**Geography**

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| **Threshold concept** | **End of phase expectation yr. 2** | **End of phase expectation yr. 4** | **End of phase expectation yr. 6** |
|  **Place** | Can name, locate and identify the human and physical characteristics of the four countries and capital cities of the UK, its surrounding seas and the world’s continents and oceans | Can name and locate the countries of Europe and identify and understand their main physical and human characteristics | Can describe the physical and human characteristics of a particular place and explain why it is similar or different to other places, including North and South America. |
|  **Patterns and Processes** | Can identify the similarities and differences of physical and human geography patterns in the UK and contrasting countries around the world. | Can explain and describe how patterns and processes of physical and human geography have changed over time in a variety of geographical settings. | Can describe how physical and human patterns and processes in countries and geographical regions are interconnected and interdependent. |
| **Enquiry and Communication** | Can use geographical vocabulary to ask and answer questions about the world around us. | Can use a range of approaches and investigative skills to ask and answer questions about the local area and the world around us. | Can formulate questions relevant to a specific geographical concept and communicate findings in a variety of ways. |