

Geography curriculum

Early Years

- Transport- Ways to travel to different places in the world. Look at countries on maps and globes
- How we get to school
- Climate- Compare hot and cold places to go on holiday and what clothes we would pack to go there.(Hot – seaside, Cold- Antarctic)
- Places- Where we come from and where we have been on holiday
- Location-Treasure map

Year 1

- Identify seasonal and daily weather patterns in the UK
- Use basic geographical vocabulary to refer to key physical and human features
- Use world maps, atlases and globes to identify countries, continents and oceans
- Use fieldwork skills to study school grounds and key human and physical features of its surrounding environment

Year 2

- World's 7 continents and 5 oceans.
- Characteristics of the 4 countries and capital cities of UK and surrounding seas.
- Study contrast of human/physical geography of an area in UK and a Non-European country.
- Basic geographical vocabulary relating to key physical/human features.
- Identify the UK, continents and oceans using world maps, atlases and globes.
- Simple compass directions and use aerial photographs.

Year 3

- Our European neighbours eg France
- Investigating the local area

Year 4

- Countries of the world
- South America
- Village settlers
- Exploring Scandinavia



Year 5

- North America
- The UK
- Biomes

Year 6

- Investigating coasts
- Investigating rivers
- The United Kingdom