

GEOGRAPHY CURRICULUM COVERAGE (KS1)

Exploring our world. Understanding places. Inspiring futures.

LEADERSHIP • ORGANISATION • RESILIENCE
INITIATIVE • COMMUNICATION • KINDNESS



PHYSICAL

Understanding the natural world, landscapes and the processes that shape them.



ENVIRONMENTAL

Caring for our world and understanding our impact and responsibilities.



HUMAN

Exploring how people live, work, trade and build communities.



THE WORLD

Developing locational knowledge and understanding connections across the world.

GEOGRAPHY NATIONAL CURRICULUM OBJECTIVES KS1

Pupils should be taught to...

YEAR 1

JOURNEYS



Where do we go?

LONDON



Our capital city

HOT AND COLD PLACES



Why are some places hot and some cold?

DINOSAURS



Discovering the Jurassic Coast

DOVER: CASTLES AND COASTLINES



Exploring our local area

HOW ARE PLACES IN THE UK DIFFERENT?



Comparing places in the UK

HOW IS OUR WORLD FULL OF DIFFERENT PLACES?



Exploring the world

Name and locate the world's seven continents and five oceans

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Name, locate and identify characteristics of the four countries and capital cities of the UK and surrounding seas

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Understand geographical similarities and differences through studying the local area and a contrasting locality

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Identify seasonal and daily weather patterns

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Use basic geographical vocabulary to refer to key physical and human features

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Use world maps, atlases and globes to identify the UK and other countries

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Use simple compass directions and locational language

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Use aerial photographs and plan perspectives to recognise landmarks and basic human and physical features

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Use simple maps and construct basic symbols in a key

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Use simple fieldwork and observational skills to study the geography of the school and its grounds and the key human and physical features of its surrounding environment.

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Our Geography curriculum ignites curiosity, builds knowledge and develops a deep understanding of our world. We explore local, national and global places to help every child make sense of the world and their place in it.

