

# Geography: Key Stage 1- Year 1

## Learning Challenges

Where do the wheels on the bus go?

Why can't penguins live near the equator?

Why is it always cold in winter?

## National Curriculum content

Locational Knowledge	Human and Physical Geography	Human and Physical Geography
<i>Name, locate and identify characteristics of the four countries and capital cities of the United Kingdom and its surrounding seas</i>	<i>Identify the location of hot and cold area of the world in relation to the Equator and the North and South Poles Identify physical features, including, cliff, sea, beach</i>	<i>Identify seasonal and daily weather patterns in the United Kingdom</i>
Place Knowledge	Locational Knowledge	Skills and fieldwork
<i>Understand geographical similarities and differences through studying the human and physical geography of a small area of the UK.</i>	<i>Locate and name the world's seven continents and five oceans</i>	<i>Use simple fieldwork and observational skills to study the geography of the school and its grounds.</i>
Skills and fieldwork	Skills and fieldwork	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Use maps, atlases and globes to identify the UK</li> <li>Use simple compass directions (N, S, E, W) and locational and directional language to describe location and features on a route of a map</li> <li>Use aerial photos and plan perspectives to recognise landmarks, human and physical features, devise a simple map and use and construct symbols in a key</li> <li>Use simple fieldwork and observational skills to study the geography of the school and its grounds.</li> </ul>	<i>Use maps, atlases and globes to identify the UK, countries, continents and oceans</i>	

## Key Knowledge

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Know the names of the four countries that make up the UK and name the three main seas that surround the UK.</li> <li>Know the main differences between city, town and village.</li> <li>Know their address including postcode</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Know features of hot and cold places in the world.</li> <li>Know where the equator, North Pole and South Pole are on a globe.</li> <li>Know which is N, E, S and W, on a compass.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Know which is the hottest and coldest season in the UK.</li> <li>Know and recognise main weather symbols.</li> </ul>
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### Geography knowledge mats for Year 1

- Hot and cold places
- The Local Area