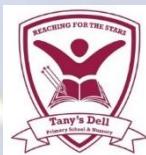




OUR VISION FOR GEOGRAPHY AT TANY'S DELL



Our ambition is to inspire, in our mini 'geographers', a sense of curiosity and fascination about the world and its people, that will remain with them for the rest of their lives. We want to equip children with knowledge about natural and human environments in diverse global places, together with a deep understanding of the Earth's key physical and human processes that have developed over time. We will facilitate children in developing mapping skills and interpreting sources of geographical information, building confidence as they progress through the school.

OUR FOUR BIG IDEAS

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Human and Physical Geography Understanding the differences that can occur within different areas of the world. Those that are naturally occurring and those that are man-made.	Location Studying places (topic related) and geographical features that exist there. Through their time at Tany's Dell, this will provide pupils with an understanding and insight into areas across the world.
3	4
Mapping Developing confidence when using maps and other geographical resources to study different parts of the world.	Interpreting Drawing conclusions about parts of the world, based on what they already know.

In order for the children to achieve these we will ensure that:

- *There is an effectively planned, geography curriculum, which ensures continuity and progression.*
- *Geographical knowledge is taught and built upon as topics are revisited across each key stage.*
- *Children are provided with a range of different opportunities termly to explore their understanding of the world around them.*
- *Children have opportunities to discuss and reason with their way of thinking.*
- *A wide range of resources are available, including atlases, electronic resources, fiction and non-fiction books, personal experiences and photographs, news and media, to generate curiosity and excitement around looking at the wider world and the subject of geography.*
- *The studying of people will help develop an overview of the world, and the lives of people around the world.*
- *We communicate, teach and encourage confidence in the children to use a bank of geographic terminology.*
- *At least one educational visit, within each Key Stage, will be linked to the class topic and promote geographical skills and knowledge.*