

Curriculum Overview: Geography

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Nursery	Me and my Community Exploring the community that we belong to. Explore the importance of family, school and the local community, and how to care for this.		Starry Night Begin to explore and talk about living things in the local environment.	Dangerous Dinosaurs Make and use simple maps in play to represent places and journeys, real and imagined.	Sunshine and Sunflowers Begin to explore and talk about living things in the local environment.	Big Wide World Develop their sense of responsibility and membership of our community, Seaton.
Reception	Let's Explore Exploring environments that we share with others, including homes, school and our local community. Maps as pictorial representations. Create routes of journeys; real and imagined.		Long Ago Show an awareness of the similarities and differences between people in different communities and groups from around the world. Seaton Academy and Seaton landmarks: how these have changed over time.	Ready, Steady, Grow Food and farming; explores themes, including where in the world food comes from, create maps of imaginary journeys.	Animal Safari Animals that live around the world; the importance of caring for our local and global environments; begin to collect simple geographical data through fieldwork activities.	On the Beach Map making, using digital maps, google maps, locate seas and oceans on a map, talk about members of the community and their roles in society: coastguard.

Year 1	Our Wonderful World Introduction to countries, capital cities and settlements in the UK. Human and Physical features; maps; compass and positional and directional language.		Bright Lights Big City Physical and human characteristics of the UK, including a detailed exploration of the characteristics and features of the capital city, London.		
Year 2		Let's Explore the World Atlases, maps and cardinal points; characteristics of the four countries in the UK; hot and cold places around the world; compare England and Somalia.	Coastline Physical and human features of coastal regions across the United Kingdom; detailed exploration of the coastal town of Whitby, in Yorkshire.	Magnificent Monarchs Significant places; Royal residences.	