

## **Geography Curriculum Overview 2023/2024**

Yr	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
1	1. Aerial Views 2. Maps 3. Location 4. Compass Points 5. Drawing maps		The UK  1. The four countries in the United Kingdom 2. Scotland 3. Wales 4. Northern Ireland 5. England		1. Europe 2. Antarctica 3. Africa 4. Asia 5. North and South America 6. Australia	
2	1. My School Site 2. Drawing a map of my school 3. Maps of the local area 4. Using maps to plan a route 5. Identifying locations on a globe or world map, the equator.		The British Isles  1. The British Isles and England 2. Scotland 3. Wales 4. Ireland 5. Comparison with Cape Town		Northern Europe  1.Countries in Northern Europe. 2. Human and physical features of Northern Europe. 3. Climate in Northern Europe. 4. Animals found in Northern Europe. 5. Roald Amundsen	

3	Spatial Sense  1. Maps, compasses and symbols 2. Four and Six Figure Grid References 3. Fieldwork- The Local Area 4. A contrasting locality San Francisco (Human Geography) 5. A contrasting locality San Francisco (Physical Geography)	Settlements 1. Settlements 2. Types of Settlements 3. Urban, Rural and Suburban areas 4. Population Density 5. Sites and Situations of Local Settlements	Rivers  1. What is a river?  2. Rivers of Europe  3. Rivers of Africa  4. Rivers of Asia  5. Rivers of Australia, South America and North America	UK Geography: The South West  1. Introduction to the South West  2. Coastal areas and erosion  3. Landmarks and tourism  4. Agriculture and climate  5. Change over time	Western Europe 1. Countries and Settlements in Western Europe 2. Climate of Western Europe 3. Trade in Western Europe 4. France 5. A comparison of London and Paris	Asia – China and India 1. Locating India and China 2. Human and Physical Geography of India 3. Rivers of India 4. Human and Physical Geography of China 5. The Great Wall of China
4	Spatial Sense 1. Globes and the Tropics 2. Scale 3. Grid References 4. Our Local Area 5. Our Local Area - Changes over Time	Mediterranean Europe 1. Key Places in Europe 2. 2. Climate of Mediterranean Europe 3. Food and Farming 4. Landscape 5. Settlements	Eastern Europe 1.Key places in Eastern Europe 2.Climate in Eastern Europe 3.Physical Features of Eastern Europe 4.A comparison with a European Country and the UK 5.Conflict in Eastern Europe	UK Geography: Northern Ireland 1. An Introduction to Northern Ireland 2. Visiting Northern Ireland 3. Northern Ireland, the Republic of Ireland and the partition 4. Finn MacCool and the Giant's Causeway 5. The Marble Arch Caves	UK Geography: London and the South East 1.Introduction to the South East 2. London 3. The River Thames and the Thames Barrier 4. Canterbury 5. White Cliffs of Dover - Coastal Erosion and Weathering	Asia – Japan 1.Location of Japan 2.Weather and Climate in Japan 3. Physical features of Japan 4.Architecture in Japan (Human Features) 5.Feudal Japan

5	Spatial Sense  1Maps: dividing the world into sections.  2. Eastern and Western hemispheres  3. Maps: using coordinates to locate places.  4. Maps: drawn to different scales.  5. Relief maps	Mountains 1. Mountains 2. The Alps 3. The High Peaks of the Himalayas 4. American Mountains 5. African Mountains	UK Geography: East Anglia, The Midlands, Yorkshire and Humberside  1. East Anglia – Physical Geography 2. East Anglia - Land Use 3. The Midlands – Settlements 4. Yorkshire and Humberside – Physical Geography 5. Yorkshire and Humberside – Human Geography	Australia  1. Australia- location and physical geography  2. The history of Australia  3. Settlements  4. Climate  5. Biodiversity	New Zealand and the South Pacific  1. New Zealand and the South Pacific- location and physical geography 2. The history of New Zealand- The Maori 3. Earthquakes 4. Climate 5. South Pacific Islands	Local Study 1. Geography of the local area 2. Sketch Maps (Fieldwork) 3. Local Issues 4. Data Collection (Fieldwork) 5. Graphing data
6	Royal Geographical Society (RGS)  1.Map Skills  2. Compass points  3. 4- figure grid references  4. 8 -figure grid reference		Spatial Sense 1. Latitude and Longitude 2. The Arctic and Antarctic Circles 3. Time Zones 4. Map Projection 5. Maps of the World		Globalisation  1. What is globalisation?  2. Economic Globalisation  3. Political Globalisation  4. Social Globalisation  5. Globalisation; a global force for good?	