

Progression in Geographical knowledge, concepts and skills	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Locational knowledge  (Concepts – Place and space)	Know the names of the four countries that make up the UK and name the three main seas that surround the UK	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 name of and locate the four capital cities of England, Wales, Scotland and Northern Ireland	Know the names of and locate at least eight European countries  Know the names of and locate at least eight countries and at least six cities in England  Know the names of four countries from the southern and four from the northern hemisphere	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 Capricorn and the Greenwich Meridian are on a world map  Know what is meant by the term 'tropics'	Know the names of a number of European capitals  Know the names of, and locate, a number of South or North American countries	Know about time zones and work out differences
Place knowledge	Know features of	Know the main	Know at least five		Know key differences	

(Concepts – Place, space and interconnections )	hot and cold places in the world	differences between a place in England and that of a small place in a non-European country	differences between living in the UK and a Mediterranean country		between living in the UK and in a country in either North or South America	
Human and Physical Geography  (Concepts – Environment, interconnections and physical and human processes)	<p>Know which is the hottest and coldest season in the UK</p> <p>Know and recognise main weather symbols</p> <p>Know the main differences between city, town and village</p>	<p>Identify the following physical features: mountain, lake, island, valley, river, cliff, forest and beach</p> <p>Explain some of the advantages and disadvantages of living in a city or village.</p>	<p>Know what causes an earthquake</p> <p>Label the different parts of a volcano</p>	<p>Know and label the main features of a river</p> <p>Know the name of and locate a number of the world's longest rivers</p> <p>Know the names of a number of the world's highest mountains</p> <p>Explain the features of a water cycle</p> <p>Know why most cities are located by a river</p>	<p>Know what is meant by biomes and what are the features of a specific biome</p> <p>Label layers of a rainforest and know what deforestation is</p>	<p>Know the names of and locate some of the world's deserts</p> <p>Know why are industrial areas and ports are important</p> <p>Know main human and physical differences between developed and third world countries</p>
Geography field work and skills  (Concepts – place, space and scale)	Know where the equator, North Pole and South Pole are on a globe	Know and use the terminologies : left and right; below, next to	<p>Use maps to locate European countries and capitals.</p> <p>Know and name the</p>	Use maps and globes to locate the equator, the Tropics of Cancer and	Know how to use graphs to record features such as temperature or rainfall across the world	Use Google Earth to locate a country or place of interest and to follow the

	<p>Know which is N, E, S and W on a compass</p> <p>Know their address, including postcode</p>		<p>eight points of a compass</p>	<p>Capricorn and the Greenwich Meridian</p> <p>Know how to plan a journey within the UK, using a road map</p> <p>Local river study</p>		<p>journey of rivers, etc.</p> <p>Know what most of the ordnance survey symbols stand for</p> <p>Know how to use six-figure grid references</p>
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