

## Geography Curriculum Overview

Year Group	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
EYFS	<b><u>We All Belong Here</u></b> Investigate different environments (forest, town farm etc.)	<b><u>Why Do Squirrels Hide Their Nuts</u></b> Features of different seasons.	<b><u>Winter Wonderland</u></b> Maps, atlases and introducing countries.	<b><u>Dinosaur Stomp</u></b> Local maps and local points of interest.	<b><u>The Sights and Sounds of Africa</u></b> Africa location. African traditions.	<b><u>Mad About Minibeasts</u></b>
1	<b><u>Everyday Materials</u></b> Location of the equator and the north and south poles.	<b><u>School Days</u></b>	<b><u>No Place Like Home</u></b> Polesworth village study. Compare villages, towns and cities.	<b><u>Monarchs</u></b> The 4 countries of the UK.	<b><u>Rio de Vida</u></b> 7 continents of the world. The physical and human features of Rio. Compare Rio and London.	<b><u>Enchanted Woodland</u></b> Create bird's eye view maps. Use 4 compass directions.
2	<b><u>Bright Lights, Big City</u></b> 4 countries of the UK and their capital cities. Compare Polesworth (village) and London (city).	<b><u>Significant People</u></b>	<b><u>Alive and Kicking</u></b>	<b><u>Under the Canopy</u></b>	<b><u>Land Ahoy!</u></b> Seas around the UK. World's 5 oceans. Physical and Human features of Kingston, Jamaica. Compare Kingston and Birmingham.	<b><u>Beside the Seaside</u></b> Physical and human features of Western Super Mare. Compare Tamworth and Western Super Mare.
3	<b><u>Road Trip USA!</u></b> New York and features of North America. Location of New York and its physical and human features. The hemispheres. 4 and 6 figure grid reference.	<b><u>Stone Age, Bronze Age and Iron Age</u></b> Skara Brae and its physical and human features. Compare Skara Brae to Polesworth. 8-point compass direction.	<b><u>Forces, Magnets and Metals</u></b>	<b><u>Volcanoes and Earthquakes</u></b> Location of volcanos. Why volcanos and earthquakes occur.	<b><u>Ancient Greece</u></b> Location of Greece. Comparison of UK and Greece. Create a plan of a Greek location.	<b><u>Take One Author: Roald Dahl</u></b> Location of food distributing countries (China, India, Use, Brazil). Find and represent trade routes. Fair trade food.
4	<b><u>Roman Britain</u></b> Roman Roads in UK. Human and Physical features of Rome. Compare Rome and London	<b><u>Anglo-Saxons</u></b>	<b><u>Misty Mountains, Winding Rivers</u></b> Locate rivers and mountains of the world. Water cycle River formation.	<b><u>Take One Author: Michael Morpurgo</u></b>	<b><u>Vikings</u></b> Location of Viking settlements and areas. Counties of the UK.	<b><u>Living Things and their Habitats</u></b> Equator, tropics, Arctic and Antarctic location. Climate change.
5	<b><u>Marvellous Mechanisms</u></b> Physical and human features of Florida. Maps including transport links.	<b><u>The Solar System</u></b> Prime meridian and time zones. Ariel images.	<b><u>English Civil War</u></b> Land use in London – past and present.	<b><u>Polesworth and Coal Mining</u></b>	<b><u>Take One Author: Kwame Alexander</u></b> Egypt's human and Physical geography. Importance of the River Nile.	<b><u>Ancient Egypt</u></b>
6	<b><u>Darwin's Delight</u></b> Human and physical geography of South America. Galapagos Islands and their formation. Route planning.	<b><u>World War 2</u></b>	<b><u>Frozen Kingdom</u></b> Longitude and latitude.	<b><u>Tales of Terror</u></b>	<b><u>Mayans</u></b>	<b><u>Mayans</u></b> Mexico human and physical geography. Compare Mexico City and London. Graph climate information.