

Year A Geography KS1

Topic	Place	Human and Physical	Cultural Understanding & Diversity	Environmental Interaction
<p>Autumn</p> <p>Our Country</p>	<p>Learn the names of the four countries of the UK and the names of the main seas around the UK.</p> <p>Learn to locate the four countries of the UK and their capital cities</p> <p>Learn to locate Brasilia and London on a world map</p>	<p>Understand the differences between a 'town' and the 'countryside'.</p> <p>Understand that the UK is an island.</p> <p>Learn what an aerial view is.</p> <p>Consider how features may change throughout a journey.</p> <p>Learn about the characteristics of the four countries of the UK and the main seas around the UK.</p>	<p>Learn about London as a capital city.</p> <p>Compare Brasilia and London as capital cities</p>	<p>Consider the use of UK seas for wind power.</p>
<p>Spring</p> <p>What a Wonderful World</p>	<p>Learn to locate the continents and oceans of the world.</p> <p>Use atlas and map skills.</p> <p>Understand the location of hot and cold areas of the world.</p> <p>Learn to locate Europe on a world map and learn about countries in Europe.</p>	<p>Understand how a journey can be made around the world.</p> <p>Consider some of the features that would be passed on a journey around the world.</p> <p>Learn about climate zones around the world.</p> <p>Identify features in aerial photos (link to previous topic)</p>	<p>Learn about different continents.</p> <p>Learn about France as a case study of a European country.</p>	<p>Understand how the location of hot and cold countries affects the different animals that live there (link to climate change).</p>

<p>Summer</p> <p>Magical mapping (geographical skills)</p>	<p>Compare different types of map. Learn about sketch maps. Learn and use the four points of the compass. Develop atlas skills:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • map symbols • index <p>Understand what a simple route looks like and use road names, place names and a key. Learn to locate the continents and oceans using an atlas. Revisit aerial photographs/views (Autumn term). Understanding human and physical features in Geography.</p>
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Year A Geography KS2

Topic	Place	Human and Physical	Cultural Understanding & Diversity	Environmental Interaction
<p>Autumn</p> <p>Water Cycle</p>	<p>Use atlas skills to find areas of the world affected by flooding in water pollution.</p>	<p>Learn about the water cycle linked to changing states of matter.</p> <p>Understand the main events of the water cycle and the processes.</p> <p>Understand how clouds and rain form.</p>	<p>Consider the impact of flooding and water pollution around the world.</p>	<p>Understand how and why drinking water is cleaned.</p> <p>Learn about the causes and effects of flooding and how it affects communities.</p> <p>Understand the causes and effects of water pollution.</p>
<p>Spring</p> <p>Rainforests</p>	<p>Learn about areas of the world that contain rainforests.</p> <p>Use atlas skills to find countries that have rainforests</p> <p>Learn the position and significance of latitude, longitude, Equator, Northern Hemisphere, Southern Hemisphere, the Tropics of Cancer and Capricorn, Arctic and Antarctic Circle,</p>	<p>Understand the features of the layers of a rainforest including plants and animals that live in them.</p> <p>Learn about and compare the Amazon Rainforest and Sherwood Forest.</p>	<p>Link to learning about the Mayan civilisation (History).</p> <p>Understand that people continue to live in rainforest areas and are affected by deforestation.</p>	<p>Understand the effects humans are having on the rainforests - deforestation</p>

	the Prime/ Greenwich Meridian and time zones (including day and night).			
Summer All Around the World	<p>Revisit the position and significance of the Equator, the Northern Hemisphere, and the Southern Hemisphere.</p> <p>Learn about lines of longitude and latitude and how they are used to find places on maps, atlases and globes.</p> <p>Learn about the position and significance of the Prime Meridian.</p>	<p>Learn the key features of the polar regions and make comparisons with the UK.</p> <p>Understand the position and significance of time zones.</p>	<p>Learn about the Tropics of Cancer and Capricorn and differences between the UK and the tropics</p>	<p>Consider the effects of global warming on the polar and tropical regions.</p>