

Geography Progression Document



	Locational Knowledge	Place Knowledge	Human and Physical Geography	Geographical Skills and Fieldwork
Year 6	<p>Can I identify the position of the Equator, Northern Hemisphere and Southern Hemisphere, the Tropics of Cancer and Capricorn, Arctic and Antarctic Circle?</p> <p>Can I understand the significance of the Equator, Northern Hemisphere and Southern Hemisphere, the Tropics of Cancer and Capricorn, Arctic and Antarctic Circle?</p> <p>Can I use latitude and longitude to locate places?</p> <p>Can I identify the position of the Prime/Greenwich Meridian and different time zones?</p> <p>Can I use a map of time zones around the world to calculate the time of day in different places?</p>	<p>Can I understand similarities and differences between the human and physical geography of a region of the United Kingdom and a region within North or South America?</p>	<p>Can I describe and understand key aspects of the distribution of natural resources (energy, food, minerals and water)?</p> <p>Can I describe and understand key aspects of economic activity including trade links?</p>	<p>Can I use fieldwork to observe, measure and present the human and physical features in the local area (using a range of methods including sketch maps, plans and graphs, digital technologies)?</p> <p>Can I use maps, atlases, globes and digital/computer mapping to locate and describe countries studied?</p> <p>Can I explain how our region might meet people's needs?</p> <p>Can I create a needs map of the place I have visited?</p> <p>Can I explain how our region meets people's needs?</p> <p>Can I use six-figure grid references to locate places in the wider world on an Ordnance Survey map?</p>
Year 5	<p>Can I name and locate countries within North America and major cities?</p> <p>Can I identify the key physical and human characteristics of North America?</p> <p>Can I name and locate countries within South America and major cities?</p> <p>Can I identify the key physical and human characteristics of South America?</p>	<p>Can I understand similarities and differences between the human and physical geography of a region of the United Kingdom and a region within North or South America?</p>	<p>Can I describe and understand key aspects of biomes and vegetation belts?</p> <p>Can I describe and understand key aspects of climate zones?</p> <p>Can I describe and understand key aspects of types of settlement and land use?</p>	<p>Can I use fieldwork to observe, measure and present the human and physical features in the local area (using a range of methods including sketch maps, plans and graphs, digital technologies)?</p> <p>Can I use maps, atlases, globes and digital/computer mapping to locate and describe countries studied?</p> <p>Can I explain how my local area and my region fit into the wider world?</p> <p>Can I identify and locate the main features of my region?</p> <p>Can I use four-figure grid references to locate places within the UK on an Ordnance Survey map?</p>
Year 4	<p>Can I name and locate regional land-use patterns across the UK?</p> <p>Can I understand how some of the aspects of the geography of the UK have changed over time?</p> <p>Can I name and locate countries within Europe (including Russia) and major cities?</p> <p>Can I identify the key physical and human characteristics of Europe?</p>	<p>Can I understand similarities and differences between the human and physical geography of a region of the United Kingdom and a region in a European country?</p>	<p>Can I describe and understand key aspects of rivers?</p> <p>Can I describe and understand key aspects of the water cycle?</p>	<p>Can I use fieldwork to observe, measure and present the human and physical features in the local area (using a range of methods including sketch maps, plans and graphs, digital technologies)?</p> <p>Can I use maps, atlases, globes and digital/computer mapping to locate and describe countries studied?</p> <p>Can I use fieldwork to find out more about our local area?</p> <p>Can I make a map to show what we have found out about our local area?</p> <p>Can I explain how our local area has changed over time?</p> <p>Can I explain how our local area will change in the future?</p>

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Year 3	<p>Can I name and locate counties and cities of the United Kingdom?</p> <p>Can I locate geographical regions of the United Kingdom and identify their human and physical characteristics?</p> <p>Can I name and locate key topographical features of the United Kingdom (including hills, mountains, coasts and rivers)?</p> <p>Can I locate the world's countries, using maps?</p>	<p>Can I understand similarities and differences between the human and physical geography of a region of the United Kingdom and a region in a European country?</p>	<p>Can I describe and understand key aspects of mountains?</p> <p>Can I describe and understand key aspects of earthquakes?</p> <p>Can I describe and understand key aspects of volcanoes?</p>	<p>Can I use fieldwork to observe, measure and present the human and physical features in the local area (using a range of methods including sketch maps, plans and graphs, digital technologies)?</p> <p>Can I use maps, atlases, globes and digital/computer mapping to locate and describe countries studied?</p> <p>Can I locate my local area and explain how it fits in with other places near and far?</p> <p>Can I describe the distinctive human and physical features of the local area?</p> <p>Can I make a map to show what we have found out about our local area?</p>
Year 2	<p>Can I name and locate the seven continents and five oceans?</p>	<p>Can I understand geographical similarities and differences between a small area of the United Kingdom (local) and a small area in a non-European country?</p>	<p>Can I locate the Equator, North and South Poles?</p> <p>Can I identify hot and cold areas of the world in relation to the Equator and North and South Poles?</p> <p>Can I use geographical vocabulary to refer to key physical features including: beach, cliff, coast, forest, hill, mountain, sea, ocean, river, soil, valley, vegetation, season and weather?</p> <p>Can I use geographical vocabulary to refer to key human features including: city, town, village, factory, farm, house, office, port, harbour and shop?</p>	<p>Can I use maps, globes and aerial images to identify the UK and its countries, as well as countries, continents and oceans studied at KS1?</p> <p>Can I use simple compass directions (North, South, East, West) to describe the location of features and routes on a map?</p> <p>Can I use aerial photographs and plan perspectives to recognise landmarks and basic human and physical features?</p> <p>Can I devise a simple map and I can use and construct basic symbols in a key?</p> <p>Can I use simple fieldwork and observational skills to study the geography of the school and its grounds?</p> <p>Can I use simple fieldwork and observational skills to study the key physical and human features of my local area?</p>

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Year 1	<p>Can I name and locate the four countries and capitals of the United Kingdom, and its surrounding seas?</p> <p>Can I identify the characteristics of the four countries of the United Kingdom?</p> <p>Can I identify the characteristics of the four capital cities of the United Kingdom?</p>	<p>Can I understand geographical similarities and differences between a small area of the United Kingdom (local) and a small area in a non-European country?</p>	<p>Can I identify seasonal weather patterns in the United Kingdom?</p> <p>Can I identify daily weather patterns in the United Kingdom?</p>	<p>Can I use maps and globes to identify the UK and its countries?</p> <p>Can I use directional language (near and far, left and right) to describe the location of features and routes on a map?</p> <p>Can I devise a simple map?</p>
Reception	<p>Can I recognise some environments that are different to the one in which I live? (KUW)</p> <p>Can I understand the effect of changing seasons on the natural world around me? (KUW)</p> <p>Can I describe my immediate environment using knowledge from observation, discussion, stories, non-fiction texts and maps?</p>	<p>Do I know some similarities and differences between the natural world around me and contrasting environments?</p>		<p>Can I draw information from a simple map?</p>
Nursery	<p>Do I know that there are different countries in the world and talk about the differences they have experienced or seen in photos? (KUW)</p>			