

## **Geography Sticky Knowledge Progression**

Area of Learning	Locational Knowledge	Place Knowledge	Human and physical	Field Work
Year 1	Know the names of the four countries that make up the UK  Know the names of the three main seas that surround the UK  Know the name of and locate the four capital cities of England, Wales, Scotland and Northern Ireland  Know the name of the nearest town or city	Know and name the characteristics of the local area Know features of hot and cold places in the world Know where the equator, North Pole and South Pole are on a globe	Know which is the hottest and coldest season in the UK  Know and recognise main weather symbols  Know the main differences between city, town and village	<ul> <li>Know which is N, E, S and W on a compass</li> <li>Know their address, including postcode</li> <li>Know that all streets have a name, including post code</li> <li>Know how to follow a simple road map</li> <li>Talk about the features in their local environment</li> </ul>
Year 2	Know the names of and locate the seven continents of the world  Know the names of and locate the five oceans of the world	• Know the main differences between a place in England and that of a small place in a non-European country	Identify the following physical features: mountain, lake, island, valley, river, cliff, forest and beach  Explain some of the advantages and disadvantages of living in a city or village.	<ul> <li>Know and use the terminologies: left and right; below, next to</li> <li>Know the name of the nearest town or city and locate it on a map of the UK</li> <li>Locate a number of cities on a map of the UK</li> </ul>

	Know why so many important buildings are located in London			<ul> <li>Make a model, using road strips and toy buildings that shows features in an area</li> <li>Talk about the main differences between a world map and a globe</li> </ul>
Year 3	<ul> <li>Know the names of and locate at least eight European countries</li> <li>Know the names of and locate at least eight counties and at least six cities in England</li> <li>Know the names of four countries from the southern and four from the northern hemisphere</li> </ul>	Know at least five differences between living in the UK and a Mediterranean country  Know the main differences between a rural and an urban location within the UK Know about some of the physical features related to the UK, e.g., lake district, coastal areas, etc.  Know and label the main features of a river  Know the name of and locate a number of the world's longest rivers Explain the features of a water cycle  Know why most cities are situated close to a river	<ul> <li>Know about some of the physical features related to the UK, e.g., lake district, coastal areas, etc.</li> <li>Know and label the main features of a river</li> <li>Know the name of and locate a number of the world's longest rivers</li> <li>Explain the features of a water cycle</li> <li>Know why most cities are situated close to a river</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Use maps to locate European countries and capitals</li> <li>Use a globe to gain a better understanding about countries' location (USA and Russia, for example)</li> <li>Use maps to locate European countries and capitals</li> <li>Know and name the eight points of a compass</li> <li>Talk about the features in their local environment and compare it with another they know</li> </ul>

Year 4	Know the names of and locate at least eight major capital cities across the world  Know where the main mountain regions are in the UK  Know, name and locate the main rivers in the UK  Know where the equator, Tropic of Cancer, Tropic of Cancer, Tropic of Capricorn and the Greenwich Meridian are on a world map	Appreciate that climate and physical features has an important part to play when considering how people live  Explain clearly the main differences between a village, town and city  Know the names of a number of the world's highest mountains  Know what causes an earthquake and tsunami  Label the different parts of a volcano  Recognise that people's jobs are determined by where they live  Know why recycling is important	Know the names of a number of the world's highest mountains  • Know what causes an earthquake and tsunami  • Label the different parts of a volcano  Recognise that people's jobs are determined by where they live • Know why recycling is important	<ul> <li>Use maps and globes to locate the equator, the Tropics of Cancer and Capricorn and the Greenwich Meridian</li> <li>Distinguish between the Northern and Southern hemisphere on both a world map and a globe</li> <li>Know how to plan a journey within the UK, using a road map</li> <li>Make a model to show part of the local area, e.g. parks, shopping precinct, etc.</li> </ul>
Year 5	Know the names of a number of European capitals  Know the names of and locate many of the key seas and areas across the world, e.g.,  Mediterranean sea and Suez canal	<ul> <li>Recognise many of Europe's key landmarks</li> <li>Know key differences between living in the UK and in a country in either North or South America</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Know what is meant by biomes and what are the features of a specific biome</li> <li>Label layers of a rainforest and know what deforestation is</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Know how to use graphs to record features such as temperature or rainfall across the world</li> <li>Use appropriate special language when giving directions</li> </ul>

	Know some of the popular holiday destinations, such as the lake district and Isle of Wight  Know what is meant by the term 'tropics'	<ul> <li>Recognise the physical conditions necessary for the creation of different biomes</li> <li>Know what is meant by biomes and what are the features of a specific biome</li> <li>Label layers of a rainforest and know what deforestation is</li> <li>Know about the key human and physical differences between living in the UK and a different European country</li> <li>Understand about the term 'fair trade' and its implications on the lives of so many people</li> <li>Recognise the positive and negative features</li> <li>of plastic</li> <li>Know why ports are important for world trade</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Know about the key human and physical differences between living in the UK and a different European country</li> <li>Understand about the term 'fair trade' and its implications on the lives of so many people</li> <li>Recognise the positive and negative features of plastic</li> <li>Know why ports are important for world trade</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Know most of the symbols used on a UK road map, including status of roads</li> <li>Know some of the main features of a satnav</li> <li>Know what most of the ordnance survey symbols stand for</li> </ul>
Year 6	Know the names of, and locate, a number of South or North American countries	<ul> <li>Know why the south and north poles have long periods of light or dark according to time</li> </ul>	Know the names of and locate some of the world's deserts	<ul> <li>Use Google Earth to locate a country or place of interest and to follow the journey of rivers, etc.</li> </ul>

Know about time zones and work out differences	of year and know how people living there adapt their lives accordingly  • Know how a continent's climate can vary and impact on people's lives  • Contrast the main features found in two different biomes, e.g., tundra and desert  • Know the names of and locate some of the world's deserts  • Know the main features of different biomes, e.g., tundra, wetlands, grasslands  • Know main human and physical differences between developed and third world countries  • Have a good understanding about climate change and its potential impact on our lives  • Know why industry is important to the world	<ul> <li>Know the main features of different biomes, e.g., tundra, wetlands, grasslands</li> <li>Know main human and physical differences between developed and third world countries</li> <li>Have a good understanding about climate change and its potential impact on our lives</li> <li>Know why industry is important to the world</li> <li>Begin to appreciate the issues associated with Brexit</li> <li>Know how the lives of children vary across the world</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Know how to use digimaps</li> <li>Be familiar with topographical maps and know about contours, etc</li> <li>Know how to use six-figure grid references</li> <li>Know what is meant by latitude and longitude</li> </ul>
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