

Geography Progression Map

	EYFS	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Locational Knowledge	Be able to name places in my day to day life e.g. places that I regularly visit or are important to my family.	Name and locate the world's continents and oceans. Use maps and a globe to identify the continents and understand that both a map and a globe show the same thing. Use world maps, atlases and globes to identify the United Kingdom and its countries. Use world maps, atlases and globes to identify the United Kingdom, its countries and key capital cities. Use both maps and globes, identify the coldest places in the world – The North and South pole, related to their study of the Arctic. Draw and label pictures to show location. Make predictions about where the hottest places in the world are? Children to identify the	Name and locate the 5 oceans using maps and globes. Recall the world's continents. Name and locate the seas that surround the UK. Be able to identify cities in the contrasting countries. Use world maps, atlases and globes to identify the United Kingdom and its countries, as well as the countries, continents and oceans studied. Identify location of hot and cold areas of the world and the North and South Poles.	Locate countries, cities and landmarks of Europe using Google Maps and on a globe. Name and locate the Equator. Name and locate counties and cities of the United Kingdom, geographical regions and their identifying human and physical characteristics, including hills, mountains, cities, rivers, key topographical features and land- use patterns; and understand how some of these aspects have changed over time. Locate rivers in UK and significant rivers in Europe. Use maps, atlases, globes and digital/computer mapping to locate some countries of Europe and describe features studied. Know and understand what	Describe the location of countries studied in relation to the equator, tropics, hemispheres and the poles. Name and locate the Equator, Northern Hemisphere, Southern Hemisphere, the Tropics of Cancer and Capricorn, Arctic and Antarctic Circle and time zones. Use maps, atlases, globes and digital/computer mapping to locate countries across the world and describe features studied.	Name and locate the countries of North and South America Describe the location of countries studied in relation to the equator, tropics, hemispheres and the poles. Locate physical geographical features on a map. Describe their location in relation to land use and look for patterns in the locations. Name and locate a European country on a range of maps, identifying human and physical characteristics of this country including hills, mountains, rivers, key topographical features and land- use patterns; and understand how some of these aspects have changed over time. Use a range of geographical resources to give detailed descriptions and opinions of the	Name and locate a wide range of countries on a world map (recap of all previous locational learning). Identify and describe the geographical significance of latitude, longitude, Equator, Northern Hemisphere, Southern Hemisphere, the Tropics of Cancer and Capricom, Arctic and Antarctic Circle, and time zones (including day and night). Name and locate some of the countries and cities of the world and their identifying human and physical characteristics. Compare maps over time. Understand how time zones are shown on a map. Analyse and give views on the effectiveness of different geographical

		equator and locate the places on the Equator which are the hottest.		Latitude and Longitude are. Describe some of the characteristics of these geographical areas.		characteristic features of a location.	representations of a location (such as aerial images compared with maps and topological maps)
Place Knowledge	I can ask questions about what it is like in another country. I can show my knowledge of other countries through role play and art work.	Ask and answer geographical questions such as: What is this place like? What or who will I see in this place? What do people do in this place? Retell what it is like in another country. (UK Focus) Compare plants that grow in contrasting countries Express own views about a place, people and environment.	Study pictures/videos of two differing localities, make comparisons between life in the UK and life in Piha, New Zealand and ask geographical questions e.g. What is it like to live in this place? How is this place different to where I live? How is the weather different? How are lifestyles different? How does the climate impact lifestyle? Make comparisons between the UK and life in another country. Draw pictures to show how places are different and write comparatively to show the difference. Explain own views about locations, giving reasons. Give detailed reasons to support own likes, dislikes and preferences.	Identify features of a place using aerial photographs and Google Earth. Describe geographical similarities and differences between countries. Express own views about a place, people and environment.	Describe and understand geographical similarities and differences between countries, including the UK, Europe and a region of South America. Compare and give reasons for the different lifestyles within a country or area of a country.	Use a range of geographical resources to give detailed descriptions and opinions of the characteristic features of a location. Describe how locations around the world are changing and explain some of the reasons for change. Describe geographical diversity across the world. Describe how countries and geographical regions are interconnected and interdependent. Understand some of the reasons for geographical similarities and differences between countries. Analyse and give views on the effectiveness of different geographical representations of a location (such as	Discuss how people are influenced by both physical and human geography on a local, national and global scale. Use a range of geographical resources to give detailed descriptions and opinions of the characteristic features of a location. Describe, and explain, geographical diversity across the world. Describe how locations around the world are changing and explain the reasons for change. Understand the reasons for geographical similarities and differences between countries. Describe and explain how countries and geographical regions are interconnected and interdependent.

Physical and Human Geography	I can use everyday vocabulary to name common physical features. I can show respect of different cultures	Name some types of weather and describe the weather associated with the four seasons. Use basic geographical vocab to refer to key physical features including: season: weather. Ask questions about the weather and seasons. Observe and record e.g. draw pictures of the weather at different times of the 1/2 term or keep a record of how many times it rains in a week Express opinions about the seasons and relate the changes to changes in cluding:	Use basic geographical vocab to refer to and name the key human features of a location in order to say whether it is a city, town, village, coastal or rural area. Understand that different countries have a different range of plants that grow. Understand geographical similarities and differences through studying the human and physical geography of a small area of the United Kingdom and that of a non- European country. Recognise that humans have a choice in their lifestyle.	Ask and answer geographical questions about the physical and human characteristics of a location. Describe key aspects of physical geography, including: mountains, volcanoes and earthquakes, valleys, city, town, hills, rivers, beaches, coasts Explain the water cycle using scientific terminology and explain the changes of state. Use a range of resources to identify the key physical and human features of a location. Understand geographical	Ask and answer geographical questions about the physical and human characteristics of a location, beginning to make links with other countries studied. Describe and understand key aspects of: - physical geography, including: climate zones, biomes and vegetation belts, rivers, mountains, coasts, seas, - human geography, including: settlements, land use, economic activity including trade links and the distribution of natural resources including	aerial images compared with maps and topological maps. Identify and describe the geographical significance of Iatitude, longitude, Equator, Northern Hemisphere, the Tropics of Cancer and Capricorn, Arctic and Antarctic Circle, and time zones (including day and night). Identify and describe how the physical features affect the human activity within a location. Describe and understand key aspects of: physical geography, including: climate zones, biomes and mountains.	Describe and understand key aspects of: physical geography, including: climate zones, vegetation belts, mountains, volcanoes and earthquakes rivers, climate zones, biomes and coasts Human geography, including: settlements, land use, economic activity including trade links, distribution of natural resources, settlements, the distribution of natural resources including energy, food, minerals, and water supplies. Identify and describe how the physical features affect the human activity within g logation
		week Express opinions about the seasons and relate the		the key physical and human features of a location. Understand	use, economic activity including trade links and the distribution of natural	geography, including: climate zones, biomes and mountains.	supplies. Identify and describe how the physical features affect the

Observe closely	Use locational	Use locational and	Start to use the 8	Use the eight points	impacted both positively and negatively by physical features. Recognise that humans can have some control over physical features. Describe the different climate zones and Vegetation belts on a global scale. Be able to say what weather and vegetation is related to these and begin to give reasons why Describe economic activity within a small area outside of the UK and the trade links (and the distribution of natural resources including energy, food, minerals and water) between that area and the UK. (South America and trade links around the world)	Describe and understand the water cycle.
Observe closely what is around me and make comments on what I see.	Use locational language (e.g. near and far, left and right) to describe the location of features and routes on a map. Use aerial images to locate a familiar place.	Use locational and directional language to describe the location of features and routes on a map. Use compass directions (north, south, east and west) and locational language (e.g. near and far) to describe the location of features and routes on a map.	Start to use the 8 points of a compass. Make detailed maps using a key. Use fieldwork to observe and record the human and physical features in the local area using a range of methods	Use the eight points of a compass. Include a key on a map using common OS symbols. Understand how colours are used on a map to show different physical zones.	Use 6 figure grid references. Develop a good understanding of the symbols used on an ordnance survey map. Explain what data which has either been collected or	of a compass, four- figure grid references, symbols

Geographical Skills and Fieldwork		Children to take photos of interesting things in the local area and explain what the photos show. Look at a simple map of the local area and identify the things they know and have seen. Devise a simple map; and use and construct basic symbols in a key. Identify land use in our town. Use simple fieldwork and observational skills to study the geography of the school and the key human and physical features of its surrounding environment.	Use aerial images and plan perspectives to recognise landmarks and basic physical features. Compare two photos and make suggestions for the cause of differences in people from contrasting countries lifestyles. Devise a simple map; and use and construct basic symbols in a key. Use simple grid references (A1, B1). Collect data using observations and record it in a table.	including sketch maps, plans and graphs and digital technologies.	Use four grid references, symbols and key (including the use of Ordinance Survey maps) to build knowledge of the UK and the wider world. Use fieldwork to observe, measure, record and present the human and physical features in the local area using a range of methods, including sketch maps, plans and graphs and digital mapping technologies.	researched shows and the impact of it. Record data in a line graph. Use fieldwork to observe, measure record and present the human and physical features in the local area using a range of methods, including sketch maps, plans and graphs, and digital technologies.	Compare aerial photos and maps taken over time. Create maps of locations identifying patterns (such as: land use, climate zones, population densities, height of land). Create maps of locations identifying patterns (such as: land use, climate zones, population densities, height of land). (Map of Europe from 1939/1945/2022) Collect and analyse statistics and other information in order to draw clear conclusions about locations. Use different types of fieldwork sampling (random) to observe measure and record the human and physical features in the local area. Record results in a range of ways.
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