



Year 2 - Home Isolation

Geography Learning Page

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In Year 2 this half term the focus of our Geography learning is '**The World's Continents and Oceans.**' Here is the key learning from the National Curriculum that will be covered:

Pupils should be taught to:

Locational knowledge

- name and locate the world's seven continents and five oceans

Human and physical geography

- identify the location of hot and cold areas of the world in relation to the Equator and the North and South Poles



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| <p>Lesson 1 What is a continent?</p> | <p>Follow the link to the National Oak Academy to watch the video. In this lesson we are going to be learning about the seven continents. We are going to learn what a Geographer is and how important they are. We will be looking at the seven continents, comparing their size and location on our planet. We will then be learning all about what the equator is. Let's get started!</p> <p><u>You will need your home learning book to complete the activities.</u></p> | <p>What is a continent? Oak Academy</p> |
| <p>Lesson 2 What is Europe like?</p> | <p>Follow the link to the National Oak Academy to watch the video. In this lesson we are going to be virtually flying all across Europe, learning more about this wonderful continent. We will be learning all about how many people live in Europe, what food you can eat if you visit and what places you would see. Let's get started!</p> <p><u>You will need your home learning book to complete the activities.</u></p> | <p>What is Europe like? Oak Academy</p> |
| <p>Lesson 3 What is Australia like?</p> | <p>Follow the link to the National Oak Academy to watch the video. In this lesson, we are going to be virtually flying to Australia; the continent is also known as Oceania and Australasia. Today, we are learning more about this small continent. First, we will be filling our brains with facts about the population, how many countries are in Australia and the currency they use. Then we will be looking at the interesting animals and landmarks you could see if you visited Australia.</p> <p><u>You will need your home learning book to complete the activities.</u></p> | <p>What is Australia like? Oak Academy</p> |
| <p>Lesson 4 What is Africa like?</p> | <p>Follow the link to the National Oak Academy to watch the video. In this lesson, we are going to be virtually flying to Africa! Today, we are learning more about this huge continent. First, we will be filling our brains with facts about the population and how many countries are in Africa. I am so excited that we will be looking at different foods which are grown in Africa and transported all over the world. Then we will be looking at the interesting animals and landmarks you could see if you visited Africa. Get your passport ready, let's virtually fly to Africa!</p> <p><u>You will need your home learning book to complete the activities.</u></p> | <p>What is Africa like? Oak Academy</p> |

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| <p>Lesson 5 What is Asia like?</p> | <p>Follow the link to the National Oak Academy to watch the video.</p> <p>In this lesson we are going to be virtually flying to Asia, which is the largest continent. First we will be filling our brains with facts about the population and how many countries are in Asia. Then we will be looking deeper into what the landscape is like, it ranges from rainforests to mountains to plains! There are lots of different animals you could see if you visited parts of Asia, and lots of interesting fruit is also grown in the continent. It's going to be a busy lesson, so make sure you have your brain ready!</p> <p><u>You will need your home learning book to complete the activities.</u></p> | <p>What is Asia like? Oak Academy</p> |
| <p>Lesson 6 What is North America like?</p> | <p>Follow the link to the National Oak Academy to watch the video.</p> <p>In this lesson we are going to be virtually flying to North America, which is the third largest continent. First we will be filling our brains with facts about the population and how many countries are in North America. We will be looking at the second largest island which is in North America, called Greenland. There are lots of different languages and animals in the continent, we will be learning all about them. Finally, we will be studying some different places in North America that you might not have heard of before! We will finish this lesson by reading a story about some animals from Africa.</p> <p><u>You will need your home learning book to complete the activities.</u></p> | <p>What is North America like? Oak Academy</p> |
| <p>Lesson 7 What is South America like?</p> | <p>Follow the link to the National Oak Academy to watch the video.</p> <p>In this lesson we are going to be virtually flying to South America which is in the southern hemisphere. First we will be filling our brains with facts about the population and how many countries are in South America. Then we will be learning about the physical features on this continent. It has lots of different elements! We will then be looking more in depth into the Amazon rainforest which is located in this wonderful continent.</p> <p><u>You will need your home learning book to complete the activities.</u></p> | <p>What is South America like? Oak Academy</p> |
| <p>Lesson 8 What is Antarctica like?</p> | <p>Follow the link to the National Oak Academy to watch the video.</p> <p>This is our last lesson on this unit! We are going to be virtually flying to Antarctica, which is the coldest continent so get your coats ready! First, we will be filling our brains with facts about the size of this continent, the population and the climate. We will also be learning about some incredible animals which live in Antarctica We will explore how they are able to survive such harsh conditions. There is a special end of unit quiz, you can show off all the knowledge you have learnt this term.</p> <p><u>You will need your home learning book to complete the activities.</u></p> | <p>What is Antarctica like? Oak Academy</p> |

Don't forget to use your Geography Knowledge Organiser for this half term – 'Year 2 - The World's Continents and Oceans' - to help you learn and understand