. East Anglia- Land Use 3. The Midlands – Settlements 4. Yorkshire and Humberside – Physical Geography 5. Yorkshire and Humberside – Human Geography 	<p>Australia</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Australia- location and physical geography 2. The history of Australia 3. Settlements 4. Climate 5. Biodiversity 	<p>New Zealand and the South Pacific</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. New Zealand and the South Pacific- location and physical geography 2. The history of New Zealand- The Maori 3. Earthquakes 4. Climate 5. South Pacific Islands 	<p>Local Study</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Geography of the local area 2. Sketch Maps (Fieldwork) 3. Local Issues 4. Data Collection (Fieldwork) 5. Graphing data
<p>Year 6</p>	<p>Spatial Sense</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Latitude and Longitude 2. The Arctic and Antarctic Circles 3. Time Zones 4. Map Projection 5. Maps of the World 	<p>British Geographical Issues</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Air Pollution 2. Climate Change 3. Waste 4. Litter 5. Local context 	<p>North America</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The Countries of North America 2. Environmental Regions of North America 3. Rivers in North America 4. Cities in North America 5. Comparison of The UK and a region of North America 	<p>South America</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. An introduction to South America 2. Past civilisations and empires 3. The Andes Mountains and the Atacama Desert 4. Brazil (Agriculture and Industry) 5. The Amazon Rainforest 	<p>Africa</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The Continent of Africa 2. Past civilisations and empires – Mansa Musa 3. African Biomes 4. The Sahara Desert and Desertification 5. Food and Farming 	<p>Globalisation</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. What is globalisation? 2. Economic Globalisation 3. Political Globalisation 4. Social Globalisation 5. Globalisation; a global force for good?

