



Geography

Year 1 - Knowledge Progression

Substantive Knowledge

Location Knowledge

Strand	Knowledge	Vocabulary	•;;;; ;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;	4 Q	F	Â	ŝ	
The Local Area	Understand where I live and where my school is in the local area							
The United Kingdom	Name and locate the countries in the UK and their capital cities.							
The K	Name the surrounding seas of the UK							
The World	Understand the terms 'continent' and 'seas'; name and locate the world's seven continents and five oceans on a globe or atlas, including understanding the of the terms 'poles' and 'equator'.							

Place Knowledge

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Comparisons	Make simple comparisons between their locality and other relevant places in the world (e.g. where their parents/families come from).							
	Make simple comparisons between familiar environments (e.g. home/school, forest/forest school).							

Physical Geography

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Weather and Climate	Identify and describe weather associated with the four seasons.							
	Identify that the North and South poles are cold and the equator is hot.							
Physical Features and Processes	Begin to use basic geographical vocabulary to refer to key physical features of the local area and the UK, including: beach, forest, hill, mountain, sea, ocean, river, soil, vegetation, season and weather.							

Human Geography

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Settlements and Land Use	Begin to use basic geographical vocabulary to refer to key human features of the local area and the UK, including: city, town, village, farm, house, office and shop.							
Sett	Compare the town and countryside.							

Geography Skills and Fieldwork

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Primary Sources	Begin to use simple fieldwork and observational skills to study the geography of the classroom, school grounds and local area. (e.g. note taking, videoing, taking photos, data collection, sketches, observations, and labelled maps)							
	Forest Study							
d Mapwork	Draw and locate the locations of continents and oceans on globes and world maps or atlases.							
Secondary Sources and Mapwork	Draw and locate the four countries of the UK and their capital cities a on a UK map or atlas.							
	Begin to use simple locational/directional language and the four main compass directions to describe the location of features on a local map.							
	Construct simple maps with support.							
	Use aerial images to recognise basic and human physical features.							

Disciplinary Knowledge

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Asking and answering questions	To begin to/with support: Ask and respond to geographical questions.							
Analysing and communicating	To begin to/with support: Analyse and communicate geographical information by constructing simple maps, labelled diagrams, age- appropriate graphs and through writing, using appropriate geographical vocabulary.							
Evaluating and debating	To begin to/with support: Express their own views about the people, places and environments studied.							